

SALARIES AND EXPENSES—Continued

Object Classification (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 61-0100-0-1-554	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Direct obligations:			
Personnel compensation:			
11.1 Full-time permanent	35	38	42
11.3 Other than full-time permanent	2	3	3
11.5 Other personnel compensation	1	1	1
11.9 Total personnel compensation	37	42	46
12.1 Civilian personnel benefits	9	10	11
21.0 Travel and transportation of persons	1	1	1
23.1 Rental payments to GSA	4	4	5
23.3 Communications, utilities, and miscellaneous charges	1	1	1
25.2 Other services	5	8	6
25.3 Other purchases of goods and services from Government accounts	3	11	7
25.7 Operation and maintenance of equipment	1	1	1
26.0 Supplies and materials	1	1	1
31.0 Equipment	1	1	1
99.0 Direct obligations	63	80	80
99.0 Reimbursable obligations	3	4	4
99.9 Total new obligations	66	84	84

Employment Summary

Identification code 61-0100-0-1-554	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Direct:			
1001 Civilian full-time equivalent employment	393	420	444

CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Federal Funds

OPERATING EXPENSES

(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

For necessary expenses for the Corporation for National and Community Service to carry out the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973 (42 U.S.C. 4950 et seq.) ("1973 Act") and the National and Community Service Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12501 et seq.) ("1990 Act"), [\$796,662,000, of which \$313,054,000 is to carry out the 1973 Act and \$483,608,000 is to carry out the 1990 Act] \$751,453,000: *Provided*, That \$24,205,000 of the amount provided under this heading shall remain available until September 30, 2009 to carry out subtitle E of the 1990 Act: *Provided further*, That up to 1 percent of program grant funds may be used to defray the costs of conducting grant application reviews, including the use of outside peer reviewers and electronic management of the grants cycle: *Provided further*, That none of the funds made available under this heading for activities authorized by section 122 and part E of title II of the 1973 Act shall be used to provide stipends or other monetary incentives to program participants or volunteer leaders whose incomes exceed the income guidelines in subsections 211(e) and 213(b) of the 1973 Act: *Provided further*, That notwithstanding subtitle H of title I of the 1990 Act, none of the funds provided for quality and innovation activities shall be used to support salaries and related expenses (including travel) attributable to Corporation for National and Community Service employees: *Provided further*, That, for fiscal year 2008 and thereafter, in addition to amounts otherwise provided to the National Service Trust under this heading, at no later than the end of the fifth fiscal year after the fiscal year for which funds are appropriated or otherwise made available, unobligated balances of appropriations available for grants under the National Service Trust Program under subtitle C of title I of the 1990 Act during such fiscal year may be transferred to the National Service Trust after notice is transmitted to Congress, if such funds are initially obligated before the expiration of their period of availability as provided in this Act: *Provided further*, That of the amounts provided under this heading: (1) [not less than \$124,718,000] \$132,110,000, to remain available until expended, [to] shall be transferred to the National Service Trust [for educational awards authorized under] to carry out subtitle D of title I of the 1990 Act: *Provided further*,

That [in addition to these funds,] the Corporation may transfer additional funds [from the amount provided for AmeriCorps grants under the National Service Trust Program,] under this heading to the National Service Trust authorized under subtitle D of title I of the 1990 Act, upon determination that such transfer is necessary to support the activities of national service participants and after notice is transmitted to the Congress; and (2) [not more than \$55,000,000 of funding provided for grants under the National Service Trust program authorized under subtitle C of title I of the 1990 Act may be used to administer, reimburse, or support any national service program authorized under section 129(d)(2) of such Act; (3) \$12,000,000] \$12,642,000 shall be to provide assistance to State commissions on national and community service, under section 126(a) of the 1990 Act and notwithstanding section 501(a)(4) of the 1990 Act; and (4) not less than \$5,000,000 shall be for the acquisition, renovation, equipping and startup costs for a campus located in Vinton, Iowa and a campus in Vicksburg, Mississippi to carry out subtitle E of title I of the 1990 Act]. (Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2008.)

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-2728-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Obligations by program activity:			
00.01 Learn and Serve		37	32
00.02 AmeriCorps*NCCC		17	16
00.03 AmeriCorps*State and National		257	274
00.04 AmeriCorps*VISTA		94	92
00.05 National Service Trust		123	132
00.06 State Comm. Admin. Grants		12	13
00.07 National Senior Service Corps		214	174
00.08 Innovation, Demon., and Assistance Act.		19	20
00.09 Evaluations		4	4
09.00 Reimbursable program		2	2
10.00 Total new obligations		779	759

Budgetary resources available for obligation:

21.40 Unobligated balance carried forward, start of year			6
22.00 New budget authority (gross)		785	753
23.90 Total budgetary resources available for obligation		785	759
23.95 Total new obligations		-779	-759
24.40 Unobligated balance carried forward, end of year		6	

New budget authority (gross), detail:

Discretionary:			
40.00 Appropriation		797	751
40.33 Appropriation permanently reduced (P.L. 110-161)		-14	
43.00 Appropriation (total discretionary)		783	751
58.00 Spending authority from offsetting collections: Offsetting collections (cash)		2	2
70.00 Total new budget authority (gross)		785	753

Change in obligated balances:

72.40 Obligated balance, start of year			534
73.10 Total new obligations		779	759
73.20 Total outlays (gross)		-245	-517
74.40 Obligated balance, end of year		534	776

Outlays (gross), detail:

86.90 Outlays from new discretionary authority		245	235
86.93 Outlays from discretionary balances			282
87.00 Total outlays (gross)		245	517

Offsets:

Against gross budget authority and outlays:			
Offsetting collections (cash) from:			
88.00 Federal sources		-1	-1
88.40 Non-Federal sources		-1	-1
88.90 Total, offsetting collections (cash)		-2	-2

Net budget authority and outlays:

89.00 Budget authority		783	751
90.00 Outlays		243	515

The Corporation for National and Community Service (Corporation) fosters civic engagement and responsibility by working with nonprofit organizations, faith-based groups, schools, and other civic organizations to engage Americans of all ages and backgrounds in community-based service that addresses educational, human, public safety, and environmental needs. In doing so, the Corporation strengthens the ties that bind us together as a people and provides educational opportunity for those who make a substantial commitment to service.

The 2009 Budget reflects the newly established Operating Expense account which combines the former Domestic Volunteer Service Program account and the National and Community Service Programs account, for national service programs authorized respectively under the National and Community Service Act and the Domestic Volunteer Service Act. These programs include:

Learn and Serve America.—Provides grants to schools, higher education institutions, and after-school programs to integrate service into their curricula. Service-learning aims to promote civic participation and volunteering from an early age.

AmeriCorps National Civilian Community Corps.—A residential national service program for people ages 14–24. The Budget funds 1,120 AmeriCorps NCCC members that will deploy to respond to disasters.

AmeriCorps State and National grants.—With funds both channeled through states and provided directly to community based organizations, AmeriCorps grants enable communities to recruit, train and place AmeriCorps members to meet critical community needs in education, public safety, health, and the environment. The Budget funds 67,000 AmeriCorps State and National members.

AmeriCorps Volunteers in Service to America.—The AmeriCorps VISTA program provides full-time members to community organizations and public agencies working to resolve local poverty-related problems in areas such as illiteracy, hunger, unemployment, substance abuse, homelessness, and lack of adequate health support. The Budget request funds 6,900 AmeriCorps VISTA members.

AmeriCorps National Service Trust.—The Trust serves as a secure repository for educational awards set aside for eligible participants in National Service programs. The 2009 Budget meets the President's goal of funding 75,000 AmeriCorps members and is based on the accounting methodology specified in the Strengthen AmeriCorps Program Act of 2003.

State service commission administrative grants.—These formula grants support the operations of state service commissions, through which the Corporation funds roughly three-quarters of AmeriCorps*State and National programs. Commissions are responsible for monitoring sub-grantees and ensuring that they comply with federal requirements and performance expectations. These grants must be matched by the commissions.

Senior Corps.—These programs provide opportunities for seniors to volunteer their services to the community in many socially useful activities including helping children learn to read and working with the emotionally disturbed, the mentally retarded, and physically disabled, as well as the isolated and infirm elderly.

Innovation, demonstration, and assistance.—This activity supports innovative and demonstration service programs that may not be eligible under other subtitles of the national service laws, disabled program participants who need special accommodation, and other activities that help build an ethic of service among Americans of all ages and backgrounds.

Evaluation.—This activity supports performance measurement and studies of program impact. The Budget request funds key recurring data collection activities: performance benchmarking surveys for each major program, a longitudinal

study of the impact of AmeriCorps service on members, and a Current Population Survey supplement on volunteering in America.

Object Classification (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-2728-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Direct obligations:			
Personnel compensation:			
11.1 Full-time permanent		4	6
11.3 Other than full-time permanent			1
11.8 Special personal services payments		52	53
11.9 Total personnel compensation		56	60
12.1 Civilian personnel benefits		3	4
21.0 Travel and transportation of persons		8	7
23.2 Rental payments to others		1	1
24.0 Printing and reproduction		1	1
25.2 Other services		26	23
26.0 Supplies and materials		2	2
41.0 Grants, subsidies, and contributions		557	527
94.0 Financial transfers		123	132
99.0 Direct obligations		777	757
99.0 Reimbursable obligations		2	2
99.9 Total new obligations		779	759

Employment Summary

Identification code 95-2728-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Direct:			
1001 Civilian full-time equivalent employment		70	90

NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS, OPERATING EXPENSES

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-2720-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Obligations by program activity:			
00.01 National Service Trust	118		
00.02 AmeriCorps* State and National grants	281	19	
00.03 Innovation, demonstration, and assistance	25	5	
00.04 Evaluation	3	2	
00.05 AmeriCorps* National Civilian Community Corps	27	10	
00.06 Learn and Serve America	36	1	
00.07 State commission admin grants	13	2	
10.00 Total new obligations	503	39	
Budgetary resources available for obligation:			
21.40 Unobligated balance carried forward, start of year	36	39	
22.00 New budget authority (gross)	493		
22.10 Resources available from recoveries of prior year obligations	13		
23.90 Total budgetary resources available for obligation	542	39	
23.95 Total new obligations	-503	-39	
24.40 Unobligated balance carried forward, end of year	39		
New budget authority (gross), detail:			
Discretionary:			
40.00 Appropriation	494		
41.00 Transferred to other accounts	-1		
43.00 Appropriation (total discretionary)	493		
Change in obligated balances:			
72.40 Obligated balance, start of year	581	540	228
73.10 Total new obligations	503	39	
73.20 Total outlays (gross)	-499	-351	-198
73.40 Adjustments in expired accounts (net)	-32		
73.45 Recoveries of prior year obligations	-13		
74.40 Obligated balance, end of year	540	228	30
Outlays (gross), detail:			
86.90 Outlays from new discretionary authority	152		

NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS, OPERATING EXPENSES—Continued

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)—Continued

Identification code 95-2720-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
86.93 Outlays from discretionary balances	347	351	198
87.00 Total outlays (gross)	499	351	198
Net budget authority and outlays:			
89.00 Budget authority	493		
90.00 Outlays	499	351	198

Object Classification (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-2720-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Direct obligations:			
Personnel compensation:			
11.1 Full-time permanent	5		
11.3 Other than full-time permanent	1		
11.8 Special personal services payments	4		
11.9 Total personnel compensation	10		
12.1 Civilian personnel benefits	2		
21.0 Travel and transportation of persons	4		
23.2 Rental payments to others	1		
24.0 Printing and reproduction	1		
25.2 Other services	11	3	
26.0 Supplies and materials	2		
41.0 Grants, subsidies, and contributions	354	36	
94.0 Financial transfers	118		
99.0 Direct obligations	503	39	
99.9 Total new obligations	503	39	

Employment Summary

Identification code 95-2720-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Direct:			
1001 Civilian full-time equivalent employment	90		

DOMESTIC VOLUNTEER SERVICE PROGRAMS, OPERATING EXPENSES

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-0103-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Obligations by program activity:			
00.01 Volunteers in Service to America	95		
00.03 National Senior Service Corps	218		
09.01 Reimbursable program	1		
10.00 Total new obligations	314		
Budgetary resources available for obligation:			
22.00 New budget authority (gross)	314		
23.95 Total new obligations	-314		
New budget authority (gross), detail:			
Discretionary:			
40.00 Appropriation	317		
41.00 Transferred to other accounts	-4		
43.00 Appropriation (total discretionary)	313		
58.00 Spending authority from offsetting collections: Offsetting collections (cash)	1		
70.00 Total new budget authority (gross)	314		
Change in obligated balances:			
72.40 Obligated balance, start of year	205	206	36
73.10 Total new obligations	314		
73.20 Total outlays (gross)	-311	-170	-16
73.40 Adjustments in expired accounts (net)	-4		
74.10 Change in uncollected customer payments from Federal sources (expired)	2		
74.40 Obligated balance, end of year	206	36	20

Outlays (gross), detail:

86.90 Outlays from new discretionary authority	131		
86.93 Outlays from discretionary balances	180	170	16
87.00 Total outlays (gross)	311	170	16

Offsets:

Against gross budget authority and outlays:			
88.40 Offsetting collections (cash) from: Non-Federal sources			
	-3		
Against gross budget authority only:			
88.96 Portion of offsetting collections (cash) credited to expired accounts			
	2		

Net budget authority and outlays:

89.00 Budget authority	313		
90.00 Outlays	308	170	16

The 2009 Budget reflects the newly established Operating Expenses account which combines the former Domestic Volunteer Service Program account and the National and Community Service Programs account, for national service programs authorized respectively under the National and Community Service Act and the Domestic Volunteer Service Act.

Object Classification (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-0103-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Direct obligations:			
11.8 Personnel compensation: Special personal services payments			
	45		
12.1 Civilian personnel benefits	2		
21.0 Travel and transportation of persons	5		
25.2 Other services	16		
41.0 Grants, subsidies, and contributions	245		
99.0 Direct obligations	313		
99.0 Reimbursable obligations	1		
99.9 Total new obligations	314		

Employment Summary

Identification code 95-0103-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Direct:			
1001 Civilian full-time equivalent employment	6		

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector General in carrying out the Inspector General Act of 1978, **[\$5,932,000] as amended, \$6,512,000.** (Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2008.)

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-2721-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.
Obligations by program activity:			
00.01 Direct program activity	6	6	6
10.00 Total new obligations	6	6	6
Budgetary resources available for obligation:			
21.40 Unobligated balance carried forward, start of year	2	1	1
22.00 New budget authority (gross)	5	6	7
23.90 Total budgetary resources available for obligation	7	7	8
23.95 Total new obligations	-6	-6	-6
24.40 Unobligated balance carried forward, end of year	1	1	2
New budget authority (gross), detail:			
Discretionary:			
40.00 Appropriation	5	6	7
Change in obligated balances:			
72.40 Obligated balance, start of year	2	2	3
73.10 Total new obligations	6	6	6
73.20 Total outlays (gross)	-6	-5	-6

74.40	Obligated balance, end of year	2	3	3
Outlays (gross), detail:				
86.90	Outlays from new discretionary authority	3	2	3
86.93	Outlays from discretionary balances	3	3	3
87.00	Total outlays (gross)	6	5	6
Net budget authority and outlays:				
89.00	Budget authority	5	6	7
90.00	Outlays	6	5	6

The Office of the Inspector General provides an independent assessment of Corporation operations, primarily through audits and investigations, with a goal of preventing fraud, waste, and abuse.

Object Classification (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-2721-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.	
Direct obligations:				
11.1	Personnel compensation: Full-time permanent	2	3	3
12.1	Civilian personnel benefits	1	1	1
25.2	Other services	3	2	2
99.9	Total new obligations	6	6	6

Employment Summary

Identification code 95-2721-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.	
Direct:				
1001	Civilian full-time equivalent employment	28	28	29

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

For necessary expenses of administration as provided under section 501(a)(4) of the National and Community Service Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12501 et seq.) and under section 504(a) of the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973, including payment of salaries, authorized travel, hire of passenger motor vehicles, the rental of conference rooms in the District of Columbia, the employment of experts and consultants authorized under 5 U.S.C. 3109, and not to exceed \$2,500 for official reception and representation expenses, **[\$68,964,000]** \$71,715,000. (Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2008.)

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-2722-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.	
Obligations by program activity:				
00.01	NCSA Salaries & Expenses	70	68	72
10.00	Total new obligations	70	68	72
Budgetary resources available for obligation:				
22.00	New budget authority (gross)	70	68	72
23.95	Total new obligations	-70	-68	-72
New budget authority (gross), detail:				
Discretionary:				
40.00	Appropriation	69	69	72
40.33	Appropriation permanently reduced (P.L. 110-161)		-1	
42.00	Transferred from other accounts	1		
43.00	Appropriation (total discretionary)	70	68	72
Change in obligated balances:				
72.40	Obligated balance, start of year	13	13	18
73.10	Total new obligations	70	68	72
73.20	Total outlays (gross)	-70	-63	-66
74.40	Obligated balance, end of year	13	18	24
Outlays (gross), detail:				
86.90	Outlays from new discretionary authority	58	52	56
86.93	Outlays from discretionary balances	12	11	10
87.00	Total outlays (gross)	70	63	66

Net budget authority and outlays:				
89.00	Budget authority	70	68	72
90.00	Outlays	70	63	66

This account provides salaries and operating expenses for National and Community Service Act and Domestic Volunteer Service Act programs.

Object Classification (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-2722-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.	
Direct obligations:				
Personnel compensation:				
11.1	Full-time permanent	35	35	37
11.3	Other than full-time permanent	1	1	1
11.5	Other personnel compensation	1	1	1
11.8	Special personal services payments		1	1
11.9	Total personnel compensation	37	38	40
12.1	Civilian personnel benefits	10	10	10
21.0	Travel and transportation of persons	2	2	2
23.1	Rental payments to GSA	7	7	7
23.3	Communications, utilities, and miscellaneous charges	1	1	1
25.2	Other services	12	9	11
26.0	Supplies and materials	1	1	1
99.9	Total new obligations	70	68	72

Employment Summary

Identification code 95-2722-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.	
Direct:				
1001	Civilian full-time equivalent employment	436	457	457

VISTA ADVANCE PAYMENTS REVOLVING FUND

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-2723-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.	
Obligations by program activity:				
00.01	Direct program activity	7		
01.00	Direct Program by Activities—Subtotal (running)	7		
09.00	Reimbursable program		6	6
10.00	Total new obligations	7	6	6
Budgetary resources available for obligation:				
21.40	Unobligated balance carried forward, start of year		3	3
22.00	New budget authority (gross)	10	6	6
23.90	Total budgetary resources available for obligation	10	9	9
23.95	Total new obligations	-7	-6	-6
24.40	Unobligated balance carried forward, end of year	3	3	3
New budget authority (gross), detail:				
Discretionary:				
42.00	Transferred from other accounts	4		
58.00	Spending authority from offsetting collections: Offsetting collections (cash)	6	6	6
70.00	Total new budget authority (gross)	10	6	6
Change in obligated balances:				
72.40	Obligated balance, start of year			-3
73.10	Total new obligations	7	6	6
73.20	Total outlays (gross)	-7	-9	-6
74.40	Obligated balance, end of year		-3	-3
Outlays (gross), detail:				
86.90	Outlays from new discretionary authority	7	6	6
86.93	Outlays from discretionary balances		3	
87.00	Total outlays (gross)	7	9	6
Offsets:				
Against gross budget authority and outlays:				

VISTA ADVANCE PAYMENTS REVOLVING FUND—Continued

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)—Continued				
Identification code 95-2723-0-1-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.	
88.40	Offsetting collections (cash) from: Non-Federal sources	-6	-6	-6
Net budget authority and outlays:				
89.00	Budget authority	4		
90.00	Outlays	1	3	

The VISTA Advance Payments Revolving Fund was established in 2007 by Public Law 110-05 as the initial source of those VISTA member living allowances that nonprofit organizations later provide the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) as part of cost share agreements. Upon receiving the nonprofits' contributions, CNCS reimburses this fund. All VISTA member benefits and services, and the majority of living allowances, continue to be funded by the Domestic Volunteer Service Program funds, which are located beginning in 2009 under the Operating Expenses account.

Trust Funds

GIFTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Special and Trust Fund Receipts (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-9972-0-7-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.	
01.00	Balance, start of year			
01.99	Balance, start of year			
Receipts:				
02.00	Interest on Investment, National Service Trust Fund	19	21	21
02.01	Payment from the General Fund, National Service Trust Fund	118	123	132
02.99	Total receipts and collections	137	144	153
04.00	Total: Balances and collections	137	144	153
Appropriations:				
05.00	Gifts and Contributions	-118	-123	-132
05.01	Gifts and Contributions	-19	-21	-21
05.99	Total appropriations	-137	-144	-153
07.99	Balance, end of year			

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 95-9972-0-7-506	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.	
Obligations by program activity:				
00.01	Direct program activity	155	148	152
10.00	Total new obligations (object class 25.2)	155	148	152
Budgetary resources available for obligation:				
21.40	Unobligated balance carried forward, start of year	74	56	52
22.00	New budget authority (gross)	137	144	153
23.90	Total budgetary resources available for obligation	211	200	205
23.95	Total new obligations	-155	-148	-152
24.40	Unobligated balance carried forward, end of year	56	52	53
New budget authority (gross), detail:				
Discretionary:				
40.26	Appropriation (trust fund)	118	123	132
Mandatory:				
60.26	Appropriation (trust fund)	19	21	21
70.00	Total new budget authority (gross)	137	144	153
Change in obligated balances:				
72.40	Obligated balance, start of year	381	402	346
73.10	Total new obligations	155	148	152
73.20	Total outlays (gross)	-134	-204	-161

74.40	Obligated balance, end of year	402	346	337
Outlays (gross), detail:				
86.93	Outlays from discretionary balances	134	186	146
86.97	Outlays from new mandatory authority		5	5
86.98	Outlays from mandatory balances		13	10
87.00	Total outlays (gross)	134	204	161
Net budget authority and outlays:				
89.00	Budget authority	137	144	153
90.00	Outlays	134	204	161
Memorandum (non-add) entries:				
92.01	Total investments, start of year: Federal securities: Par value	446	465	467
92.02	Total investments, end of year: Federal securities: Par value	465	467	467

The gifts and contributions account is a consolidation of two trust funds. In one, gifts and contributions from individuals and organizations are deposited for use in furthering program goals. In the other, funds appropriated to make educational awards to eligible national service program participants are maintained until awardees use them.

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

SEC. 401. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the term "qualified student loan" with respect to national service education awards shall mean any loan determined by an institution of higher education to be necessary to cover a student's cost of attendance at such institution and made, insured, or guaranteed directly to a student by a State agency, in addition to other meanings under section 148(b)(7) of the National and Community Service Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12501 et seq.).

SEC. 402. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, funds made available under section 129(d)(5)(B) of the National and Community Service Act of 1990 to assist entities in placing applicants who are individuals with disabilities may be provided to any entity that receives a grant under section 121 of the 1990 Act.

SEC. 403. The Corporation for National and Community Service shall make any significant changes to program requirements, service delivery or policy only through public notice and comment rule-making. For fiscal year 2008, during any grant selection process, an officer or employee of the Corporation shall not knowingly disclose any covered grant selection information regarding such selection, directly or indirectly, to any person other than an officer or employee of the Corporation that is authorized by the Corporation to receive such information.

SEC. [404] 403. Professional Corps programs described in section 122(a)(8) of the National and Community Service Act of 1990 Act may apply to the Corporation for a waiver of application of section 140(c)(2).

SEC. [405] 404. Notwithstanding section 1342 of title 31, United States Code, the Corporation may solicit and accept the services of organizations and individuals (other than participants) to assist the Corporation in carrying out the duties of the Corporation under the national service laws: *Provided*, That an individual who provides services under this section shall be subject to the same protections and limitations as volunteers under section 196(a) of the National and Community Service Act of 1990.

SEC. [406] 405. Organizations operating projects under the AmeriCorps Education Awards Program shall do so without regard to the requirements of sections 121(d) and (e), 131(e), 132, and 140(a), (d), and (e) of the National and Community Service Act of 1990.

SEC. [407] 406. AmeriCorps programs receiving grants under the National Service Trust program shall meet an overall minimum share requirement of 24 percent for the first three years that they receive AmeriCorps funding, and thereafter shall meet the overall minimum share requirement as provided in section 2521.60 of title 45, Code of Federal Regulations, without regard to the operating costs match requirement in section 121(e) or the member support Federal share limitations in section 140 of the National and Community Service Act of 1990, and subject to partial waiver consistent with section 2521.70 of title 45, Code of Federal Regulations.

SEC. [408] 407. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, formula-based grants to States and territories under section 129(a)(1)-

(2) of the *National and Community Service Act of 1990* [Act] to operate AmeriCorps programs may be made if the application describes proposed positions into which participants will be placed, and the proposed minimum qualifications of such participants, and includes an assurance that the State will select national service programs for subgrants on a competitive basis, and an assurance that the aforementioned information will be provided for each subgrant awarded prior to the execution of such subgrants.

SEC. 408. Of the funds available under this Act for grants under section 112(b)(2) of the *National and Community Service Act of 1990*, such amounts as the Corporation determines may be merged with and made available for the same purposes as funds available for grants under section 117A of such Act.

SEC. 409. Of the amounts provided in this Act which the Corporation allocates for the provision of assistance under subsections 129(a) and (b) of the *National and Community Service Act of 1990*, the Corporation shall apply the formula in section 129(a)(1) of the 1990 Act in such a manner so as to ensure that each state shall receive a minimum of \$500,000; provided that, in no event shall the total amount allotted under section 129(a)(1) exceed 33 1/3 percent of the funds allocated by the Corporation for the provision of assistance under subsections 129(a) and (b) of the 1990 Act.

SEC. 410. Notwithstanding section 139(b) of the *National and Community Service Act of 1990*, an individual in an approved national service position performing full-time or part-time national service directly related to disaster relief efforts may continue in that term of service for a period of six months beyond the periods otherwise specified in section 139 (b) of the 1990 Act. Service in an extended term as provided under this section shall constitute a single term of service for purposes of sections 146(b) and (c) of the 1990 Act.

SEC. 411. Of the funds available for Operating Expenses, the Corporation may transfer or reprogram up to \$2,000,000 to be available for the establishment and operation of a pilot program of individual member-based service under the *National and Community Service Act of 1990*. The pilot program, as developed by the Corporation, shall provide for the recruitment, selection, enrollment, and support of participants in approved national service positions that are not otherwise associated with grants awarded under section 121 of the 1990 Act. Participants in the pilot program may perform service at state or local agencies, Indian Tribes, public or private nonprofit organizations, or institutions of higher education without regard to whether such entities otherwise receive AmeriCorps grant funds. The performance of service at such agencies, tribes, organizations or institutions will not be considered to be the receipt of federal financial assistance by such entity.

SEC. 412. A recipient of assistance may not use other federal funds that it receives to meet a matching requirement to carry out a program under the *National and Community Service Act of 1990*, unless the recipient's use of such other federal funds to meet a matching requirement is authorized by the statutory provisions, and by the terms and conditions in the assistance agreement, that govern the other federal funds: Provided, That the recipient provides the Corporation written approval of the use of such other federal funds from the awarding agency within 12 months of the applicable award by the Corporation. (Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2008.)

CORPORATION FOR PUBLIC BROADCASTING

Federal Funds

[For payment to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, as authorized by the Communications Act of 1934, an amount which shall be available within limitations specified by that Act, for the fiscal year 2010, \$420,000,000: Provided, That no funds made available to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting by this Act shall be used to pay for receptions, parties, or similar forms of entertainment for Government officials or employees: Provided further, That none of the funds contained in this paragraph shall be available or used to aid or support any program or activity from which any person is excluded, or is denied benefits, or is discriminated against, on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, or sex: Provided further, That no funds made available to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting by this Act shall be used to apply any political test or qualification in selecting, appointing, promoting, or taking any other personnel action with respect to officers, agents, and employees of the Corporation: Provided further, That for fiscal year 2008, in

addition to the amounts provided above, \$29,700,000 shall be for costs related to digital program production, development, and distribution, associated with the transition of public broadcasting to digital broadcasting, to be awarded as determined by the Corporation in consultation with public radio and television licensees or permittees, or their designated representatives: Provided further, That for fiscal year 2008, in addition to the amounts provided above, \$26,750,000 is available pursuant to section 396(k)(10) of the Communications Act of 1934 for replacement and upgrade of the public radio interconnection system: Provided further, That none of the funds made available to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting by this Act, the Continuing Appropriations Resolution, 2007 (Public Law 110-5), or the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006 (Public Law 109-149), shall be used to support the Television Future Fund or any similar purpose] Of the amounts made available to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for fiscal year 2009 by P.L. 110-5, not to exceed \$40,000,000 is available for grants associated with the transition of public television to digital broadcasting, to be awarded as determined by the Corporation in consultation with public television licensees or permittees, or their designated representatives: Provided, That these amounts shall be available only for digital conversion costs directly related to fulfilling the requirements of 47 CFR 73.624(f) (including any subsequent modifications thereof) and 47 CFR part 74, subpart G (including any subsequent modifications thereof); and not to exceed \$27,000,000 is available pursuant to section 396(k)(10) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, for replacement and upgrade of the public radio interconnection system: Provided, That section 396(k)(3) of the Act shall apply only to amounts remaining after the allocations made herein. Of the amounts made available to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for fiscal year 2009 by P.L. 110-5, \$200,000,000 is hereby permanently cancelled. Of the amounts made available to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for fiscal year 2010 by P.L. 110-161, \$220,000,000 is hereby permanently cancelled. (Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2008.)

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)				
Identification code 20-0151-0-1-503	2007 actual	2008 est.	2009 est.	
Obligations by program activity:				
00.01 General programming	400	393	200	
00.02 Digital transition	35	29	.....
00.03 Interconnection	30	26	.....
10.00 Total new obligations (object class 41.0)	465	448	200	
Budgetary resources available for obligation:				
22.00 New budget authority (gross)	465	448	200	
23.95 Total new obligations	-465	-448	-200	
New budget authority (gross), detail:				
Discretionary:				
40.00 Appropriation	65	56	.....
40.33 Appropriation permanently reduced (P.L. 110-161) .....	.....	-1	.....
43.00 Appropriation (total discretionary)	65	55	.....
55.00 Advance appropriation—General Programming	400	400	400	
55.33 Appropriation permanently reduced (P.L. 110-161) .....	.....	-7	.....
55.35 Advance appropriation permanently reduced .....	.....	.....	-200	
55.90 Advance appropriation (total discretionary)	400	393	200	
70.00 Total new budget authority (gross)	465	448	200	
Change in obligated balances:				
73.10 Total new obligations	465	448	200	
73.20 Total outlays (gross)	-464	-448	-200	
Outlays (gross), detail:				
86.90 Outlays from new discretionary authority	464	448	200	
Net budget authority and outlays:				
89.00 Budget authority	465	448	200	
90.00 Outlays	464	448	200	

General programming.—The Corporation for Public Broadcasting provides grants to qualified public television and radio stations to be used at their discretion for purposes related