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Statement from OMB Director Shaun Donovan:

Budgetary Impact Analysis for Executive Order Entitled
“Half-Day Closing of Executive Departments and Agencies of the Federal Government
On Thursday, December 24, 2015”

This executive order closes executive departments and agencies of the Federal Government for half of a day on Thursday, December 24, 2015. Implementing this executive order is anticipated to increase costs to the Federal Government compared to Fiscal Year (FY) 2015, and have no impact on revenues to the Federal Government. The benefits of the executive order include recognizing the dedication of Federal employees serving the public, improving workforce morale, and valuing a family-friendly work environment. Implementing this executive order is anticipated to increase mandatory and discretionary obligations and outlays for this purpose in FY 2016 above FY 2015. However, this executive order is not anticipated to increase discretionary obligations and outlays overall, and the impact beyond FY 2016 will depend on the annual appropriations process. This executive order is anticipated to have no effect on revenues to the Federal Government in the 5-year fiscal period beginning in FY 2015. Agencies anticipated to be impacted by this executive order include all executive departments and agencies.