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Accompanying the Departments of Labor,
Health and Human Services, and Education,
and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006

Excerpts Pertaining to
Employment and Training Administration
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MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENTS OF LABOR, HEALTH
AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES FOR
THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2006, AND FOR OTHER PUR-
POSES

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Mr. REGULA, from the committee on conference,
submitted the following

CONFERENCE REPORT

[To accompany H.R. 3010]

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 3010) “making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes”, having met, after further full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the matter stricken and inserted by said amendment, insert:

That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes, namely:

TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION

TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

(INCLUDING RESCISSIONS)

For necessary expenses of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, the Denali Commission Act of 1998, and the Women in Apprenticeship and Non-Traditional Occupations Act of 1992, including the purchase and hire of passenger motor vehicles, the construction, alteration, and repair of buildings and other facilities, and the pur-

JOINT EXPLANATORY STATEMENT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE

The managers on the part of the House and Senate at the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 3010) making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes, submit the following joint statement of the House and Senate in explanation of the effect of the action agreed upon by the managers and recommended in the accompanying conference report.

In implementing this agreement, the Departments and agencies should be guided by the language and instructions set forth in House Report 109-143 and Senate Report 109-103 accompanying the bill, H.R. 3010.

In the cases where the language and instructions in either report specifically address the allocation of funds, each has been reviewed by the conferees and those that are jointly concurred in have been endorsed in this joint statement.

In the cases in which the House or the Senate reports request or direct the submission of a report, such report is to be submitted to both the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations.

The conferees note that section 517 sets forth the reprogramming requirements and limitations for the Departments and agencies funded through this Act, including the requirement to make a written request to the chairmen of the Committees 15 days prior to reprogramming, or to the announcement of intent to reprogram, funds in excess of 10 percent, or \$500,000, whichever is less, between programs, projects and activities.

Finally, the conferees request that statements on the effect of this appropriation Act on the Departments and agencies funded in this Act be submitted to the Committees within 45 days of enactment of this Act. The conferees expect that these statements will provide sufficient detail to show the allocation of funds among programs, projects and activities, particularly in accounts where the final appropriation is different than that of the budget request. Furthermore, the conferees request the statements to also include the effect of the appropriation on any new activities or major initiatives discussed in the budget justifications accompanying the fiscal year 2006 budget.

The Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006, put in place by this bill, incorporates the following agreements of the managers:

Title I,
Department of Labor
Employment and Training Administration

TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION
TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICES
(INCLUDING RESCISSIONS)

The conference agreement includes \$5,115,411,000 for training and employment services, instead of \$5,121,792,000 as proposed by the House and \$5,250,806,000 as proposed by the Senate. Of the amount appropriated, \$2,463,000,000 is an advance appropriation for fiscal year 2007, as proposed by the House and the Senate.

The conference agreement includes bill language as proposed by the Senate requiring that the Secretary of Labor take no action to amend the definition established in 20 CFR 667.220 for functions and activities under title I of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, or to modify the procedure for designation of local areas as specified in that Act until such time as legislation reauthorizing the Act is enacted. The House bill contained a similar provision.

For Adult Employment and Training Activities, the conference agreement includes \$865,736,000 as proposed by the House, instead of \$893,618,000 as proposed by the Senate.

For Youth Training, the conference agreement includes \$950,000,000 as proposed by the House instead of \$986,288,000 as proposed by the Senate.

The conference agreement includes \$1,476,064,000 for the Dislocated Worker program, as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$1,405,264,000 as proposed by the House. The conferees override the formula that provides that 80 percent of the funds provided will be used for State formula grants and 20 percent in a National Reserve Account. For program year 2006 the conferees provide \$1,193,264,000 for the State formula grants and \$282,800,000 for the National Reserve Account.

The conferees direct that the Department submit a quarterly report beginning in January, 2006 to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees on the status of H-1B and National Emergency Grant awards. This quarterly report shall be submitted to the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations no later than 15 days after the end of each quarter and shall summarize the following information: total available funds for the current program year, funding requests made, funding comments made, and amounts actually awarded for the quarter and for the current program year, total outstanding funding commitments from all program years, and total unpaid funding commitments from all program years. The report shall also include a list of each award (both new awards and modifications to existing awards) made during the quarter, including the grantee, funding commitment, amount released, and unpaid commitment for each award, and the number of workers to be trained.

The conferees direct that the Department submit a quarterly report beginning in January 2006 to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees on the status of awards made under the High-Growth Job Training Initiative. This quarterly report shall be submitted to the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations

no later than 15 days after the end of each quarter and shall summarize by funding source (dislocated worker demonstration funds, community college initiative, H-1B fees, pilots and demonstrations, etc.) the total amount allocated to the High-Growth Job Training Initiative for the quarter and the program year. This report shall also include a list of all awards made during the quarter and for each award shall include the grantee, the amount of the award, the funding source of the award, whether the award was made competitively or by sole source and, if sole source, the justification, the purpose of the award, the number of workers to be trained, and other expected outcomes.

The conference agreement includes bill language as proposed by the Senate giving the Secretary of Labor authority to use dislocated worker national reserve funds to provide assistance to a State for statewide or local use in order to address cases where there have been worker dislocations across multiple sectors or across multiple local areas. The House bill contained no similar provision. The conferees urge the Secretary, when determining competitive awards under this authority, to give favorable consideration to the applications of assistance to States that have sustained worker dislocation in such a manner and can demonstrate the capacity to respond effectively in a coordinated fashion across multiple sectors or local areas.

The conference agreement includes \$1,573,000,000 for Job Corps, instead of \$1,542,019,000 as proposed by the House and \$1,582,000,000 as proposed by the Senate. Within the total, \$1,465,000,000 is provided for continuing operations of the program and \$108,000,000 is for renovation and construction of Job Corps centers. The conference agreement includes \$8,000,000 for second year funding of Job Corps expansion. This is in addition to \$10,000,000 previously appropriated. In the selection process to award these and the previously appropriated funds for incremental expansion of Job Corps, the Department is directed to follow guidance provided in Senate Report 109-103 and in the report accompanying Public Law 108-199 regarding the priority for States that currently do not have a center and for a new site that can be quickly launched as a satellite (residential or non-residential) of a Job Corps center that is serving an entire State or region, and then later be converted to a stand-alone facility.

The conferees strongly urge the Director of Job Corps to extend the work of the Appalachian Council for career transition support services, and implement through the NJCA Foundation for Youth Opportunities, foundation initiated and nationally coordinated programs and services that raise public awareness and support for at-risk youth. The conferees expect the Director of Job Corps to implement these awards by no later than January 31, 2006, or as soon thereafter that the new independent Office of Job Corps is established.

For Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers, the conference agreement includes a total of \$80,557,000 as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$75,795,000 as proposed by the House. Within the total, \$75,053,000 is for State service area grants, including \$3,840,000 to fund grantees in States impacted by formula reductions below the amount they were allotted in program year 2004. The con-

ference also includes \$5,000,000 for housing grants. The agreement also includes bill language not contained in House or Senate bills which prohibits the Department from restricting the provision of "related assistance" services by grantees. Such services are often critical to the stabilization and availability of the farm labor workforce.

The conference agreement provides \$2,000,000 for other National Activities as proposed by the House, instead of \$3,458,000 as proposed by the Senate. Of this amount, \$982,000 is for carrying out Public Law 102-530, the Women in Apprenticeship and Non-Traditional Occupations Act of 1992, and \$504,000 is to be used for training, technical assistance and related activities, including migrant rest center activities, authorized under section 167 of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998.

For Pilots, Demonstrations and Research, the conference agreement includes \$30,000,000, instead of \$74,000,000 as proposed by the House and \$90,367,000 as proposed by the Senate.

The conferees encourage the Department of Labor to establish a pilot grant program under 171(b) of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 to award competitive placement and retention grants to qualified nonprofit organizations that offer low income individuals' intensive assessment, education and training, placement, and retention services, including job coaching. The employment should provide the low income individuals with an annual salary at least twice the poverty line applicable to the individual. After placement, such organizations shall be eligible for retention grants once low income individuals remain with the same employer for a period of one year, taking into account the benefits received by the federal government and the community from the individuals' employment.

The conference agreement includes \$49,600,000 for Responsible Reintegration of Youthful Offenders, instead of \$50,000,000 as proposed by the Senate. The House did not recommend funds for this activity.

The conference agreement includes \$125,000,000 to carry out the Community College/Community-Based Job Training Grant initiative. The conference agreement includes bill language as proposed by the Senate which provides that this amount is to be allocated from National Emergency Grant funds available under section 132(a)(2)(A) of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, overriding the limitation otherwise imposed under section 171(d). The House bill contained no similar provision. The conferees expect the Secretary to initially use resources from the National Emergency Grants account for these awards that are designated for non-emergencies under sections 171(d) and 170(b) of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998. Community-Based Job Training Grant awards will also be subject to the limitations of sections 171(c)(4)(A) through 171(c)(4)(C) of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 to ensure that these grants are awarded competitively. The conferees direct that future solicitations for grant applications for the Community-Based Job Training initiative include One Stop Career Centers as eligible applicants. The conference agreement rescinds \$125,000,000 in funds provided in fiscal year 2005 for this program, as proposed by the House; the Senate bill contained no similar provision.

For the Denali Commission, the conference agreement provides \$6,944,000 as proposed by the Senate for job training services. The House recommendation did not include funds for this activity.

STATE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICE
OPERATIONS

The conference agreement includes \$3,392,078,000 for State Unemployment Insurance and Employment Service Operations, instead of \$3,470,366,000 as proposed by the House and \$3,361,779,000 as proposed by the Senate. For unemployment insurance services, the bill provides \$2,533,000,000 instead of \$2,632,915,000 as proposed by the House and \$2,485,000,000 as proposed by the Senate. The conference agreement includes \$2,523,000,000 for UI State Operations instead of \$2,622,499,000 as proposed by the House and \$2,475,000,000 as proposed by the Senate. The agreement includes a contingency reserve amount should the unemployment workload exceed an average weekly insured claims volume of 2,800,000 instead of 2,984,000 as proposed by the House. The conference agreement does not include language, similar in both House and Senate bills, providing \$40,000,000 for new unemployment insurance administrative activities.

For the Employment Service grants to States, the agreement includes \$723,114,000 instead of \$696,000,000 as proposed by the House and \$746,302,000 as proposed by the Senate. This includes \$23,114,000 in general funds as proposed by the Senate instead of \$23,300,000 as proposed by the House and \$700,000,000 from the "Employment Security Administration" account of the unemployment trust fund instead of \$672,700,000 as proposed by the House and \$723,188,000 as proposed by the Senate. The conference agreement does not include funding to continue Reemployment Services Grants.

The conference agreement includes \$17,856,000 for the work opportunity tax credit program as proposed by the Senate. The House report contained no similar provision.

PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION

The conference agreement includes \$200,000,000 for Program Administration as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$206,111,000 as proposed by the House. The detailed table at the end of this joint statement reflects the activity distribution agreed to by the conferees.

The conference agreement deletes language proposed by the House specifying that not to exceed \$3,000,000 shall be available for contracts that are not competitively bid. The Senate bill contained no similar provision.

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

The conference agreement includes \$134,900,000 as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$137,000,000 as proposed by the House. The detailed table at the end of this joint statement reflects the activity distribution agreed to by the conferees.

in the federal government through telework and other innovative programs.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

The conference agreement includes \$71,819,000 for the Office of Inspector General, instead of \$70,819,000 as proposed by the House and \$72,819,000 as proposed by the Senate.

GENERAL PROVISIONS

JOB CORPS

The conference agreement includes language that prohibits the use of funds for the Job Corps to pay the salary of any individual, either as direct costs or any pro-ration as an indirect cost, at a rate in excess of Executive Level I, instead of Executive Level II as proposed by the House. The Senate bill did not contain a similar provision.

The conference agreement includes language not contained in House or Senate bills directing the Secretary to establish and maintain an Office of Job Corps within the Office of the Secretary of Labor. The Secretary is directed to transfer current Job Corps functions and staff from the Employment and Training Administration to the Job Corps office established in the Office of the Secretary. To ensure continuity, the Secretary is further directed to staff the new agency with the staff in place as of October 1, 2005 and at a level of FTE approved as of October 31, 2005.

ONE PERCENT TRANSFER AUTHORITY

The conference agreement includes a provision as proposed by the Senate limiting the authority to transfer or reprogram funds between a program, project or activity and requiring a 15 day notification of any reprogramming request or announcement of such transfer or reprogramming request. The House bill contained a similar provision.

DENALI COMMISSION

The conference agreement includes a provision as proposed by the Senate that authorizes to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary to the Denali Commission to conduct job training where Denali Commission projects will be constructed. The House bill contained no similar provision.

CONGRESSIONAL JUSTIFICATIONS

The conference agreement includes bill language proposed by the Senate requiring the Department of Labor to submit its fiscal year 2007 congressional budget justifications in the format and level of detail used by the Department of Education in its fiscal year 2006 congressional budget justifications. The House bill contained no similar provision.

NEW YORK RESCISSION

The conference agreement does not include language as proposed by the Senate making \$125,000,000 available to the New

York State Uninsured Employers Fund and to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for purposes related to the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks. The House bill contained no similar provision.

OPERATING PLAN

The conferees note that the Department failed to submit a fiscal year 2005 operating plan for pilots, demonstrations and research activities as requested last year in House Report 108-792. This plan is nearly six months late. Accordingly, the conferees have included bill language directing the Department to provide not later than July 1, 2006 an operating plan that outlines the planned allocation by major project and activity of fiscal year 2006 funds for pilot, demonstration, multi-service, research and multi-state projects. The conferees direct that the Department submit a quarterly report beginning in January 2006 to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees on the status of awards made for pilot, demonstration, multi-service, research, and multi-state projects under section 171 of the Workforce Investment Act. This quarterly report shall be submitted to the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations no later than 45 days after the end of each quarter and shall include the following information: a list of all awards made during the quarter and for each award shall include the grantee or contractor, the amount of the award, the funding source for the award, whether the award was made competitively or by sole source and, if sole source, the justification, the purpose of the award, and expected outcomes.

TITLE II—DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES

The conference agreement includes \$6,654,661,000 for health resources and services, of which \$6,629,661,000 is provided as budget authority and \$25,000,000 is made available from the Public Health Service policy evaluation set-aside, instead of \$6,468,437,000 as proposed by the House and \$7,396,534,000 as proposed by the Senate. Funds for the individual HRSA programs are displayed in the table at the end of the statement of the managers. Funding levels that were in disagreement but not displayed on the table are discussed in this statement.

The conference agreement includes a technical bill language change to eliminate an unnecessary citation of the Poison Control Center Act which was included in both bills.

The conference agreement includes a citation for section 712 of the American Jobs Creation Act of 2004 for authority for the sickle cell demonstration program. The House bill did not include a similar citation.

The conference agreement does not include bill language proposed by the Senate providing \$393,051,000 for construction and renovation of health care and other facilities and other health-related activities. The House bill included no similar language.

as proposed by the House and \$29,510,574,000 as proposed by the Senate. The conference agreement also includes an advance appropriation of \$11,110,000,000, as proposed by both the House and the Senate, for the first quarter of fiscal year 2007, to ensure uninterrupted benefit payments. Also within the total, \$2,733,000,000 is included for the administrative costs of the program rather than \$2,897,000,000 as proposed by the House and \$2,874,400,000 as proposed by the Senate.

The conference agreement does not include a provision proposed by the Senate that changes the delivery date of benefit payments from fiscal year 2006 to 2007. The House did not include this provision.

LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

The conference agreement includes \$9,199,400,000 for the limitation on administrative expenses rather than \$9,279,700,000 as proposed by the House and \$9,329,400,000 as proposed by the Senate.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

The conference agreement includes \$92,400,000 for the Office of Inspector General rather than \$92,805,000 as proposed by the House and \$93,000,000 as proposed by the Senate.

TITLE V—GENERAL PROVISIONS

USE OF APPROPRIATED FUNDS FOR PUBLICITY AND PROPAGANDA

The conference agreement includes a general provision as proposed by the Senate pertaining to the use of appropriated funds for publicity or propaganda purposes. The House bill included a similar provision, but expanded the scope to include private contractors.

STERILE NEEDLE PROGRAM

The conference agreement includes a general provision as proposed by the Senate pertaining to sterile needle programs. The Senate bill made a minor technical change to the language carried in prior years. The House bill included the same provision, but without the technical modification.

USE OF FEDERAL FUNDS FOR ABORTIONS

The conference agreement includes a general provision as proposed by the Senate pertaining to the use of federal funds in the Act for abortions. The Senate bill made a minor technical change to the language carried in prior years. The House bill included the same provision, but without the technical modification.

CONSCIENCE CLAUSE

The conference agreement includes a general provision as proposed by the House regarding discrimination against those health

care providers or institutions who are opposed to abortion. The Senate bill proposed to modify this provision.

EMBRYO RESEARCH BAN

The conference report includes a technical correction to the longstanding bill language prohibiting funds to be used for research involving the creation or destruction of human embryos. The citation of the Code of Federal Regulations contained in both the House and Senate versions of the bill is corrected.

VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT REPORT

The conference agreement includes a general provision as proposed by the Senate pertaining to the availability of funds to enter into or renew any contract with an entity that is subject to submitting a report concerning the employment of certain veterans. The House bill did not include this provision.

LIMITATION ON LIBRARIES

The conference agreement includes a limitation, carried in prior years, on the ability of a library to access funding provided under this Act unless the library is in compliance with the Children's Internet Protections Act, as proposed by the House. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

LIMITATION ON SCHOOLS

The conference agreement includes a limitation, carried in prior years, on the ability of an elementary or secondary school to access technology funding provided under this Act unless the school is in compliance with the Children's Internet Protections Act, as proposed by the House. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

REPROGRAMMING OF FUNDS

The conference agreement includes a general provision as proposed by the House pertaining to the reprogramming of funds. The Senate bill included the same substantive provision, but with minor technical differences.

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT AMENDMENT

The conference agreement includes a general provision amending the Immigration and Nationality Act as proposed by the Senate. The House bill did not include this provision.

SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

The conference agreement includes a general provision as proposed by the Senate pertaining to appointments to a scientific advisory committee, instead of a similar provision included in the House bill.

CMS GENERAL PROVISION

The conference agreement does not include the general provision proposed by the Senate prohibiting the use of funds for drugs approved to treat erectile dysfunction. The House bill included a similar provision, but with slightly different language. The conferees instead include a provision that was not contained in either the House or Senate bill which reduces CMS Program Management funding by \$60,000,000. Funding for research, demonstration and evaluation and State survey and certification are not to be included in this reduction.

AVAILABILITY OF MMA FUNDS

The conference agreement does not include a general provision as proposed by the House extending the availability of funds provided by the Medicare Modernization Act from fiscal year 2005 to fiscal year 2006. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

LIMITATION OF FUNDS FOR SEXUAL OR ERECTILE DYSFUNCTION
TREATMENT

The conference agreement does not include a general provision as proposed by the House pertaining to the payment for or the reimbursement of a drug for the treatment of sexual or erectile dysfunction funded in this Act for individuals who have been convicted for sexual abuse, sexual assault or any other sexual offense. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

CPB FUNDING AMENDMENT

The conference agreement does not include a general provision as proposed by the House reducing the amounts available to certain specified programs and activities in order to restore funding for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting. Funding for the programs included in this provision are specified under the relevant headings. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

EDUCATION OIG DETERMINATION

The conference agreement does not include a general provision as proposed by the House pertaining to a specific Department of Education Office of the Inspector General determination. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

PBGCLIMITATION

The conference agreement does not include a general provision proposed by the House pertaining to the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation and a specific settlement agreement. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

IMMIGRATION LIMITATION

The conference agreement does not include a general provision as proposed by the House prohibiting the use of funds by the Department of Education in contravention of section 505 of the Illegal

Immigration Reform and Responsibility Act of 1996. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

NIMH GRANTS

The conference agreement does not include a general provision as proposed by the House regarding NIMH grants. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

MEXICAN TOTALIZATION

The conference agreement does not include a general provision proposed by the House pertaining to a totalization agreement with Mexico. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

HIGHER EDUCATION LIMITATION

The conference agreement does not include a general provision proposed by the House regarding student loans. The Senate bill did not include this provision.

LIMITATION, DIRECTIVE, OR EARMARKING

The conference agreement does not include a general provision proposed by the Senate regarding directives contained in either the House or Senate reports accompanying H.R. 3010. The House bill did not include this provision.

DIVERSITY VISA FAIRNESS ACT

The conference agreement does not include a general provision as proposed by the Senate that contains the Diversity Visa Fairness Act. The House bill did not include this provision.

PORT OF ENTRY DESIGNATION

The conference agreement does not include a general provision as proposed by the Senate designating the MidAmerica St. Louis Airport in Mascoutah, Illinois a port of entry. The House bill did not include this provision.

RISK ASSESSMENT ESTIMATE

The conference agreement does not include a general provision as proposed by the Senate pertaining to improper payments for a variety of programs administered by the Departments of Health and Human Services and Education. The House did not include this provision. Language regarding this issue is included in the statement of the managers for the Department of Health and Human Services.

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE OUTSOURCING

The conference agreement deletes without prejudice a general provision as proposed by the Senate expressing the sense of the Senate on the outsourcing of IRS duties and the effects on the employment of disabled veterans and other persons with severe disabilities. The House did not include this provision.

CONFERENCE AGREEMENT

The following table displays the amounts agreed to for each program, project or activity with appropriate comparisons:

LABOR-HEALTH and HUMAN SERVICES-EDUCATION AND RELATED AGENCIES
(Amounts in thousands)

	FY 2005 Comparable	FY 2006 Request	House	Senate	Conference	FY 2005 Comparable	Conference vs. FY 2006 House	FY 2006 Senate
TITLE 1 - DEPARTMENT OF LABOR								
EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION								
TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICES								
Grants to States:								
Adult Training, current year.....	184,618	153,736	153,736	181,618	153,736	-30,882	---	-27,882 D FF
Advance from prior year.....	(706,304)	(712,000)	(712,000)	(712,000)	(712,000)	(+5,696)	---	--- NA
FY 2007.....	712,000	712,000	712,000	712,000	712,000	---	---	--- D
Adult Training.....	896,618	865,736	865,736	893,618	865,736	-30,882	---	-27,882
Youth Training.....	986,288	950,000	950,000	986,288	950,000	-36,288	---	-36,288 D FF
Dislocated Worker Assistance, current year.....	345,264	226,867	345,264	345,264	345,264	---	---	--- D FF
Advance from prior year.....	(841,216)	(848,000)	(848,000)	(848,000)	(848,000)	(+6,784)	---	--- NA
FY 2007.....	848,000	848,000	848,000	848,000	848,000	---	---	--- D
Dislocated Worker Assistance.....	1,193,264	1,074,867	1,193,264	1,193,264	1,193,264	---	---	---
Federally Administered Programs:								
Dislocated Worker Assistance National Reserve:								
Current year.....	70,800	56,717	---	70,800	70,800	---	+70,800	--- D FF
Advance from prior year.....	(210,304)	(212,000)	(212,000)	(212,000)	(212,000)	(+1,696)	---	--- NA
FY 2007.....	212,000	212,000	212,000	212,000	212,000	---	---	--- D
Dislocated Worker Assistance Nat'l Reserve.....	282,800	268,717	212,000	282,800	282,800	---	+70,800	---

LABOR-HEALTH and HUMAN SERVICES-EDUCATION AND RELATED AGENCIES
(Amounts in thousands)

	FY 2005 Comparable	FY 2006 Request	House	Senate	Conference	FY 2005 Comparable	Conference vs. FY 2006 House	FY 2006 Senate
Less funding reserved for Community College Initiative (NA)	(-125,000)	---	---	(-125,000)	(-125,000)	---	(-125,000)	---
Dislocated Worker Assistance Nat'l Reserve	157,800	268,717	212,000	157,800	157,800	---	-54,200	---
Total, Dislocated Worker Assistance	1,476,064	1,343,584	1,405,264	1,476,064	1,476,064	---	+70,800	---
Native Americans	54,238	54,238	54,238	54,238	54,238	---	---	FF
Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers	75,759	---	75,759	80,053	80,053	+4,294	+4,294	FF
Job Corps: Operations	844,670	851,019	851,019	881,000	874,000	+29,330	+22,981	FF
Advance from prior year	(586,272)	(591,000)	(591,000)	(591,000)	(591,000)	(+4,728)	---	NA
FY 2007	591,000	591,000	591,000	591,000	591,000	---	---	D
Construction and Renovation	16,190	---	---	10,000	8,000	-8,190	+8,000	D
Advance from prior year	(99,200)	(100,000)	(100,000)	(100,000)	(100,000)	(+800)	---	NA
FY 2007	100,000	75,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	---	---	D
Subtotal, Job Corps	1,551,860	1,517,019	1,542,019	1,582,000	1,573,000	+21,140	+30,981	-9,000
National Activities: Pilots, Demonstrations and Research	85,167	30,000	74,000	90,367	30,000	-55,167	-44,000	D
Responsible Reintegration of Youthful Offender	49,600	---	---	50,000	49,600	---	+49,600	D
Evaluation	7,936	7,936	7,936	7,936	7,936	---	---	D
Prisoner Re-entry	19,840	35,000	19,840	19,840	19,840	---	---	D

LABOR HEALTH and HUMAN SERVICES-EDUCATION AND RELATED AGENCIES
(Amounts in thousands)

	FY 2005 Comparable	FY 2006 Request	House	Senate	Conference	FY 2005 Comparable	Conference vs. FY 2006 House	FY 2006 Senate
Community College initiative.....	124,000	250,000	125,000	---	---	-124,000	-125,000	---
Community College initiative (NA) 1/.....	(125,000)	---	---	(125,000)	(125,000)	---	(+125,000)	---
Subtotal, CC initiative, program level.....	249,000	250,000	125,000	125,000	125,000	-124,000	---	---
Denial: Commission.....	6,944	---	---	6,944	6,944	---	+6,944	---
Other.....	3,458	2,000	2,000	3,458	2,000	-1,458	---	-1,458
Subtotal, National activities.....	296,945	324,936	228,776	178,545	116,320	-180,625	-112,456	-62,225
Subtotal, Federal activities.....	2,261,602	2,164,910	2,112,792	2,177,636	2,106,411	-155,191	-6,381	-71,225
Current Year.....	(1,358,602)	(1,286,910)	(1,209,792)	(1,274,636)	(1,203,411)	(-155,191)	(-6,381)	(-71,225)
FY 2007.....	(903,000)	(878,000)	(903,000)	(903,000)	(903,000)	---	---	---
Total, Training and Employment Services.....	5,337,772	5,055,513	5,121,792	5,250,806	5,115,411	-222,361	-6,381	-136,395
Current Year.....	(2,874,772)	(2,617,513)	(2,658,792)	(2,787,806)	(2,652,411)	(-222,361)	(-6,381)	(-136,395)
FY 2007.....	(2,463,000)	(2,438,000)	(2,463,000)	(2,463,000)	(2,463,000)	---	---	---
COMMUNITY SERVICE EMPLOYMENT FOR OLDER AMERICANS.....	436,678	436,678	436,678	436,678	436,678	---	---	---
FEDERAL UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS AND ALLOWANCES.....	1,057,300	966,400	966,400	966,400	966,400	-90,900	---	---
STATE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICE OPERATIONS								
Unemployment Compensation: State Operations.....	2,663,040	2,622,499	2,622,499	2,475,000	2,523,000	-140,040	-99,499	+48,000
National Activities.....	10,416	10,416	10,416	10,000	10,000	-416	-416	---
Subtotal, Unemployment Compensation.....	2,873,456	2,632,915	2,632,915	2,485,000	2,533,000	-140,456	-99,915	+48,000

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(Amounts in thousands)

	FY 2005 Comparable	FY 2006 Request	House	Senate	Conference	FY 2005		FY 2006	
						Comparable	House	House	Senate
Employment Service:									
Allotments to States:									
Federal Funds.....	23,114	23,300	23,300	23,114	23,114		-186		D
Trust Funds.....	757,478	672,700	672,700	723,188	700,000	-57,478	+27,300	-23,188	TF
Subtotal, allotments to States.....	780,592	696,000	696,000	746,302	723,114	-57,478	+27,114	-23,188	
ES National Activities.....	64,976	33,766	33,766	33,766	33,766	-31,210			TF
Subtotal, Employment Service.....	845,568	729,766	729,766	780,068	756,880	-88,688	+27,114	-23,188	
Federal Funds.....	23,114	23,300	23,300	23,114	23,114		-186		
Trust Funds.....	822,454	706,466	706,466	756,954	733,766	-88,688	+27,300	-23,188	
One-Stop Career Centers/Labor Market Information.....	97,974	87,974	87,974	77,000	82,487	-15,487	-5,487	+5,487	D
Work Incentives Grants.....	19,711	19,711	19,711	19,711	19,711				FF
Total, State Unemployment & Employment Svcs Federal Funds.....	3,636,709	3,470,366	3,470,366	3,361,779	3,392,078	-244,631	-78,288	+30,299	
Trust Funds.....	140,799	130,985	130,985	119,825	125,312	-15,487	-5,673	+5,487	
Trust Funds.....	(3,495,910)	(3,339,381)	(3,339,381)	(3,241,954)	(3,266,766)	(-229,144)	(-72,615)	(+24,812)	
ADVANCES TO THE UI AND OTHER TRUST FUNDS 2/.....	517,000	465,000	465,000	465,000	465,000	-52,000			M
NEW YORK STATE UNINSURED EMPLOYERS FUND.....				50,000				-50,000	
PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION									
Adult Employment and Training.....	38,874	44,631	44,631	43,631	43,631	+4,757	-1,000		D
Trust Funds.....	6,901	7,925	7,925	7,925	7,925	+1,024			TF

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	FY 2005 Comparable	FY 2006 Request	House	Senate	Conference	FY 2005 Comparable	Conference vs. FY 2006 House	FY 2006 Senate
OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL								
Program Activities.....	63,478	65,211	65,211	67,211	66,211	+2,733	+1,000	-1,000 D
Trust Funds.....	5,517	5,608	5,608	5,608	5,608	+91	---	--- TF
Total, Office of the Inspector General.....	68,995	70,819	70,819	72,819	71,819	+2,824	+1,000	-1,000
Federal Funds.....	63,478	65,211	65,211	67,211	66,211	+2,733	+1,000	-1,000
Trust Funds.....	5,517	5,608	5,608	5,608	5,608	+91	---	---
Total, Departmental Management.....	612,516	539,576	539,936	617,714	596,739	-15,777	+58,803	-20,975
Federal Funds.....	413,169	338,823	337,183	416,961	395,986	-17,183	+58,803	-20,975
Trust Funds.....	199,347	200,753	202,753	200,753	200,753	+1,406	-2,000	---
WORKING CAPITAL FUND								
Working capital fund.....	9,920	6,230	6,230	6,230	6,230	-3,690	---	--- D
Total, Title I, Department of Labor.....	15,321,804	14,724,465	14,801,322	14,957,122	14,764,129	-557,675	-37,193	-192,993
Federal Funds.....	17,489,478	17,016,450	17,091,307	17,357,845	17,133,840	-355,638	+42,533	-217,805
Current Year.....	(8,945,478)	(8,504,450)	(8,554,307)	(8,814,645)	(8,596,840)	(-348,638)	(+42,533)	(-217,805)
FY 2007.....	(2,544,000)	(2,512,000)	(2,537,000)	(2,537,000)	(2,537,000)	(-7,000)	---	---
Trust Funds.....	3,832,326	3,708,015	3,710,015	3,605,477	3,630,289	-202,037	-79,726	+24,812

Title I Footnotes:
1/ Funding from the Dislocated Worker National Reserve
2/ Two year availability

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	FY 2005 Comparable	FY 2006 Request	House	Senate	Conference	FY 2005 Comparable	FY 2006 House	FY 2006 Senate
RECAP								
Mandatory, total in bill	357,872,275	454,443,213	458,663,213	458,743,213	458,663,213	+100,790,938	---	-80,000
Less advances for subsequent years	-77,712,390	-76,897,825	-76,897,825	-76,897,825	-76,897,825	+814,565	---	---
Plus advances provided in prior years	74,061,975	77,712,390	77,712,390	77,712,390	77,712,390	+3,650,415	---	---
Total, mandatory, current year	354,221,860	455,257,778	459,477,778	459,557,778	459,477,778	+105,255,918	---	-80,000
Discretionary, total in bill	143,472,717	141,679,212	142,979,060	153,663,721	142,980,088	-492,629	+1,028	-10,683,633
Less advances for subsequent years	-19,285,301	-18,849,101	-19,285,301	-19,285,301	-19,285,301	---	---	---
Plus advances provided in prior years	19,241,277	19,285,301	19,285,301	19,285,301	19,285,301	+44,024	---	---
Subtotal, Discretionary, current year	143,428,693	142,115,412	142,979,060	153,663,721	142,980,088	-446,605	+1,028	-10,683,633
Scorekeeping adjustments:								
SSI User Fee Collection	-124,000	-119,000	-119,000	-119,000	-119,000	+5,000	---	---
SSI date shift	---	---	---	-3,360,000	---	---	---	+3,360,000
Vaccines for children legislative proposal	---	-100,000	---	---	---	---	---	---
Smallpox vaccine injury compensation (rescission)	-20,000	---	---	-10,000	-10,000	+10,000	-10,000	---
Medical facilities guarantee and loan fund (rescission)	-66,000	---	---	---	---	+66,000	---	---
Health professions student loan (rescission)	-19,000	-21,000	-15,912	-15,912	-26,500	-7,500	-10,588	-10,588
MMA Health Care infrastructure improvement program (P.L. 109-13) (rescission)	-58,000	---	---	---	---	+58,000	---	---
Adoption incentive (rescission)	---	---	---	---	-22,500	-22,500	-22,500	-22,500
Title V Chapter III (P.L. 109-13) (rescission)	-10,000	---	---	---	---	+10,000	---	---
H-1B (rescission)	-100,000	---	---	---	---	+100,000	---	---

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	FY 2005 Comparable	FY 2006 Request	House	Senate	Conference	FY 2005 Comparable	Conference vs.	
							FY 2006 House	FY 2006 Senate
Job Corps construction FY06 advance (rescission)...	...	-25,000	...	...	...	...	...	...
National Emergency Grant (healthcare premium) (rescission).....	...	-20,000	-20,000	-20,000	-20,000	-20,000	...	...
Workers compensation (NY 9-11) (rescission).....	...	-5,000	-5,000	-5,000	-5,000	-5,000	...	...
Workers compensation (9-11) (rescission).....	...	-120,000	-120,000	-120,000	-120,000	-120,000	...	...
Community College initiative (rescission).....	...	...	-125,000	...	-125,000	-125,000	...	-125,000
75 percent rule scoring.....	9,000	...	...	...	...	-9,000	...	...
Medicare eligible accruals (permanent, indefinite)	...	33,912	33,912	33,912	33,912	+33,912	...	...
EO drugs limitation.....	...	...	-95,000	-90,000	...	...	+95,000	+90,000
CPB (FY 2006 Rescission).....	...	-10,000	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHS administrative expenses reduction.....	...	...	...	...	-60,000	-60,000	...	-60,000
Limitation rule for Power Mobility Devices.....	...	...	...	-1,000	8,000	+8,000	...	+9,000
Limitation on HHS Consulting Services.....	...	...	...	-4,500	...	...	...	+4,500
Less emergency appropriations.....	-362,600	...	...	-8,414,100	...	-362,600	...	-8,414,100
Total, discretionary.....	142,678,093	141,729,324	142,513,060	141,538,121	142,514,000	-164,093	+940	-975,879
Adjustment to balance with 2005 enacted.....	-1,038	...	...	...	...	+1,038	...	...
Total, discretionary (FY 2005 enacted).....	142,677,055	141,729,324	142,513,060	141,538,121	142,514,000	-163,055	+940	+975,879
Grand total, current year (incl FY 2005 comparable)...	496,899,953	596,987,102	601,990,838	601,095,899	601,991,778	+105,091,825	+940	+695,879
Grand total, current year (incl FY 2005 enacted).....	496,898,915	596,987,102	601,990,838	601,095,899	601,991,778	+105,092,863	+940	+695,879