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Statement from OMB Director Shaun Donovan:

**Budgetary Impact Analysis for Executive Order Entitled
“Coordinating Efforts to Prepare the Nation for Space Weather Events”**

This executive order establishes a coordinated Federal approach to preparing the Nation for space weather events, which will require cooperation across multiple departments and agencies across the entire preparedness spectrum: from basic research to response and recovery operations. Implementing this executive order would have a de minimis impact on costs and revenues to the Federal Government. The benefits of the executive order include improved resilience to disruption or damage of critical infrastructure systems, including Federally- and privately-owned infrastructure, and improved space situational awareness for national security. Implementing this executive order would have a de minimis impact on mandatory and discretionary obligations and outlays, as well as on revenues to the Federal Government in the five-fiscal-year period beginning in fiscal year 2017. Agencies anticipated to be impacted by this Executive Order include the Departments of Defense, the Interior, Commerce, State, Transportation, Energy, and Homeland Security, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, the National Science Foundation, and the Executive Office of the President.