

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

April 8, 1975

The President  
of the Senate

Sir:

I ask the Congress to consider a proposed supplemental appropriation for the fiscal year 1975 in the amount of \$7,970,000, for the Civil Service Commission.

The details of this proposal are set forth in the enclosed letter from the Director of the Office of Management and Budget. I concur in his comments and observations.

Respectfully,

*Gerald R. Ford*



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT  
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

April 8, 1975

The President

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Sir:

I have the honor to submit for your consideration a proposed supplemental appropriation for the fiscal year 1975, in the amount of \$7,970,000 for the Civil Service Commission as follows:

OTHER INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Payment to Civil Service Retirement  
and Disability Fund

For an additional amount for "Payment to the Civil Service Retirement and Disability Fund", \$7,970,000.

The proposed supplemental appropriation will provide for the first annual installment of the financing of the unfunded liability created in the Civil Service Retirement and Disability Fund by a fifth pay step being added to the rates of pay for wage board employees effective May 1, 1975, as required by Public Law 92-393. Pursuant to Public Law 91-93, the first payments into the fund for increases in unfunded liability are required to be made by the end of the fiscal year in which the pay or other benefit increases become effective.

I have carefully reviewed this proposed supplemental appropriation and am satisfied that it is necessary at this time. I recommend, therefore, that this proposal be transmitted to the Congress.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James T. Byrd". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.