

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 16, 2014

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The details of this action are set forth in the enclosed memorandum from the Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

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The Honorable John Boehner
Speaker of the
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Joseph R. Biden, Jr.
President of the Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510



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

December 16, 2014

THE DIRECTOR

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

Shawn Donovan
Director

SUBJECT:

Designation of Funding for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism

Section 6 of the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015 ("the Act"), provides that the availability of funding contained in the Act that is designated by the Congress for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended (BBEDCA), is contingent upon the President subsequently so designating all such amounts and transmitting such designations to the Congress.

These funds for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism cover the military and civilian costs necessary to achieve U.S. national security goals in Afghanistan, the broader Middle East, and other designated conflict zones and to address other emergent crises. I recommend that you designate for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism all funding (including the rescission of funds) and contributions from foreign governments so designated by the Congress in that Act pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of BBEDCA, as outlined in the enclosed list of accounts. Upon transmittal of these designations to the Congress, these funds will be immediately available for obligation and expenditure, unless otherwise restricted in the Act. No further congressional action will be required for this designation.

Division L of the Act provides continuing appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security. Funds for "Coast Guard, Operating Expenses" previously designated for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism in that division retain such designations.

The designation of these funds for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism allows for adjustments to the discretionary spending limits in Fiscal Year (FY) 2015, as specified in section 251(b)(2)(A) of BBEDCA. These adjustments will be reflected when the Office of Management and Budget submits its final sequestration report for FY 2015 under section 254(f) of BBEDCA.

I have reviewed this proposed action and am satisfied it is necessary at this time. Therefore, I recommend that you make the requested funds available by signing the attached letters to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate.

Attachments

**Accounts in the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015,
Designated by the President for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on
Terrorism**

Department of Defense

Military Personnel:

- Military Personnel, Army
- Military Personnel, Navy
- Military Personnel, Marine Corps
- Military Personnel, Air Force
- Reserve Personnel, Army
- Reserve Personnel, Navy
- Reserve Personnel, Marine Corps
- Reserve Personnel, Air Force
- National Guard Personnel, Army
- National Guard Personnel, Air Force

Operation and Maintenance:

- Operation and Maintenance, Army
- Operation and Maintenance, Navy
- Operation and Maintenance, Marine Corps
- Operation and Maintenance, Air Force
- Operation and Maintenance, Defense-Wide
- Operation and Maintenance, Army Reserve
- Operation and Maintenance, Navy Reserve
- Operation and Maintenance, Marine Corps Reserve
- Operation and Maintenance, Air Force Reserve
- Operation and Maintenance, Army National Guard
- Operation and Maintenance, Air National Guard
- Afghanistan Security Forces Fund
- Iraq Train and Equip Fund (including contributions)
- Counterterrorism Partnerships Fund
- European Reassurance Initiative

Procurement:

- Aircraft Procurement, Army
- Missile Procurement, Army
- Procurement of Weapons and Tracked Combat Vehicles, Army
- Procurement of Ammunition, Army
- Other Procurement, Army
- Aircraft Procurement, Navy
- Weapons Procurement, Navy
- Procurement of Ammunition, Navy and Marine Corps
- Other Procurement, Navy
- Procurement, Marine Corps
- Aircraft Procurement, Air Force

- Missile Procurement, Air Force
- Procurement of Ammunition, Air Force
- Other Procurement, Air Force
- Procurement, Defense-Wide
- National Guard and Reserve Equipment

Research, Development, Test and Evaluation:

- Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Army
- Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Navy
- Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force
- Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Defense-Wide

Revolving and Management Funds:

- Defense Working Capital Funds

Other Department of Defense Programs:

- Defense Health Program
- Drug Interdiction and Counter-Drug Activities, Defense
- Joint Improvised Explosive Device Defeat Fund
- Office of the Inspector General

Rescissions in Sec. 9013 of Title IX of Division C:

- Other Procurement, Army, 2013/2015
- Aircraft Procurement, Army, 2014/2016
- Afghanistan Security Forces Fund, 2014/2015

Contributions Pursuant to Sec. 9016 of Title IX of Division C:

- Operation and Maintenance, Army
- Operation and Maintenance, Navy
- Operation and Maintenance, Marine Corps
- Operation and Maintenance, Air Force
- Operation and Maintenance, Defense-Wide

Military Construction (including European Reassurance Initiative Military Construction):

- Military Construction, Army
- Military Construction, Air Force
- Military Construction, Defense-Wide

Department of State

Administration of Foreign Affairs:

- Diplomatic and Consular Programs
- Conflict Stabilization Operations
- Office of Inspector General
- Embassy Security, Construction, and Maintenance

International Organizations:

- Contributions to International Organizations

Related Agency

Broadcasting Board of Governors:

- International Broadcasting Operations

United States Agency for International Development

Funds Appropriated to the President:

- Operating Expenses

Bilateral Economic Assistance

Funds Appropriated to the President:

- International Disaster Assistance
- Transition Initiatives
- Complex Crises Fund
- Economic Support Fund

Department of State:

- Migration and Refugee Assistance

International Security Assistance

Department of State:

- International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement
- Nonproliferation, Anti-Terrorism, Demining and Related Programs
- Peacekeeping Operations

Funds Appropriated to the President:

- Foreign Military Financing Program