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Statement from OMB Director Shaun Donovan:

**Budgetary Impact Analysis for Executive Order Entitled  
“Amending the Civil Service Rules, Executive Order 13488, and Executive Order 13467 to  
Modernize the Executive Branch-Wide Governance Structure and Processes for Security  
Clearances, Suitability and Fitness for Employment, and Credentialing, and Related  
Matters”**

This executive order carries out the President’s direction to modernize the governance, authorities, roles, and responsibilities for the Executive branch process for conducting employment and security clearance background investigations. Implementing this executive order would have a de minimis impact on costs and revenues to the Federal Government. The benefits of this executive order include providing agencies with the needed structural changes to continue modernizing the background investigations process, and better enabling agencies to develop and adopt modern tools, such as continuous evaluation and automated records checks, to enhance investigations and protect against insider threats. Implementing this executive order would have a de minimis impact on personnel and on mandatory and discretionary obligations and outlays, as well as on revenues to the Federal Government, in the 5-fiscal year period beginning in fiscal year 2017. The agencies anticipated to be impacted by this executive order include all executive departments and agencies.