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SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS BILL, 1976

APRIL 9, 1976.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

Mr. MAHON, from the Committee on Appropriations, submitted the following

REPORT

together with

ADDITIONAL VIEWS

[To accompany H.R. 13172]

The Committee on Appropriations submits the following report in explanation of the accompanying bill making further supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976 and the period ending September 30, 1976, and for other purposes.

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**MAKING SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE  
FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1976, AND THE PERIOD  
ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1976**

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MAY 13, 1976.—Ordered to be printed

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Mr. MAHON, from the committee of conference,  
submitted the following

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

[To accompany H.R. 13172]

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 13172) making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976, and the period ending September 30, 1976, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 2, 3, 9, 14, 24, 28, 38, 49, 77, and 88.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 17, 18, 25, 26, 31, 34, 39, 40, 41, 42, 44, 45, 46, 51, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 59, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 69, 72, 73, 78, 79, 84, 86, 89, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 125, 129, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 172, 173, 175, 180, 186, 193, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 207, 208, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 222, 223, 227, 228, 236, 237, 241, 242, and 243, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 8: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 8, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named in said amendment insert: \$2,000,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 13: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 13, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named in said amendment insert: \$200,000,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 15: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 15, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed by said amendment insert:

*DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE*

*FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION*

*For an additional amount for "Salaries and expenses", for the period July 1, 1976, through September 30, 1976, \$1,200,000.*

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 32: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 32, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed by said amendment insert:

*For expenses necessary for the Office of Science and Technology Policy, including services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, \$500,000.*

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 33: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 33, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed by said amendment insert:

*For "Salaries and expenses" for the period July 1, 1976, through September 30, 1976, \$500,000.*

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 36:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 36, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$8,900,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 37:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 37, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named by said amendment insert \$267,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 47:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 47, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$3,090,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 48:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 48, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$13,250,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 58:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 58, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named by said amendment insert \$16,000,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 60:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 60, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named by said amendment insert \$10,085,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 68:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 68, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$1,665,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 74:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 74, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$5,060,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 82:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 82, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed by said amendment insert:

*For an additional amount for "Elementary and secondary education," \$8,000,000, to remain available through September 30, 1976, for carrying out Title VII of the Education Amendments of 1974 (\$6,800,000) and section 721(b)(3) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (\$1,200,000).*

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 85: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 85, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed by said amendment insert:

*For an additional amount to carry out the provisions of Section 708(a) of the Emergency School Aid Act, to assist school districts which have adopted desegregation plans described in Section 706(a) (1) (A) and (B) of the Act, \$30,000,000, to remain available through September 30, 1976.*

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 174: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 174, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named by said amendment insert \$108,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 183: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 183, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$250,000,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 188: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 188, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$1,700,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 189: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 189, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$186,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 190: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 190, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$1,295,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 191: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 191, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$225,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 192: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 192, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$6,500,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 221: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 221, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed by said amendment insert \$218,850,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 224: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 224, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named by said amendment insert \$9,185,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 225: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 225, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named by said amendment insert \$10,900,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 226: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 226, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named by said amendment insert \$7,645,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 238: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 238, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum named by said amendment insert \$3,206,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 239: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 239, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named by said amendment insert \$3,700,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 240: That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 240, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the sum named by said amendment insert \$2,926,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference report in disagreement amendments numbered 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 27, 29, 30, 35, 43, 50, 52, 61, 67, 70, 71, 75, 76, 80, 81, 83, 87, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 122, 123, 124, 126, 127, 128, 130, 140, 141, 158, 159, 171, 176, 177, 178, 179, 181, 182, 184, 185, 187, 194, 195, 196, 197, 206, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 244, and 245.

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## JOINT EXPLANATORY STATEMENT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE

The managers on the part of the House and the Senate at the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 13172) making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976, and the period ending September 30, 1976, and for other purposes, submit the following joint statement to the House and the Senate in explanation of the effect of the action agreed upon by the managers and recommended in the accompanying conference report:

### TITLE I

#### CHAPTER I

##### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

##### AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE

**Amendment No. 1:** Appropriates \$19,535,000 as proposed by the Senate instead of \$8,850,000 as proposed by the House. The increase over the House amount provides \$5,985,000 to purchase additional land for the National Arboretum; \$4,000,000 for construction of additional facilities for the existing animal diagnostic center and for a new animal holding wing at Plum Island, New York, in support of the new animal quarantine facility at Fleming Key, Florida; and \$1,200,000 to complete construction of the Clay Center, Nebraska, research facility.

##### ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE

**Amendments Nos. 2 and 3:** Appropriates \$2,161,000 for the transition quarter as proposed by the House instead of \$2,661,000 as proposed by the Senate. Amendment No. 2 would have added \$500,000 for the establishment of a barrier in Mexico for the Mediterranean fruit fly and Amendment No. 3 provided that the funds remain available until expended.

##### FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE CORPORATION

##### LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND OPERATING EXPENSES

**Amendment No. 4:** Provides \$1,025,000 in fiscal year 1976 as proposed by the Senate instead of \$275,000 as proposed by the House.

**Amendment No. 5:** Technical change correcting House language.

## SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE

## CONSERVATION OPERATIONS

Amendment No. 6: Appropriates \$750,000 for Conservation Operations as proposed by the Senate.

## WATERSHED AND FLOOD PREVENTION OPERATIONS

Amendment No. 7: Appropriates \$12,327,000 for emergency measures for runoff retardation and soil-erosion prevention, as provided by section 216 of the Flood Control Act of 1950 and as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$8,400,000 as proposed by the House.

The amounts provided by State are as follows:

Iowa	-----	\$100,000
Mississippi	-----	3,800,000
Oregon	-----	427,000
Pennsylvania	-----	3,500,000
Washington	-----	4,500,000
Total	-----	\$12,327,000

## GREAT PLAINS CONSERVATION PROGRAM

Amendment No. 8: Appropriates \$2,000,000 for the Great Plains Conservation Program instead of \$4,000,000 as proposed by the Senate. (See Amendment No. 10).

Together with the funds available, this sum should enable the Department to meet the existing needs resulting largely from plowing up marginal lands which is uneconomic in the first place. Therefore, to the maximum extent possible, conservation assistance provided for marginal land should be in the form of providing long-term protection against wind erosion.

## AGRICULTURAL STABILIZATION AND CONSERVATION SERVICE

## AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM

Amendment No. 9: Deletes language added by the Senate which would have made the \$15,000,000 in contract authority provided by the House "remain available until expended."

## GREAT PLAINS CONSERVATION PROGRAM

Amendment No. 10: Deletes language proposed by the House which appropriated \$2,000,000 for the Great Plains Conservation Program. (See Amendment No. 8).

## FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE

## CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS

Amendment No. 11: Appropriates \$234,151,000 for Child Nutrition Programs in fiscal year 1976 as proposed by the Senate instead of \$226,801,000 as proposed by the House. This provides an additional \$7,350,000 for Non-food Assistance.

Amendment No. 12: Appropriates \$419,500,000 for Child Nutrition Programs in the transition quarter as proposed by the Senate instead of \$412,500,000 as proposed by the House. This provides an additional \$7,000,000 for Nonfood Assistance.

## FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Amendment No. 13: Appropriates \$200,000,000 for the Food Stamp Program in the transition quarter instead of \$400,000,000 as proposed by the Senate.

The conferees' action is not to be construed as prejudicing any pending or forthcoming administrative modifications proposed by the Department, nor any legislative proposals considered or to be considered by Congress.

## SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM (WIC)

Amendment No. 14: Deletes appropriation of \$62,500,000 in the transition quarter proposed by the Senate.

The conferees are advised by the Department that \$83,000,000 will be available in the transition quarter as carryover from fiscal year 1976. This will be more than enough to fund this program at the authorized level of \$62,500,000 during the transition quarter. The conferees direct the Department to use these funds to fully administer this program as authorized by law.

## RELATED AGENCIES

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

## FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 15: Appropriates \$1,200,000 for 200 positions in the transition quarter instead of \$19,953,000 in fiscal year 1976 to remain available until expended as proposed by the Senate.

The conferees are advised that since the funds are for the hire of personnel, the amount provided is the maximum that can be utilized in the transition quarter. A fiscal year 1977 budget amendment has been received to fund this activity on an annual basis.

## CHAPTER II

## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE—MILITARY

## OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE, NAVY

Amendment No. 16: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate placing a limitation on funds available in the period July 1, 1975, through September 30, 1976, for the alteration, overhaul and repair of naval vessels in Navy shipyards.

The text of the bill language agreed to by the conferees follows:

Provided, That appropriations available to the Navy for Operation and Maintenance during the period July 1, 1975,

through September 30, 1976, for the alternation, overhaul and repair of naval vessels shall be available in an amount not to exceed \$1,872,438,000 for the performance of such work in Navy shipyards.

PROCUREMENT

Procurement of Weapons and Tracked Combat Vehicles, Army Amendment Nos. 17 and 18: Insert headings as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 19: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate No. 19 providing that funds available in Fiscal Year 1976 shall be available for production of M60 series tanks. The conference agreement was made with the understanding that there will be full competition for the laser range finder/solid state computer and tooling to be procured for M60A3 tanks.

The text of the bill language agreed to by the conferees follows:

*Provided*, That \$365,600,000 of the funds appropriated under this heading for fiscal year 1976 in the Department of Defense Appropriation Act, 1976, shall be available only for the production of M60-series tanks.

Amendment No. 20: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate making funds appropriated for the period July 1, 1976, through September 30, 1976, available for the production of M60 series tanks. The conference agreement was made with the understanding that there will be full competition for the Laser range finder/solid state computer and tooling to be procured for M60A3 tanks.

The text of the bill language agreed to by the conferees follows:

*Provided*, That \$150,900,000 of the funds appropriated under this heading for the period July 1, 1976, through September 30, 1976, in the Department of Defense Appropriation Act, 1976, shall be available only for the production of M60-series tanks.

PROCUREMENT OF EQUIPMENT AND MISSILES, ARMY, 1971/1973

Amendment No. 21: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate No. 21 making \$147,800,000 available by transfer for the liquidation of obligations incurred and chargeable to the appropriation, "Procurement of Equipment and Missiles, Army, 1971/1973".

The text of the bill language agreed to by the conferees follows:

PROCUREMENT OF EQUIPMENT AND MISSILES, ARMY, 1971/1973

(LIQUIDATION OF DEFICIENCIES)

For an additional amount for "Procurement of equipment and missiles, Army, 1971/1973," for liquidation of obligations incurred and chargeable to that account, \$147,800,000, to be

derived by transfer from "Procurement of ammunition, Army, 1975/1977," \$118,000,000, from "Procurement of aircraft, Army, 1976/1978," \$5,800,000, and from "Other procurement, Army, 1976/1978," \$24,000,000.

PROCUREMENT OF AMMUNITION, ARMY, 1973/1975

Amendment No. 22: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate No. 22 making \$50 million available by transfer for liquidation of obligations incurred and chargeable to the appropriation, "Procurement of Ammunition, Army, 1973/1975".

The text of the bill language agreed to by the conferees follows:

PROCUREMENT OF AMMUNITION, ARMY, 1973/1975

(LIQUIDATION OF DEFICIENCIES)

For an additional amount for "Procurement of ammunition, Army, 1973/1975," for liquidation of obligations incurred and chargeable to that account, to be derived by transfer from "Procurement of ammunition, Army, 1974/1976," \$50,000,000.

OTHER PROCUREMENT, ARMY, 1972/1974

Amendment No. 23: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate No. 23 making \$17,200,000 available by transfer for liquidation of obligations incurred and chargeable to the appropriation, "Other Procurement, Army, 1972/1974".

The text of the bill language agreed to by the conferees follows:

OTHER PROCUREMENT, ARMY, 1972/1974

(LIQUIDATION OF DEFICIENCIES)

For an additional amount for "Other procurement, Army, 1972/1974," for liquidation of obligations incurred and chargeable to that account, \$17,200,000, to be derived by transfer from "Procurement of missiles, Army, 1976/1978," \$9,800,000, and from "Procurement of weapons and tracked combat vehicles, Army, 1976/1978," \$7,400,000.

SHIPBUILDING AND CONVERSION, NAVY

Amendment No. 24: Deletes language proposed by the Senate appropriating \$213,000,000 for the conversion of the U.S.S. Belknap. The managers are in agreement that the Belknap conversion be funded in fiscal year 1977 and that the action taken is without prejudice to the program. The funds were deleted because of the lack of authorization at this time and because the necessary design work has not been completed.

## RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST AND EVALUATION

## RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST AND EVALUATION, NAVY

Amendment No. 25: Appropriates \$8,000,000 for development of contract design for conversion of the U.S.S. Belknap as proposed by the Senate.

## CHAPTER III—FOREIGN OPERATIONS

## FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE PRESIDENT

Amendment No. 26: Inserts center heading as proposed by the Senate.

## FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

## INTERNATIONAL DISASTER ASSISTANCE

Amendment No. 27: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate which is as follows:

## FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

## INTERNATIONAL DISASTER ASSISTANCE

For an additional amount for "International disaster assistance", \$25,000,000, notwithstanding section 10 of Public Law 91-672.

These funds will be used to assist victims of the recent earthquakes in Italy.

Amendment No. 28: Deletes language proposed by the Senate which would have provided \$20,000,000 for emergency relief, rehabilitation, and humanitarian assistance to the people of Lebanon.

The managers have deleted these funds, without prejudice, pending consideration by the appropriate Committees of the issues involved.

## INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE

## MULTILATERAL ASSISTANCE

PAYMENT TO INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR  
AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT

Amendment No. 29: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment, insert the following:

## INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE

## MULTILATERAL ASSISTANCE

PAYMENT TO INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR  
AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT

For payment to the International Fund for Agricultural Development, as authorized by section 103(e) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, \$200,000,000, to remain available until expended: Provided, That the funds made available in this paragraph shall not be obligated or expended until proper justification of the obligation or expenditure of such funds is provided to the Committees on Appropriations of the Senate and the House of Representatives.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

## INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

## INVESTMENT IN AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT FUND

Amendment No. 30: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate which is as follows:

## INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

## INVESTMENT IN AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT FUND

For payment by the Secretary of the Treasury of a United States contribution to the African Development Fund, \$5,000,000, to remain available until expended: Provided, That this appropriation shall be available only upon enactment into law of authorizing legislation.

## CHAPTER IV—INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

## EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

## OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 31: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 32: Appropriates \$500,000 for salaries and expenses of the Office of Science and Technology Policy as proposed by the Senate, but deletes the provision making the funds contingent upon the enactment of authorizing legislation inasmuch as this has now been accomplished.

Amendment No. 33: Appropriates \$500,000 for salaries and expenses of the Office of Science and Technology Policy for the period July 1, 1976, through September 30, 1976, as proposed by the Senate, but deletes the contingency proviso.

## CHAPTER V

### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

#### BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Amendment No. 34: Appropriates \$23,010,000 for management of lands and resources as proposed by the Senate instead of \$24,010,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 35: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate which appropriates \$400,000 for construction and maintenance.

#### BUREAU OF OUTDOOR RECREATION

Amendment No. 36: Appropriates \$8,900,000 for land and water conservation fund instead of \$3,800,000 as proposed by the House and \$9,150,000 as proposed by the Senate. The increase above the amount proposed by the House includes \$3,500,000 for Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, Michigan, and \$1,600,000 for Chickasaw National Recreation Area, Oklahoma.

#### UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

Amendment No. 37: Appropriates \$267,000 for resource management, instead of \$585,000 as proposed by the Senate. The amount includes \$117,000 for management of the Kofa, Charles M. Russell and Charles Sheldon Game Ranges, and \$150,000 for a pilot "lure crop" program in North Dakota. The managers are in agreement that the amount provided for lure crops is for a pilot program and in no way commits future Federal funding for this program.

Amendment No. 38: Appropriates \$1,605,000 for construction and anadromous fish as proposed by the House instead of \$2,035,000 as proposed by the Senate.

#### NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

Amendment No. 39: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 40: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 41: Appropriates \$3,875,000 for operation of the national park system as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 42: Appropriates \$875,000 for operation of the national park system, for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 43: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate which appropriates \$242,000 for planning and construction.

### GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

Amendment No. 44: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 45: Appropriates \$600,000 for surveys, investigations and research as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 46: Appropriates \$175,000 for surveys, investigations and research, for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate.

### MINING ENFORCEMENT AND SAFETY ADMINISTRATION

Amendment No. 47: Appropriates \$3,090,000 for salaries and expenses instead of \$2,943,000 as proposed by the House and \$3,215,000 as proposed by the Senate. The net increase over the amount proposed by the House includes an increase of \$150,000 for operation of a mining training center in Lexington, Kentucky, an increase of \$140,000 to cover additional costs resulting from the Scotia mine disaster, and a decrease of \$143,000 for purchase and maintenance of additional motor vehicles.

### BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Amendment No. 48: Appropriates \$13,250,000 for operation of Indian programs instead of \$12,250,000 as proposed by the House and \$14,250,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 49: Deletes language proposed by the Senate prohibiting the reduction, discontinuance or relocation of the Indian Education Resource Center in Albuquerque, N.M. While the managers are in agreement that the Center should not be closed, they also feel the Bureau of Indian Affairs should have the administrative flexibility to improve the operation of Indian education programs. The BIA must have the authority to shift positions from the Albuquerque office to Washington should sound management practices warrant such a transfer.

Amendment No. 50: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate which provides that, within available funds, the Bureau of Indian Affairs shall repair and rehabilitate the North Slope Borough School to bring it in conformance with life and safety code standards.

Amendment No. 51: Appropriates \$6,750,000 for construction as proposed by the Senate instead of \$5,250,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 52: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate which appropriates \$10,000,000 for road construction (liquidation of contract authority).

Amendment No. 53: Appropriates \$1,600,000 for Alaska native fund as proposed by the Senate.

### OFFICE OF TERRITORIAL AFFAIRS

Amendment No. 54: Appropriates \$5,740,000 for administration of territories as proposed by the Senate instead of \$4,740,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 55: Appropriates \$9,134,000 for Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands as proposed by the Senate instead of \$10,134,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 56: Inserts language proposed by the Senate which provides that not to exceed \$1,500,000 shall be available for the Mariana Islands transition.

#### RELATED AGENCIES

##### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—FOREST SERVICE

Amendment No. 57: Appropriates \$115,997,000 for forest land management as proposed by the Senate instead of \$115,700,000 as proposed by the House.

##### ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION

Amendment No. 58: Inserts heading and appropriates \$16,000,000 for operating expenses, fossil fuels, instead of \$20,000,000 as proposed by the Senate. The amount provided in the conference agreement includes \$8,000,000 for solvent refined coal pilot plant, \$5,000,000 for atmospheric fluidized-bed boiler, and \$3,000,000 for fluidized bed combined cycle pilot plant.

##### FEDERAL ENERGY ADMINISTRATION

Amendment No. 59: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 60: Appropriates \$10,085,000 for salaries and expenses instead of \$13,282,000 as proposed by the Senate. The amount provided in the conference agreement includes \$1,869,000 for policy and analysis, \$4,606,000 for regulatory programs, \$4,039,000 for conservation and environment, and a transfer of \$429,000 to strategic petroleum reserve.

The managers are in agreement that none of the funds appropriated for FEA may be used to establish a separate Office of Nuclear Affairs as proposed by FEA in the Supplemental budget estimate. The managers still believe, as indicated in House Report 94-701, that such an office is unnecessary and would duplicate work done by existing offices in FEA.

Amendment No. 61: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate with an amendment appropriating \$7,000,000 for salaries and expenses, for the transition period, instead of \$11,000,000 as proposed by the Senate. The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

Amendment No. 62: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 63: Appropriates \$313,375,000 for strategic petroleum reserve as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 64: Appropriates \$600,000 for strategic petroleum reserve, for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate.

#### INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE

Amendment No. 65: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 66: Appropriates \$3,000,000 for Indian health services as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 67: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate which appropriates \$250,000 for Indian health facilities.

#### SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

Amendment No. 68: Appropriates \$1,665,000 for salaries and expenses, instead of \$1,365,000 as proposed by the House and \$2,165,000 as proposed by the Senate.

The managers are in agreement that the amount provided above the House allowance is for contingency only and that the Smithsonian Institution shall utilize available operating funds, primarily those available in the so-called Secretary's reserve fund that have been withheld from appropriations for salaries and expenses, to honor fully all commitments and contracts involved in the planned Native American, African Diaspora, and foreign ethnic group tours for which there is an estimated funding deficit of \$800,000. Should it be necessary to utilize the contingency appropriation provided in the bill, the Secretary is directed to submit a detailed justification to the Committees on Appropriations of the House and the Senate. The managers concur in the directive of the Senate Committee relating to a complete report on the Institution's funding arrangements for these programs.

#### FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE PRESIDENT

Amendment No. 69: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 70: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate which appropriates \$24,152,000 for petroleum reserves.

Amendment No. 71: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate which appropriates \$15,350,000 for petroleum reserves, for the transition period.

### CHAPTER VI

#### DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

##### EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS ADMINISTRATION

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 72: Appropriates \$260,000 as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$100,000, as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 73: Appropriates \$445,000 for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$281,000, as proposed by the House.

## DEPARTMENTAL MANAGEMENT

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 74: Appropriates \$5,060,000, instead of \$60,000, as proposed by the House, and \$10,060,000, as proposed by the Senate. The managers are in agreement that the Department of Labor should continue direct funding of the High School Equivalency Program and the College Assistance Migrant Program until the Congress has had an opportunity to act on Labor-HEW appropriations for fiscal year 1977.

Amendment No. 75: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the Senate amendment, amended to read as follows:

*Provided*, That \$5,000,000 shall remain available until September 30, 1977 to carry out activities of the Mountain-Plains Family Education and Employment Program authorized by title III of the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act of 1973:

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

Amendment No. 76: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the Senate amendment, which inserts language to provide that the funds for the Mountain-Plains Family Education and Employment Program shall be transferred through the Old West Regional Commission.

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

## CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL

## PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

Amendment No. 77: Deletes paragraph inserted by the Senate which would have appropriated \$16,900,000 for immunization programs and \$9,000,000 for carrying out lead-based paint poisoning prevention activities.

The conferees are agreed that the immunization programs are vital to the well-being of the children of this country. Immunization levels are dangerously low for many childhood diseases such as rubella, polio, measles, mumps, diphtheria, pertussis and tetanus which constitute a health hazard to millions of our children. If the proper immunization programs were to be conducted, millions of dollars could be saved by this preventive health measure—not to mention the suffering, permanent disability and even death which would be avoided.

Further, the conferees note the immunization programs have not been authorized for some time and it is vital that the proper legislation be enacted for immunization and other preventive health service programs so that rational efforts can be initiated.

## ALCOHOL, DRUG ABUSE, AND MENTAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

## ALCOHOL, DRUG ABUSE, AND MENTAL HEALTH

Amendment No. 78: Appropriates \$32,690,000 for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate (instead of \$29,190,000, as proposed by the House.

## HEALTH RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION

## HEALTH RESOURCES

Amendment No. 79: Deletes language proposed by the House which would have amended the appropriation under this head in Public Law 94-206. Similar language is included in amendment No. 81.

Amendment No. 80: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the Senate amendment, amended to read as follows:

For an additional amount for "Health resources" \$4,000,000 to remain available until expended for the construction of a medical facility under section 305(b)(3) of the Public Health Service Act without regard to the requirements of section 308.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

Amendment No. 81: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate, amended to read as follows:

For carrying out titles IX and XV of the Public Health Service Act, \$22,500,000, to be derived by transfer from funds appropriated under this head in Public Law 94-206 for carrying out title XVI of the Public Health Service Act: Provided, That \$10,000,000 for carrying out title IX shall remain available until expended, notwithstanding the limitations of section 5(a)(2) of Public Law 93-641: Provided further, That the appropriation under this head in Public Law 94-206 for fiscal year 1976 is hereby amended by repealing the second proviso and by striking out "\$100,000,000 for Title XVI" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$51,760,000 for Title XVI."

The conferees agree that the additional \$10,000,000 which has been allowed for Regional Medical projects is for the transition of these programs into the new Health System Agencies. It is the understanding of the conferees that these funds will be sufficient to continue exemplary Regional Medical projects which are to be assimilated into the Health System Agencies.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

## OFFICE OF EDUCATION

## ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Amendment No. 82: Appropriates \$8,000,000 instead of the \$12,950,000 proposed by the Senate and earmarks \$6,800,000 for carrying out title VII of the Education Amendments of 1974 instead of the \$9,300,000 proposed by the Senate and \$1,200,000 for carrying out section 721(b)(3) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, instead of the \$3,650,000 proposed by the Senate.

The managers are agreed that, of the additional \$6,800,000 provided for carrying out the "Right to Read" program, \$4,800,000 is for assistance to State education agencies for developing reading programs, and \$2,000,000 is to support the inexpensive book distribution program for reading motivation as authorized under P.L. 94-194 Section 726(G). Further, the conferees expect that Reading is Fundamental, as a contractee under this program, shall be funded at the maximum level authorized under Section 726(G) of P.L. 94-194.

## SCHOOL ASSISTANCE IN FEDERALLY AFFECTED AREAS

Amendment No. 83: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the Senate amendment, amended to read as follows:

For an additional amount for "School assistance in Federally affected areas", \$24,000,000, to remain available until expended only for payments under subparagraphs (A), (B), (C), and (D) of section 305 of the Education Amendments of 1974.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

Amendment No. 84: Inserts limitation of \$15,000,000 on payments under section 6 of title I of the Act of September 30, 1950, as proposed by the Senate.

## EMERGENCY SCHOOL AID

Amendment No. 85: Appropriates \$30,000,000 to carry out the provisions of Section 708(a) of the Emergency School Aid Act, instead of the \$50,000,000 proposed by the Senate, and deletes legislative language proposed by the Senate. The conferees expect that the entire amount will be distributed to emergency impact areas.

## SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICE

## PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Amendment No. 86: Appropriates \$2,237,000,000, as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$1,988,967,000, as proposed by the House.

## ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

## HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Amendment No. 87: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the Senate amendment, amended to read as follows:

and the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, \$146,975,000 of which \$2,465,000 under section 304(b)(3) of the Rehabilitation Act shall remain available until expended.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

The increase of \$7,165,000 over the amount proposed by the House includes \$1,100,000 for a new vocational training service project such as the Seattle Handicapped Center and other Centers in the Pacific Northwest, \$2,465,000 for construction of a recreation complex for the handicapped in West Virginia, and \$3,800,000 to fund a Statewide aging demonstration project in the State of Washington.

Amendment No. 88: Appropriates \$50,150,000 for the transition period, of which \$5,000,000 shall be available for carrying out title V of the Older Americans Act, as proposed by the House, instead of appropriating \$55,150,000, of which \$10,000,000 shall be available for carrying out title V, as proposed by the Senate.

## RELATED AGENCIES

## CORPORATION FOR PUBLIC BROADCASTING

## PUBLIC BROADCASTING FUND

Amendment No. 89: Deletes House language providing that none of the funds appropriated under this Act to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting may be used for entertainment purposes, as proposed by the Senate.

Although the language in the House bill pertaining to use of funds for entertainment purposes has been deleted, the conferees are in agreement that the Corporation should not use Federal funds to pay for receptions, parties, and similar forms of entertainment.

## CHAPTER VII

## LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

## SENATE

Amendment Nos. 90 through 115: Reported in technical disagreement. Inasmuch as these amendments relate solely to the Senate and in accordance with long practice, under which each body determines its own housekeeping requirements, and the other concurs without intervention, the managers on the part of the House will offer motions to recede and concur in the Senate amendments Nos. 90 through 115.

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## PAYMENTS TO WIDOWS AND HEIRS OF DECEASED MEMBERS OF CONGRESS

Amendment No. 116: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate appropriating \$44,600 as a gratuity to the estate of William A. Barrett, late a Representative from the State of Pennsylvania.

## CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE HOUSE

Amendments Nos. 117 and 118: Insert heading and appropriate \$1,000,000 for fiscal year 1976 for "Special and select committees" as proposed by the Senate at the request of the House.

Amendments Nos. 119 through 121: Insert heading and appropriate \$400,000 for fiscal year 1976 and \$250,000 for the transition period for "Reporting hearings" as proposed by the Senate at the request of the House.

## JOINT ITEMS

## JOINT COMMITTEE ON PRINTING

Amendment No. 122: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate providing that prior to the employment of any consultants or the procurement of services by contract relative to any review and analysis of the Government Printing Office, the Joint Committee shall consult with the Legislative Branch Appropriations Subcommittees of the House and Senate, and that periodic reports on the progress of any such review and analysis be submitted to the Joint Committee on Printing and the Legislative Branch Appropriations Subcommittees of the House and Senate.

## JOINT COMMITTEE ON INAUGURAL CEREMONIES OF 1977

Amendment No. 123: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate appropriating \$825,000, to remain available until September 30, 1977, for construction of platform and seating stands and for salaries and expenses of conducting the inaugural ceremonies of the President and Vice President of the United States on January 20, 1977.

## AMERICAN INDIAN POLICY REVIEW COMMISSION

Amendment No. 124: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate providing that not to exceed \$100,000 of the funds heretofore appropriated under this heading for the fiscal year 1976 shall remain available until June 30, 1977.

## CAPITOL GUIDE SERVICE

Amendment No. 125: Inserts heading.

Amendment No. 126: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate with an amendment as follows:

For an additional amount for "Capitol Guide Service," \$37,100, to be disbursed by the Secretary of the Senate: Provided, That notwithstanding the provisions of Public Law 94-59, the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate and the Sergeant at Arms of the House each, subject to approval of the Capitol Guide Board, may appoint not to exceed ten additional temporary guides at an annual rate of compensation not to exceed \$11,130 during the period May 1, 1976, through September 30, 1976.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

Amendment No. 127: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate with an amendment as follows:

For an additional amount for "Capitol Guide Service" for the period July 1, 1976, through September 30, 1976, \$55,650, to be disbursed by the Secretary of the Senate.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

## OFFICE OF TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Amendment No. 128: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate providing that any funds remaining unobligated as of September 30, 1976, shall remain available until September 30, 1977.

## ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL

Amendment No. 129: Appropriates \$201,000 for "Contingent expenses" as proposed by the Senate instead of \$184,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 130: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate repealing the paragraph under the heading "Construction of an Extension to the New Senate Office Building" in title V of the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1976 (89 Stat. 289).

## LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

Amendments Nos. 131 through 133: Appropriate \$130,000 for "Salaries and expenses, Copyright Office," as proposed by the Senate instead of \$266,000 as proposed by the House; insert the words "studies for" copyright revision planning, as proposed by the Senate, and delete the proviso that this appropriation shall be available only upon enactment into law of S. 22 or equivalent legislation as proposed by the Senate.

## CHAPTER VIII

## ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION

Amendment No. 134: Adds heading.

## OPERATING EXPENSES

Amendment No. 135: Appropriates \$17,000,000 for the period July 1, 1976, through September 30, 1976, as proposed by the Senate.

## PLANT AND CAPITAL EQUIPMENT

Amendment No. 136: Appropriates \$12,630,000 to "Plant and capital equipment" to be derived by transfer from "Operating expenses," as proposed by the Senate.

## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE—CIVIL

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY, CORPS OF ENGINEERS—CIVIL

## CONSTRUCTION, GENERAL

Amendment No. 137: Appropriates \$4,000,000, as proposed by the Senate.

The Managers agree with the language contained in the Senate report.

## FLOOD CONTROL AND COASTAL EMERGENCIES

Amendment No. 138: Appropriates \$50,000,000 as proposed by the Senate instead of \$30,000,000 as proposed by the House.

## INDEPENDENT OFFICES

## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 139: Adds heading.

Amendment No. 140: Reported in technical disagreement. The Managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate providing language which reads as follows:

The appropriations made available under this head for the fiscal year 1976 and the period July 1, 1976, through September 30, 1976, in the Public Works for Water and Power Development and Energy Research Appropriation Act, 1976 (Public Law 94-180) are hereby made available until expended.

Amendment No. 141: Reported in technical disagreement. The Managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate providing language which reads as follows:

Moneys received by the Commission for the cooperative nuclear safety research program may be retained and used for salaries and expenses associated with that program and shall remain available until expended.

## CHAPTER IX

## DEPARTMENT OF STATE, INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND CONFERENCES

## CONTRIBUTIONS TO INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Amendment No. 142: Appropriates \$29,090,000 for the transition period as proposed by the Senate instead of \$3,188,000 as proposed by the House. The increase of \$25,902,000 over the House amount is for payment of assessments due to the International Labor Organization.

## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendments Nos. 143 through 146: Insert headings and appropriate \$20,000 for fiscal year 1976 and \$20,000 for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate.

## LEGAL ACTIVITIES

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES, GENERAL LEGAL ACTIVITIES

Amendments Nos. 147 through 150: Insert headings and appropriate \$150,000 for fiscal year 1976 and \$90,000 for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate.

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES, ANTITRUST DIVISION

Amendments Nos. 151 through 153: Insert heading and appropriate \$40,000 for fiscal year 1976 and \$20,000 for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate.

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES, U.S. ATTORNEYS AND MARSHALS

Amendments Nos. 154 through 156: Insert heading and appropriate \$564,000 for fiscal year 1976 and \$1,000,000 for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate.

## FEES AND EXPENSES OF WITNESSES

Amendment No. 157: Inserts heading.

Amendment No. 158: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate appropriating \$350,000 for fiscal year 1976 and deleting an existing limitation of \$1,750,000 on compensation and expenses of expert witnesses.

Amendment No. 159: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate appropriating \$90,000 for the transition period and deleting an existing limitation of \$437,500 on compensation and expenses of expert witnesses.

#### FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 160: Appropriates \$4,158,000 for fiscal year 1976 as proposed by the Senate.

#### IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 161: Appropriates \$1,000,000 for fiscal year 1976 as proposed by the Senate.

#### FEDERAL PRISON SYSTEM

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES, BUREAU OF PRISONS

Amendments Nos. 162 through 164: Insert headings and appropriate \$3,500,000 for fiscal year 1976 and \$642,000 for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate.

#### DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendments Nos. 165 through 167: Insert heading and appropriate \$2,000,000 for fiscal year 1976 and \$400,000 for the transition period, as proposed by the Senate.

#### DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

##### PERIODIC CENSUSES AND PROGRAMS

Amendment No. 168: Appropriates \$1,280,000 for fiscal year 1976 as proposed by the Senate instead of \$1,000,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 169: Appropriates \$1,520,000 for the transition period as proposed by the Senate instead of \$1,100,000 as proposed by the House.

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Amendment No. 170: Inserts heading.

#### OPERATIONS, RESEARCH, AND FACILITIES

Amendment No. 171: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will move to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate with an amendment as follows:

#### OPERATIONS, RESEARCH, AND FACILITIES

For an additional amount for "Operations, research, and facilities", for the period July 1, 1976 through September 30, 1976, \$2,000,000, to remain available until expended.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

These funds are provided to begin implementation of Public Law 94-265, the Fisheries Management and Conservation Act of 1976. This legislation, known as the 200-mile limit bill, was enacted to conserve and manage the fisheries resources found off the coasts of the United States and the anadromous and Continental Shelf fisheries resources of the United States by establishing a fishery conservation zone within which the United States will assume exclusive management responsibility, except for highly migratory fisheries species, and by declaring fisheries management responsibility and authority beyond the zone with respect to anadromous species and Continental Shelf fisheries resources. The funds provided are to be used for establishing regional fisheries management councils required by the Act, marine boundary surveys, preliminary planning for ship construction and ship upgrading, upgrading of the *Albatross IV*, reviewing international fisheries agreements, and implementing fisheries management plans.

#### OFFSHORE SHRIMP FISHERIES FUND

Amendment No. 172: Appropriates \$270,000 as proposed by the Senate.

#### RELATED AGENCIES

#### FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 173: Inserts heading.

Amendment No. 174: Appropriates \$108,000 for fiscal year 1976 instead of \$130,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 175: Appropriate \$122,000 for the transition period as proposed by the Senate.

#### PRIVACY PROTECTION STUDY COMMISSION

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 176: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate appropriating \$250,000 to be available only upon enactment of authorizing legislation.

#### CHAPTER X

#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

##### OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Amendment No. 177: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur

in the amendment of the Senate to earmark \$244,673 of the fiscal year 1976 appropriation for transportation planning, research, and development for a study by the Georgia Institute of Technology.

#### COAST GUARD

Amendment No. 178: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate with an amendment which reads as follows:

In lieu of the sum named in said amendment insert: \$10,000,000.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

#### FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION

Amendment No. 179: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate to appropriate \$2,500,000 for facilities, engineering and development.

#### FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION

Amendment No. 180: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 181: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate to appropriate \$3,000,000 for fiscal year 1976 for railroad research and development.

Amendment No. 182: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate to appropriate \$2,000,000 for the transition period for railroad research and development.

Amendment No. 183: Appropriates \$250,000,000 for necessary expenses under the provisions of section 210(f) of the Regional Rail Reorganization Act of 1973 instead of \$236,000,000 as proposed by the House and \$266,380,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 184: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate with an amendment which reads as follows:

; together with \$13,880,000 for rail service assistance programs authorized by section 803 of Public Law 94-210 and section 402 of Public Law 93-236, as amended, and for necessary administrative expenses in connection with Federal assistance not otherwise provided for; together with \$1,250,000 for the necessary expenses of the minority resource center as authorized by section 906 of Public Law 94-210.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

Amendment No. 185: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate to appropriate \$6,400,000 for the transition period for rail service continuation subsidies under section 402

(i) of the Regional Rail Reorganization Act of 1973 and \$300,000 for administrative expenses.

The conferees direct that none of the funds provided in the accompanying bill should be used for the rail freight services division in connection with the program implementation, administration or processing of applications for the obligation guarantee program authorized by section 511 of P.L. 94-210. These expenses will be considered together with budget requests for railroad rehabilitation and improvement financing authorized by title V of P.L. 94-210.

#### URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION ADMINISTRATION

Amendment No. 186: Appropriates \$86,000,000 for liquidation of contract authorization as proposed by the Senate instead of \$100,000,000 as proposed by the House and limits obligations against contract authority for interstate substitutions under 23. U.S.C. 103(e) (4) to \$444,000,000 as proposed by the Senate instead of \$632,000,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 187: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate with an amendment which reads as follows:

#### PROJECTS SUBSTITUTED FOR INTERSTATE SYSTEM PROJECTS

For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions of title 23, U.S.C. 103(e) (4), \$188,000,000 to remain available until expended, *Provided*, That such amounts as are necessary to carry out highway projects substituted for Interstate System segments shall be transferred to the Federal Highway Administration.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

The conferees do not desire or intend to arbitrarily stop or delay the construction of the Metro system. However, in view of the fact that the funding mechanism for this system has been changed to primarily interstate substitutions, the conferees believe that the same analyses that are required for both UMTA interstate substitutions and capital grants should be conducted for selected unbuilt segments of the Metro system. The conferees expect, therefore, that UMTA, in cooperation with WMATA, will identify those segments for which an analysis of alternatives should be conducted and that no interstate substitution funding will be made available for those segments prior to the completion of such an analysis.

#### RELATED AGENCIES

#### INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

Amendment No. 188: Appropriates \$1,700,000 for salaries and expenses for fiscal year 1976 instead of \$1,540,000 as proposed by the House and \$1,800,000 as proposed by the Senate. The amount provided is intended to cover the cost of 20 positions for the office of rail public counsel and 20 positions for other ICC bureaus and offices.

Amendment No. 189: Earmarks \$186,000 of the appropriation for salaries and expenses for the office of rail public counsel instead of \$100,000 as proposed by the House and \$273,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 190: Appropriates \$1,295,000 for salaries and expenses for the transition period instead of \$1,180,000 as proposed by the House and \$1,450,000 as proposed by the Senate.

The amount provided is intended to cover the cost of 20 positions for the office of rail public counsel and 20 positions for other ICC bureaus and offices.

Amendment No. 191: Earmarks \$225,000 of the appropriation for salaries and expenses for the office of rail public counsel instead of \$100,000 as proposed by the House and \$410,000 as proposed by the Senate.

#### UNITED STATES RAILWAY ASSOCIATION

Amendment No. 192: Appropriates \$6,500,000 for administrative expenses instead of \$6,000,000 as proposed by the House and \$6,700,000 as proposed by the Senate.

### CHAPTER XI

#### DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 193: Inserts center heading.

Amendment No. 194: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate. This amendment increases the limitation on travel by \$180,000. No additional funding will be required.

Amendment No. 195: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate. This amendment increases the limitation on travel by \$45,000. No additional funding will be required.

##### U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE

Amendment 196: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate with an amendment appropriating \$9,600,000 for salaries and expenses instead of \$5,600,000 as proposed by the House and \$4,000,000 as proposed by the Senate.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

Amendment No. 197: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate with an amendment appropriating \$3,800,000 for the Transition period instead of \$3,100,000 as proposed by the House and \$700,000 as proposed by the Senate.

The managers on the part of the Senate will move to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate.

#### BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC DEBT

Amendment No. 198: Appropriates \$3,869,000 for administering the public debt as proposed by the Senate instead of \$6,493,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 199: Appropriates \$1,410,000 for the Transition period as proposed by the Senate instead of \$2,078,000 as proposed by the House.

##### U.S. SECRET SERVICE

Amendment No. 200: Appropriates \$6,000,000 for salaries and expenses and provides for purchase of ten motor vehicles as proposed by the Senate. This appropriation is for candidate and foreign dignitary protection.

Amendment No. 201: Inserts language as proposed by the Senate to conform the appropriation language to existing law.

Amendment No. 202: Appropriates \$1,700,000 for the Transition period as proposed by the Senate.

##### U.S. POSTAL SERVICE

##### PAYMENT TO THE POSTAL SERVICE FUND

Amendment No. 203: Appropriates \$121,231,000 as proposed by the Senate instead of \$119,642,000 as proposed by the House.

##### EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

##### OFFICE OF DRUG ABUSE POLICY

Amendment No. 204: Appropriates \$250,000 for salaries and expenses as proposed by the Senate.

##### NATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE OBSERVANCE OF INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S YEAR, 1975

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 205: Deletes language proposed by the House concerning influencing the passage of legislation by the Commission and adds language to prohibit the use of funds for lobbying activities.

##### NATIONAL COMMISSION ON SUPPLIES AND SHORTAGES

Amendment No. 206: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate. This amendment appropriates \$125,000 for salaries and expenses for the Advisory Committee pursuant to Public Law 93-426.

## CHAPTER XII

## CLAIMS AND JUDGMENTS

Amendments No. 207 and 208: Insert Senate Document numbers and appropriates an additional \$31,713,748 for claims and judgments pursuant to further budget estimates transmitted to the Senate.

TITLE II—INCREASED PAY COSTS FOR FISCAL  
YEAR 1976

## SENATE

Amendments Nos. 209 through 214: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer motions to recede and concur in the amendments of the Senate Nos. 209 through 214 inserting a center heading and appropriating \$22,870 for "Office of the Legislative Counsel of the Senate", \$29,410 for "Senate policy committees", \$587,685 for "Inquiries and investigations", \$3,250 for "Folding documents", and \$4,450 for "Miscellaneous items" as proposed by the Senate and which relate solely to Senate housekeeping items.

## JOINT ITEMS

Amendment No. 215: Deletes \$20,415 for "Joint Committee on Atomic Energy" as proposed by the Senate.

## ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL

Amendment No. 216: Appropriates \$322,000 for "Senate office buildings" as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 217: Appropriates \$7,000 for "Senate garage" as proposed by the Senate.

## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Amendment No. 218: Provides that \$221,000 for insect and disease control, Forest Service, shall remain available until expended.

## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE—MILITARY

## MILITARY PERSONNEL

Amendment No. 219: Appropriates \$161,500,000 for Military Personnel, Navy, as proposed by the Senate instead of \$171,500,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 220: Appropriates \$155,227,000 for Military Personnel, Air Force as proposed by the Senate instead of \$168,227,000 as proposed by the House.

## OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Amendment No. 221: Appropriates \$218,850,000 for Operation and Maintenance, Army instead of \$244,300,000 as proposed by the House and \$193,400,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 222: Appropriates \$21,400,000 for Operation and Maintenance, Marine Corps as proposed by the Senate instead of \$22,700,000 as proposed by the House.

## RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST AND EVALUATION

Amendment No. 223: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 224: Appropriates \$9,185,000 for Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Army instead of \$18,371,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 225: Appropriates \$10,900,000 for Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation, Navy instead of \$21,800,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 226: Appropriates \$7,645,000 for Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation, Air Force instead of \$15,290,000 as proposed by the Senate.

## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 227: Appropriates \$1,125,000 as proposed by the Senate instead of \$900,000 as proposed by the House.

## NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

Amendment No. 228: Deletes appropriation of \$91,000 for "Salaries and expenses", as proposed by the Senate.

TITLE III—INCREASED PAY COSTS FOR THE PERIOD  
JULY 1, 1976, THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 1976

## SENATE

Amendments Nos. 229 through 235: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer motions to recede and concur in the amendments of the Senate Nos. 229 through 235 inserting a center heading and appropriating \$1,342,925 for "Salaries, officers and employees", \$7,625 for "Office of the Legislative Counsel of the Senate", \$9,805 for "Senate policy committees", \$195,895 for "Inquiries and investigations", \$1,085 for "Folding documents", and \$1,485 for "Miscellaneous items" as proposed by the Senate and which relate solely to Senate housekeeping items.

## OFFICE OF TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Amendment No. 236: Deletes \$31,000 for "Salaries and expenses" as proposed by the Senate.

## RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST AND EVALUATION

Amendment No. 237: Inserts heading as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 238: Appropriates \$3,206,000 for Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Army instead of \$6,412,000 as proposed

by the Senate for the transition period July 1, 1976 through September 30, 1976.

Amendment No. 239: Appropriates \$3,700,000 for Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Navy instead of \$7,400,000 as proposed by the Senate for the transition period July 1, 1976 through September 30, 1976.

Amendment No. 240: Appropriates \$2,926,000 for Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force instead of \$5,853,000 as proposed by the Senate for the transition period July 1, 1976 through September 30, 1976.

Other matters pertaining to Amendments Nos. 224, 225, 226, 238, 239, and 240: If additional amounts are required to meet pay raise requirements in Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation appropriations, such funds can be obtained by transfer under the authority of Section 733 of Public Law 94-212 without the prior approval of the Appropriations Committees. The House Report provided for this procedure.

#### VETERANS' ADMINISTRATION

Amendment No. 241: Appropriates \$4,266,000 for General operating expenses as proposed by the Senate instead of \$3,250,000 as proposed by the House.

#### FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Amendment No. 242: Appropriates \$310,000 as proposed by the Senate instead of \$200,000 as proposed by the House.

#### NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

Amendment No. 243: Deletes appropriation of \$33,000 for "Salaries and expenses", as proposed by the Senate.

### TITLE IV

#### GENERAL PROVISIONS

Amendment No. 244: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the Senate amendment, which inserts a new Section 405, repealing Section 307 of the Education Division and Related Agencies Appropriation Act, 1976 (Public Law 94-94). Section 307 provided that funds used to pay for contract services by profitmaking consultant firms or to support consultant appointments shall not exceed the fiscal year 1973 level, and required a report on fees in excess of \$25,000.

Amendment No. 245: Reported in technical disagreement. The managers on the part of the House will offer a motion to recede and concur in the amendment of the Senate which provides that none of the appropriations provided in this or any other Act may be paid to the Peoples Bicentennial Commission.

### CONFERENCE TOTAL—WITH COMPARISONS

The total new budget (obligational) authority for the fiscal year 1976 and the transition period recommended by the committee of conference, with comparisons to the 1976 budget estimates, and the House and Senate bills for 1976 follow:

Budget estimates of new (obligational) authority (as amended), fiscal year 1976.....	<sup>1</sup> \$9,920,681,850
Transition period.....	2,392,447,225
House bill, fiscal year 1976.....	8,133,161,167
Transition period.....	2,332,722,200
Senate bill, fiscal year 1976.....	9,716,514,420
Transition period.....	2,945,717,355
Conference agreement.....	9,393,791,970
Transition period.....	2,647,057,180
Conference agreement compared with:	
Budget estimates of new (obligational) authority (as amended), fiscal year 1976.....	-526,889,880
Transition period.....	+254,609,955
House bill, fiscal year 1976.....	+1,260,630,803
Transition period.....	+314,334,980
Senate bill, fiscal year 1976.....	-322,722,450
Transition period.....	-298,660,175

<sup>1</sup>Includes \$1,918,992,788 in budget estimates for fiscal year 1976 \$67,486,025 for the transition period not considered by the House.

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REPORT  
No. 94-802

## SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS BILL, 1976

MAY 6, 1976.—Ordered to be printed

Mr. McCLELLAN, from the Committee on Appropriations,  
submitted the following

### REPORT

together with

### ADDITIONAL VIEWS

[To accompany H.R. 13172]

The Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred the bill (H.R. 13172) making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976, and the period ending September 30, 1976, and for other purposes, reports the same to the Senate with various amendments and presents herewith information relative to the changes recommended.

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