THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

May 2, 2008

Dear Madam Speaker:

I ask the Congress to consider the enclosed amendments to my FY 2009 Budget that provide the necessary resources for ongoing military and intelligence operations, as well as foreign assistance activities in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. They also provide the necessary resources for selected other international activities that advance our national security, including food assistance to address the global food crisis.

These amendments distribute by account \$70 billion of discretionary budget authority included as an allowance in my FY 2009 Budget for the Global War on Terror. This amount is already factored into the FY 2009 Budget projections and would not increase the deficit.

I hereby designate the specific proposals in the amounts requested herein as emergency requirements. This request represents urgent and essential requirements. The details of the request are set forth in the enclosed letter from the Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

Sincerely,

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi Speaker of the House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Enclosure



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

THE DIRECTOR

May 1, 2008

The President
The White House

Submitted for your consideration are amendments to your FY 2009 Budget that would provide necessary resources for ongoing military and intelligence operations, as well as civilian diplomatic efforts and foreign assistance activities in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. They would also provide necessary resources for selected other international activities that advance our national security, including urgent food aid.

These amendments distribute by account \$70 billion of discretionary budget authority included as an allowance in your FY 2009 Budget for the Global War on Terror (GWOT). The amendments, therefore, do not affect the total discretionary budget authority proposed in your FY 2009 Budget. This \$70 billion request and all prior war funding are included in your Administration's deficit projections.

Of the amounts to be distributed, \$66 billion is for the Department of Defense and classified activities, and \$4 billion is for international functions. The major categories of funding are highlighted below.

Military and Intelligence Operations

- \$45.1 billion to fund combat operations and related activities in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom (OIF) and Operation Enduring Freedom (OEF).
- \$3.7 billion to expand the size of the Afghan Security Forces and enhance their capacity to conduct counterinsurgency operations independent of U.S. assistance.
- \$2.0 billion to sustain efforts to enhance the Iraqi Security Forces' capacity to conduct independent counterinsurgency operations.
- \$1.7 billion for the Commander's Emergency Response Program in Iraq and Afghanistan to enable commanders to address local populations' urgent needs and gain support in the fight against insurgents.
- \$400 million to maintain and enhance medical and rehabilitation services associated with traumatic brain injury and psychological health issues for our Wounded Warriors returning from Iraq and Afghanistan.

- \$3.0 billion for classified activities.
- \$2.2 billion for projected increased fuel costs.
- \$900 million to reimburse partners for logistical, military, and other support in the GWOT.

Equipment and Force Structure

- \$3.0 billion to develop anti-improvised explosive device (IED) technologies and provide predeployment training in methods to counter all forms of IEDs.
- \$2.6 billion to transport and maintain Mine Resistant Ambush Protected vehicles in theater.
- \$1.3 billion to fund acquisition of 28 additional Unmanned Aerial Vehicles and support systems to enhance protection of U.S. and coalition forces.
- \$100 million for new force protection equipment in response to emerging threats in order to minimize U.S. casualties.

International Affairs and Stabilization Activities

- \$2.5 billion for ongoing GWOT activities:
 - \$1.4 billion for Iraq, including support for Provincial Reconstruction Teams (PRTs), Iraqi refugees and internally displaced persons (IDPs), provincial elections, security and operations, and the Office of the Inspector General.
 - \$1.1 billion for Afghanistan, including support for democracy and governance, agriculture, development, counter-narcotics, PRTs, humanitarian activities, and security and operations.
- \$770 million for emergency food aid and assistance to address the destabilizing effects of the global food crisis, including support for agriculture programs to increase food security.
- \$350 million to expand stability in the Middle East, including \$200 million for the West Bank, \$100 million for Jordan, and \$50 million for Lebanon.
- \$193.2 million for Pakistan to fund military and economic assistance, increase diplomatic activities in the Federally Administered Tribal Areas, and expand U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) operations.
- \$122.9 million to support stabilization activities in Africa, including support for Kenya, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Uganda, USAID operations in Sudan, and the African Union Mission in Somalia.
- \$35.6 million for increased diplomatic security support to several Middle East peace missions and personnel in Sudan and Somalia.
- \$15 million to advance the six-party talks agreement to address the North Korean nuclear program.

Recommendation

This request fulfills known and urgent needs and I recommend that you designate the specific amendments contained in this transmittal as emergency requirements.

I have carefully reviewed these proposals and am satisfied that they are necessary at this time. Therefore, I join Secretary Gates, Secretary Rice, Attorney General Mukasey, and Director McConnell in recommending you transmit the proposals to the Congress.

Sincerely,

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Jim Nussle Director

Enclosures

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: MILITARY PERSONNEL

Heading: Military Personnel, Army

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Pending Request: \$36,523,817,000

Proposed Amendment: \$3,500,000,000

Revised Request: \$40,023,817,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Military Personnel, Army," \$3,500,000,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: MILITARY PERSONNEL

Heading: Military Personnel, Navy

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Pending Request: \$24,080,598,000

Proposed Amendment: \$95,000,000

Revised Request: \$24,175,598,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Military Personnel, Navy," \$95,000,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: MILITARY PERSONNEL

Heading: Military Personnel, Marine Corps

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Pending Request: \$11,809,845,000

Proposed Amendment: \$85,000,000

Revised Request: \$11,894,845,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Military Personnel, Marine Corps," \$85,000,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: MILITARY PERSONNEL

Heading: Military Personnel, Air Force

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Pending Request: \$25,271,443,000

Proposed Amendment: \$105,000,000

Revised Request: \$25,376,443,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Military Personnel, Air Force," \$105,000,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: MILITARY PERSONNEL

Heading: National Guard Personnel, Army

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Pending Request: \$6,595,293,000

Proposed Amendment: \$20,000,000

Revised Request: \$6,615,293,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "National Guard Personnel, Army," \$20,000,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would partially fund the incremental costs for pay, allowances, subsistence, and other personnel costs for National Guard members performing additional pre- and post-mobilization training in support of duty in Iraq, Afghanistan, and other areas around the world in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Heading: Operation and Maintenance, Army

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Pending Request: \$31,243,092,000

Proposed Amendment: \$35,560,055,000

Revised Request: \$66,803,147,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Operation and Maintenance, Army," \$35,560,055,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would partially fund the incremental costs for activities in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. These activities include ground combat operations, flying hours, military intelligence activities, logistics support, fuel purchases, base support, depot maintenance, and over-ocean transportation related to military operations in Iraq and Afghanistan. In addition, this request includes security and detainee operations, and the Commander's Emergency Response Program in Afghanistan and Iraq. This request also includes Army-wide initiatives to accelerate force growth and to address wounded warrior needs, as well as other classified activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Heading: Operation and Maintenance, Navy

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Pending Request: \$34,922,398,000

Proposed Amendment: \$238,437,000

Revised Request: \$35,160,835,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Operation and Maintenance, Navy," \$238,437,000: Provided, That up to \$200,000,000 shall be transferred to the Coast Guard "Operating Expenses" account: Provided further, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would partially fund the incremental costs for activities conducted by the U.S. Coast Guard in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom, as well as other classified activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Heading: Operation and Maintenance, Marine Corps

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Pending Request: \$5,597,254,000

Proposed Amendment: \$2,200,000,000

Revised Request: \$7,797,254,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Operation and Maintenance, Marine Corps," \$2,200,000,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would partially fund the incremental costs for activities in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. These activities encompass ground combat operations, military intelligence activities, logistics support, fuel purchases, base support, and depot maintenance related to military operations in Iraq and Afghanistan. This request also includes funds to support pre-deployment training; mobilization; personal protective equipment; wounded warrior initiatives; contractor logistics support; command, control, communication, and intelligence activities; and second destination transportation.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Heading: Operation and Maintenance, Air Force

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Pending Request: \$35,902,487,000

Proposed Amendment: \$3,644,078,000

Revised Request: \$39,546,565,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Operation and Maintenance, Air Force," \$3,644,078,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would partially fund the incremental costs for activities in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. These activities encompass flying hours, combat operations, military intelligence activities, logistics support, fuel purchases, base support, depot maintenance, and over-ocean transportation related to military operations in Iraq and Afghanistan. This request includes mobilization efforts specific to airlift operations, air operations program support, base support programs, and combat communications, as well as other classified activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Heading: Operation and Maintenance, Defense-Wide

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Pending Request: \$26,091,864,000

Proposed Amendment: \$3,193,494,000

Revised Request: \$29,285,358,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Operation and Maintenance, Defense-Wide," \$3,193,494,000, of which

(1) not to exceed \$25,000,000 may be used for the Combatant Commander Initiative Fund, to be used in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom;

- (2) not to exceed \$100,000,000, to remain available until expended, may be used, notwithstanding any other provision of law, for the purpose of providing specialized training and procuring supplies and specialized equipment and providing such supplies and loaning such equipment on a non-reimbursable basis to coalition forces supporting United States military operations in Iraq and Afghanistan;
- (3) not to exceed \$50,000,000 may be used, notwithstanding any other provision of law, for the purpose of providing for the redevelopment of the Iraqi industrial sector by identifying, and providing assistance to, factories and other industrial facilities that are best situated to resume operations quickly and reemploy the Iraqi workforce; and (4) not to exceed \$900,000,000, to remain available until expended, may be used for payments to reimburse Pakistan, Jordan, and other key cooperating nations, for logistical, military, and other support provided, or to be provided, to United States military operations relating to Iraq, Afghanistan or other aspects of combating terrorism, notwithstanding any other provision of law:

Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose: Provided further, That reimbursement payments provided under (4) above may be made in such amounts as the Secretary of Defense, with the concurrence of the Secretary of State, and in consultation with the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, may determine, in his discretion, based on documentation determined by the Secretary of Defense to adequately account for the support provided, and such determination is final and conclusive upon the accounting officers of the United States, and 15 days following notification to the appropriate congressional committees: Provided further, That the Secretary of Defense shall provide

quarterly reports to the congressional defense committees on the use of funds provided under (2) and (4) above.

This proposal would partially fund the incremental costs for activities in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom, including classified activities. These activities encompass operations; transportation; supplies and equipment; depot maintenance; and command, control, and intelligence capabilities. This request would also fund the communication backbone and continuing support for voice, video and data systems management; transmission; and satellite services. In addition, this request would finance continuing support for contract audit; contract management; media; family support counseling; wounded, ill and injured initiatives; and critical infrastructure protection. This request includes funds to support the lift and sustainment costs of coalition partners.

The additional funding authorized for the Combatant Commander Initiative Fund supports unforeseen low-cost, high-benefit initiatives that enhance joint warfighting capabilities in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom.

The request would also partially fund payments to key cooperating nations (e.g., Pakistan and Jordan) and coalition countries providing logistical, military, or other support to U.S. military operations in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom, or other aspects of combating terrorism. Such support includes transportation into the theater, providing supplies to coalition forces in the theater, and helping coalition forces with communication support.

The proposed language would authorize the Department of Defense (DOD) to use up to \$100 million of Operation and Maintenance, Defense-wide funds to provide specialized training, supplies and equipment to coalition forces that could not deploy to or conduct their missions in Iraq and Afghanistan without such support. This authority will allow specialized predeployment training to ensure coalition forces are adequately prepared for deployment. Use of this authority to purchase equipment for deployments will allow the U.S. Government to retain ownership of such equipment and to rotate the equipment to follow-on replacements of coalition forces (except for those personal clothing items or other supplies not normally re-issued to follow-on rotations), thus achieving a cost savings. Furthermore, DOD can ensure that coalition forces have current and interoperable equipment, especially counter-improvised explosive device equipment, thus potentially reducing casualties for both coalition and U.S. forces.

The proposed language would also provide authority of up to \$50 million to continue the work being done by the Task Force to improve Business and Stability Operations in Iraq, as well as other classified activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Heading: Operation and Maintenance, Marine Corps Reserve

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Pending Request: \$213,131,000

Proposed Amendment: \$34,000,000

Revised Request: \$247,131,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Operation and Maintenance, Marine Corps Reserve," \$34,000,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would partially fund the incremental costs for activities in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. These activities encompass training, material readiness, logistics support, fuel purchases, training centers, base support, depot maintenance, and transportation related to the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan. This request also includes pre-mobilization training.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Heading: Drug Interdiction and Counter-Drug Activities, Defense

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Pending Request: \$1,060,463,000

Proposed Amendment: \$130,000,000

Revised Request: \$1,190,463,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Drug Interdiction and Counter-Drug Activities," \$130,000,000, to remain available until expended: Provided, That these funds may be used only for such activities related to Afghanistan, Central Asia, and the Horn of Africa: Provided further, That the Secretary of Defense may transfer the funds provided herein only to appropriations for military personnel; operation and maintenance; procurement; and research, development, test, and evaluation: Provided further, That the funds transferred shall be merged with and be available for the same purposes and for the same time period, as the appropriation to which transferred: Provided further, That the transfer authority provided in this paragraph is in addition to any other transfer authority available to the Department of Defense: Provided further, That upon a determination that all or part of the funds transferred from this appropriation are not necessary for the purposes provided herein, such amounts may be transferred back to this appropriation: Provided further, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund the incremental costs for counter-drug activities in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. These activities encompass training, equipment, intelligence, infrastructure, and information operations related to the campaign against narcotics trafficking and narcotics-related terrorist activities in Afghanistan and Central Asia.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Heading: <u>Medical Support Fund</u>

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Pending Request: ---

Proposed Amendment: \$400,000,000

Revised Request: \$400,000,000

(Immediately following the material under the heading "Defense Health Program" on page 266, insert the new heading <u>Medical Support Fund</u> along with the following appropriations language:)

There is hereby established in the Treasury of the United States a fund to be known as the "Medical Support Fund". For necessary expenses of the Medical Support Fund, \$400,000,000, to remain available until expended, to support programs and activities relating to the treatment, care, rehabilitation, recovery and support of the armed forces for traumatic brain injury and psychological health issues: Provided, that the Secretary of Defense may transfer such funds only to appropriations for military personnel; operation and maintenance; procurement; research, development, test and evaluation; and the Defense Health Program: Provided further, That funds transferred shall be merged with and be available for the same purposes and for the same time period as the appropriation or fund to which transferred: Provided further, That this transfer authority is in addition to any other transfer authority available to the Department of Defense: Provided further. That upon a determination that all or part of the funds transferred from this appropriation are not necessary for the purposes provided herein, such amounts may be transferred back to this appropriation: Provided further, That the Secretary of Defense shall, not fewer than 5 days prior to making transfers from this appropriation, notify the congressional defense committees in writing of the details of any such transfer: Provided further, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would authorize a new Medical Support Fund and partially fund activities to improve the effectiveness of efforts to transition service members returning from deployment in support of the Global War on Terror who have traumatic brain injuries or psychological health issues, to a successful return to productive military service or civilian society.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Heading: Afghanistan Security Forces Fund

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Pending Request: ---

Proposed Amendment: \$3,666,259,000

Revised Request: \$3,666,259,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following:)

For the "Afghanistan Security Forces Fund," \$3,666,259,000, to remain available until September 30, 2010: Provided, That such funds shall be available to the Secretary of Defense, notwithstanding any other provision of law, for the purpose of allowing the Commander, Combined Security Transition Command -Afghanistan, or the Secretary's designee, to provide assistance, with the concurrence of the Secretary of State, to the security forces of Afghanistan, including funding, the provision of equipment, supplies, services, and training, and facility and infrastructure repair, renovation, and construction: Provided further, That the authority to provide assistance under this heading is in addition to any other authority to provide assistance to foreign nations: Provided further, That the Secretary of Defense may transfer such funds to any appropriations available to the Department of Defense or to any other Federal account to accomplish the purposes provided herein: Provided further, That this transfer authority is in addition to any other transfer authority available to the Department of Defense: Provided further, That upon a determination that all or part of the funds so transferred from this appropriation are not necessary for the purposes herein, such amounts may be transferred back to this appropriation: Provided further, That contributions of funds for the purposes provided herein from any person, foreign government, or international organization may be credited to this Fund, and used for such purposes: Provided further, That the Secretary shall notify the congressional defense committees in writing upon the receipt and upon the transfer of any contribution, delineating the sources and amounts of the funds received and the specific use of such contributions: Provided further, That the Secretary of Defense shall, not fewer than 5 days prior to making transfers from this appropriation account, notify the congressional defense committees in writing of the details of any such transfer: Provided further, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would provide a total of \$3,666.3 million, which includes \$2,084.4 million for training, equipping, sustaining, and providing infrastructure to support the Afghan Ministry of Defense forces. Also included is \$1,513.6 million for training, equipping, sustaining, and providing infrastructure to support the Afghan Ministry of Interior forces. It further includes \$68.3 million for associated activities, including detainee operations and counterinsurgency activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Heading: Iraq Security Forces Fund

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Pending Request: ---

Proposed Amendment: \$2,000,000,000

Revised Request: \$2,000,000,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For the "Iraq Security Forces Fund," \$2,000,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2010: Provided, That such funds shall be available to the Secretary of Defense. notwithstanding any other provision of law, for the purpose of allowing the Commander, Multi-National Security Transition Command Iraq, or the Secretary's designee, to provide assistance, with the concurrence of the Secretary of State, to the security forces of Iraq, including the provision of equipment, supplies, services, training, facility and infrastructure repair, renovation, and construction, and to provide assistance to the Government of Iraq to support the disarmament, demobilization, and reintegration of the Sons of Iraq, former militia members, and former detainees: Provided further, That the authority to provide assistance under this heading is in addition to any other authority to provide assistance to foreign nations: Provided further, That the Secretary of Defense may transfer such funds to any appropriations available to the Department of Defense or to any other Federal account to accomplish the purposes provided herein: Provided further, That this transfer authority is in addition to any other transfer authority available to the Department of Defense: Provided further, That upon a determination that all or part of the funds so transferred from this appropriation are not necessary for the purposes provided herein, such amounts may be transferred back to this appropriation: Provided further, That contributions of funds for the purposes provided herein from any person, foreign government, or international organization may be credited to this Fund, and used for such purposes: Provided further, That the Secretary shall notify the congressional defense committees in writing upon the receipt and upon the transfer of any contribution, delineating the sources and amounts of the funds received and the specific use of such contributions: Provided further, That the Secretary of Defense shall, not fewer than 5 days prior to making transfers from this appropriation account, notify the congressional defense committees in writing of the details of any such transfer: Provided further, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would provide \$2 billion to support the Government of Iraq's efforts in training, equipping, sustaining, and providing infrastructure to support the Iraqi Ministry of Defense forces and the Iraqi Ministry of Interior forces. In addition, it would provide for associated activities, including a quick response fund to respond to urgent, time-sensitive requirements; and funds to support the Government of Iraq's disarmament, demobilization, and reintegration programs.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: PROCUREMENT

Heading: Other Procurement, Army

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Pending Request: \$11,367,926,000

Proposed Amendment: \$80,536,000

Revised Request: \$11,448,462,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Other Procurement, Army," \$80,536,000, to remain available until September 30, 2011: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund the procurement of 10 Sky Warrior unmanned aerial vehicles and associated ground stations, which have proven to be critical in protecting U.S. and coalition forces participating in military operations for the Global War on Terror, as well as for other classified activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: PROCUREMENT

Heading: Joint Improvised Explosive Device Defeat Fund

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Pending Request: \$496,300,000

Proposed Amendment: \$2,970,444,000

Revised Request: \$3,466,744,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Joint Improvised Explosive Device Defeat Fund," \$2,970,444,000, to remain available until September 30, 2011: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would enable the Department to continue to protect U.S. forces by defeating improvised explosive devices (IEDs) -- the enemy's weapon of choice. These funds will enable the Department to attack the IED network, defeat the devices, and train U.S. forces to defeat and disarm these weapons. The use of IEDs continues to be a significant challenging threat to U.S. and coalition forces in Iraq and Afghanistan. This request will fund action against components of the IED system, the IED makers, the trainers, and supporting infrastructures. It will enable the Department to meet joint urgent operational needs identified by the field commanders by developing and procuring the latest technologies and equipment. The request will fund efforts to improve the Department's ability to detect IEDs at greater stand-off distances; conduct research on counter-IED protective materials; and conduct research and development of systems to detect and counter-IED triggers at increasing ranges.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: PROCUREMENT

Heading: Aircraft Procurement, Air Force

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Pending Request: \$12,676,496,000

Proposed Amendment: \$1,209,300,000

Revised Request: \$13,885,796,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Aircraft Procurement, Air Force," \$1,209,300,000, to remain available until September 30, 2011: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund the procurement of 15 Reaper unmanned aerial vehicles, three Global Hawks, associated support equipment (e.g., terminals, video dissemination equipment) and ground stations, and eight wide area airborne surveillance sensors. Unmanned aerial vehicles have proven to be critical in protecting U.S. and coalition forces participating in military operations for the Global War on Terror.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: PROCUREMENT

Heading: Other Procurement, Air Force

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Pending Request: \$16,128,396,000

Proposed Amendment: \$1,467,475,000

Revised Request: \$17,595,871,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Other Procurement, Air Force," \$1,467,475,000, to remain available until September 30, 2011: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund classified activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: PROCUREMENT

Heading: Procurement, Defense-Wide

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Pending Request: \$3,164,228,000

Proposed Amendment: \$72,733,000

Revised Request: \$3,236,961,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Procurement, Defense-Wide," \$72,733,000, to remain available until September 30, 2011: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

The request would fund classified activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: PROCUREMENT

Heading: Rapid Acquisition Fund

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Pending Request: \$102,045,000

Proposed Amendment: \$100,000,000

Revised Request: \$202,045,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for the "Rapid Acquisition Fund," \$100,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2011: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would enable the Department to transfer funds for rapid response to unforeseen, joint urgent operational needs for U.S. Central Command to minimize casualties and to ensure mission success for Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. These funds will provide additional force protection equipment acquisition and sustainment that will address emerging requirements.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: PROCUREMENT

Heading: Mine Resistant Ambush Protected Vehicle Fund

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Pending Request: ---

Proposed Amendment: \$2,610,000,000

Revised Request: \$2,610,000,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following:)

For the "Mine Resistant Ambush Protected Vehicle Fund," \$2,610,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2010: Provided, That such funds shall be available to the Secretary of Defense, notwithstanding any other provision of law, to procure, sustain, transport, and field Mine Resistant Ambush Protected vehicles: Provided further, That the Secretary of Defense shall transfer such funds only to appropriations for operation and maintenance; procurement; research, development, test and evaluation; and defense working capital funds to accomplish the purpose provided herein: Provided further, That this transfer authority is in addition to any other transfer authority available to the Department of Defense: Provided further, That upon determination that all or part of the funds so transferred from this appropriation are not necessary for the purpose provided herein, such amounts may be transferred back to this appropriation: Provided further, That the Secretary of Defense shall, not fewer than 5 days prior to making transfers from this appropriation, notify the congressional defense committees in writing of the details of any such transfer: Provided further, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would enable the Department to fund the sustainment, transportation, and upgrades of Mine Resistant Ambush Protected Vehicles for forces deployed to support the Global War on Terror. It would also allow additional procurement should on-going analysis of theater requirements warrant.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST, AND EVALUATION

Heading: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Navy

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Pending Request: \$19,337,238,000

Proposed Amendment: \$113,228,000

Revised Request: \$19,450,466,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount of "Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Navy," \$113,228,000, to remain available until September 30, 2010: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would support classified activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST, AND EVALUATION

Heading: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force

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Pending Request: \$28,066,617,000

Proposed Amendment: \$71,741,000

Revised Request: \$28,138,358,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount of "Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force," \$71,741,000, to remain available until September 30, 2010: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would support classified activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST, AND EVALUATION

Heading: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Defense-Wide

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Pending Request: \$21,499,229,000

Proposed Amendment: \$194,156,000

Revised Request: \$21,693,385,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount of "Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Defense-Wide," \$194,156,000, to remain available until September 30, 2010: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund classified activities.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Bureau: REVOLVING AND MANAGEMENT FUNDS

Heading: Defense Working Capital Funds

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Pending Request: \$1,489,234,000

Proposed Amendment: \$2,200,000,000

Revised Request: \$3,689,234,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount of "Defense Working Capital Funds," \$2,200,000,000, to remain available until expended: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would enable the Department to fund projected fuel price increases above the crude oil price of \$84.01 per barrel assumed in the President's FY 2009 Budget. The price of crude oil has continued to climb, and the Department projects that these higher rates will remain in effect through FY 2009. The additional funding requested will support a crude oil price of \$97.19 per barrel and an average refined petroleum product of \$125.35.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Heading: Title VIII - General Provisions

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Pending Request: ---

Proposed Amendment: Language

Revised Request: ---

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new sections following Sec. 8058 and before the opening parenthesis of the bill citation:)

SEC. 8059. SPECIAL TRANSFER AUTHORITY. Upon the determination of the Secretary of Defense that such action is necessary in the national interest, the Secretary may transfer between appropriations up to \$4,000,000,000 of the funds made available to the Department of Defense in this Act and designated as an emergency requirement: Provided, That the Secretary shall notify the Congress promptly of each transfer made pursuant to the authority in this section: Provided further, That the authority provided in this section is in addition to any other transfer authority available to the Department of Defense and is subject to the same terms and conditions as the authority provided in section 8003 of this Act.

This language will provide the Department with special transfer authority to fund emerging requirements.

SEC. 8060. INTELLIGENCE AUTHORITY. Funds appropriated or made available by transfer in this act may be obligated and expended notwithstanding section 504(a)(1) of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 414(a)(1)).

This proposed waiver is necessary in order to authorize the Department and the Intelligence Community to obligate supplemental amounts for activities funded through the National Intelligence Program.

SEC. 8061. COMMANDER'S EMERGENCY RESPONSE PROGRAM (CERP) AUTHORITY.

(a) Availability of Funds for CERP. From funds made available in this Act to the Department of Defense and designated as an emergency requirement, not to exceed \$1,722,000,000, to remain available until December 31, 2009, may be used, notwithstanding any other provision of law, to fund the Commander's Emergency Response Program, for the purpose of enabling military commanders in Iraq to respond to urgent humanitarian relief and reconstruction requirements within their areas of responsibility by carrying out programs that will immediately assist the Iraqi people, and to fund a similar program to assist the people of

Afghanistan: Provided, That the Secretary of Defense may accept contributions of funds from any person, foreign government, or international organization to carry out the Commander's Emergency Response Program in Iraq or Afghanistan, and may use any funds contributed for such purpose.

(b) Quarterly Reports. Not later than 45 days after the end of each fiscal year quarter (beginning with the first quarter of fiscal year 2009), the Secretary of Defense shall submit to the congressional defense committees a report regarding the source of funds and the allocation and use of funds during that quarter that were made available pursuant to the authority provided in this section or under any other provision of law for the purposes of the programs under subsection (a).

Additional Commander's Emergency Response Program (CERP) authority is required to support the military commanders in winning the support of the locals and in stabilizing Iraq and Afghanistan. The CERP projects are identified by commanders working in concert with provincial and district leaders. The military commanders in the field believe that CERP is one of their most valuable weapons in securing and stabilizing the various regions/cities in Iraq. The last proviso will allow the Secretary of Defense to accept contributions from the Government of Iraq and others for the military commanders to use for CERP projects.

SEC. 8062. DEFENSE COOPERATION ACCOUNT CONTRIBUTIONS TRANSFER AUTHORITY. During fiscal year 2009, the Secretary of Defense may transfer amounts in or credited to the Defense Cooperation Account, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2608, to such appropriations or funds of the Department of Defense as he shall determine for use consistent with the purposes for which such funds were contributed and accepted: Provided, That such amounts shall be available for the same time period as the appropriation to which transferred: Provided further, That the Secretary shall report to the Congress all transfers made pursuant to this authority.

This authority will allow the Department to obligate any funds contributed by the Iraqis and others specifically for the Global War on Terror.

SEC. 8063. SPECIAL COUNTER-DRUG AUTHORITY.

- (a) AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE SUPPORT.—Of the amount appropriated by this Act under the heading, "Drug Interdiction and Counter-Drug Activities, Defense," not to exceed \$30,000,000 may be used for support for counter-drug activities of the Governments of Afghanistan, Kyrgyzstan, Kazakhstan, Pakistan, Tajikistan, and Turkmenistan: Provided, That such support shall be in addition to support provided for the counter-drug activities of such Governments under any other provision of the law.
- (b) TYPES OF SUPPORT.—(1) Except as specified in subsection (b)(2) of this section, the support that may be provided under the authority in this section shall be limited to the types of support specified in section 1033(c)(1) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1998 (Public Law 105–85, as amended by Public Laws 106–398, 108–136, and 109–364) and conditions on the provision of support as contained in section 1033 shall apply for fiscal year 2009.
- (2) The Secretary of Defense may transfer vehicles, aircraft, and detection, interception, monitoring and testing equipment to said Governments for counter-drug activities.

This section would add \$30 million in additional Section 1033 authority in FY 2009. Current law authorizes the Department of Defense (DOD) to provide specific types of support, not to exceed \$60 million annually. This authorization has enabled the Department and the U.S. Government to bolster nascent security efforts in Afghanistan and Central Asia. The requested authority increases the amount of funding DOD can spend to accommodate Afghanistan's and other Central Asia nations' acute requirements for equipment and maintenance. These countries are situated either along key drug smuggling routes or are facing an increasing threat of narcoterrorism. Enhanced interdiction capabilities for the countries listed in this legislation are critical to U.S. efforts to stem the flow of illicit drugs, and to reduce the threat of narcoterrorism to struggling democracies.

SEC. 8064. LIFT AND SUSTAIN AUTHORITY FOR IRAQ AND AFGHANISTAN. Funds made available to the Department of Defense in this Act and designated as an emergency requirement may be used, notwithstanding any other provision of law, to provide supplies, services, transportation, including airlift and sealift, and other logistical support to coalition forces supporting military and stability operations in Iraq and Afghanistan: Provided, That the Secretary of Defense shall provide quarterly reports to the congressional defense committees regarding support provided under this section.

This section would authorize the Department of Defense (DOD) to provide airlift, sealift, and sustainment for countries supporting U.S. military operations in Iraq and Afghanistan. The DOD has used this authority, generally referred to as Lift and Sustain authority, to support willing coalition countries that otherwise could not support U.S. military operations. Smaller coalition countries do not have the financial means or the funding to transport their forces to and from the operating theater or to sustain their forces for extended deployments. Direct support from the United States is critical to enabling forces from these countries to remain in theater. Without this authority, many coalition countries will not be able to maintain their forces in U.S. military operations thus increasing the stress on U.S. forces operating in theater.

SEC. 8065. EXTENSION OF FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR POST TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER AND TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY. Of the amounts provided under the heading "Defense Health Program" in Public Law 110-28, for the treatment of traumatic brain injury and post-traumatic stress disorder, \$600,000,000 of such amounts shall be available for psychological health and traumatic brain injury: Provided, That of such amounts, \$100,000,000 shall remain available until September 30, 2009.

The Department needs to extend the period of availability for \$100 million of the \$600 million appropriated for Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder and Traumatic Brain Injury in the U.S. Troop Readiness, Veterans' Care, Katrina Recovery, and Iraq Accountability Appropriations Act, 2007 (Public Law 110-28) to ensure funds are executed in a fiscally prudent manner. While the Department has moved aggressively to improve research, prevention, access, diagnosis, mitigation, treatment and rehabilitative care for individuals with Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder and Traumatic Brain Injury, initial ramp-up and staffing requirements have taken longer than expected due to the specialized and cutting-edge nature of these programs. To avoid further complications in the execution of these funds, the language also clarifies that the funding

provided for Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder is available under the more broadly defined term of psychological health.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Bureau: FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL SERVICE

Heading: Public Law 480 Title II Grants

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Pending Request: \$1,225,900,000

Proposed Amendment: \$395,000,000

Revised Request: \$1,620,900,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the appropriations language below.)

For an additional amount for "Public Law 480 Title II Grants," \$395,000,000, to remain available until expended: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would increase the pending request by \$395 million in order to provide emergency food aid for Africa and elsewhere, as food and shipping prices and needs have increased.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Bureau: FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Heading: Salaries and Expenses

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FY 2009

Pending Request: \$7,065,100,000

Proposed Amendment: \$39,062,000

Revised Request: \$7,104,162,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Salaries and Expenses," \$39,062,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would provide the Federal Bureau of Investigation \$39 million to support counter-terrorism and counter-proliferation activities and equipment, terrorism intelligence gathering efforts, and law enforcement operations in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Bureau: ADMINISTRATION OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Heading: Diplomatic and Consular Programs

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Pending Request: \$5,364,269,000

Proposed Amendment: \$1,064,450,000

Revised Request: \$6,428,719,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Diplomatic and Consular Programs," \$1,064,450,000, of which \$45,800,000 for Worldwide Security Programs is available until expended: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would partially fund the incremental costs for activities in Iraq, Afghanistan, Pakistan and the Middle East. These activities include \$921 million to support personnel, logistics, security, and other costs associated with operating for the United States Mission in Iraq, \$101 million for personnel, security, and transport for the United States Mission in Afghanistan, \$7 million for increased diplomatic efforts in the Federally Administered Tribal Areas of Pakistan, \$36 million for security and operational support in Sudan and Somalia, and to support several diplomatic Middle East Peace Missions.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Bureau: ADMINISTRATION OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Heading: Office of Inspector General

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FY 2009

Pending Request: \$35,508,000

Proposed Amendment: \$16,800,000

Revised Request: \$52,308,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for the "Office of Inspector General," \$16,800,000: Provided, That \$15,000,000 shall be transferred to the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction for reconstruction oversight: Provided further, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund the incremental costs of \$1.8 million for the Office of Inspector General's Middle East Regional Office for operational expenses related to program oversight in the Middle East and \$15.0 million for operational expenses for the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Bureau: INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND CONFERENCES

Heading: Contributions to International Organizations

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FY 2009

Pending Request: \$1,529,400,000

Proposed Amendment: \$40,000,000

Revised Request: \$1,569,400,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the appropriations language below.)

For an additional amount for "Contributions to International Organizations," \$40,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2010: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would provide \$40 million for Contributions to International Organizations to fund U.S. assessed payments for United Nations Special Political Missions in Iraq (\$30 million) and Afghanistan (\$10 million).

Agency: INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Bureau: OTHER

Heading: Migration and Refugee Assistance

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FY 2009

Pending Request: \$764,000,000

Proposed Amendment: \$191,000,000

Revised Request: \$955,000,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Migration and Refugee Assistance," \$191,000,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund the incremental costs of \$191 million for refugees, of which \$141 million is for urgently needed basic social services to Iraqi refugees and \$50 million is for urgently needed basic social services to Afghan refugees.

Agency: INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Bureau: OTHER

Heading: International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement

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FY 2009

Pending Request: \$1,202,061,000

Proposed Amendment: \$225,000,000

Revised Request: \$1,427,061,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement," \$225,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2011: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund the incremental costs of \$175 million for counternarcotics and rule of law programs in Afghanistan to sustain reductions in poppy cultivation and enhance public confidence and access in the justice and law enforcement sectors.

The proposal also includes \$50 million for the West Bank to train, equip, and garrison Palestinian Authority Security Forces.

Agency: INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Bureau: INTERNATIONAL SECURITY ASSISTANCE

Heading: Economic Support Fund

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FY 2009

Pending Request: \$3,153,743,000

Proposed Amendment: \$1,297,700,000

Revised Request: \$4,451,443,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Economic Support Fund," \$1,297,700,000, to remain available until September 30, 2010: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose: Provided further, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, of the funds appropriated under this heading, up to \$15,000,000 may be made available for assistance to the Democratic Peoples Republic of Korea to support the goals of the Six Party Talks: Provided further, That with respect to the previous proviso, the Secretary of State shall, not fewer than 5 days prior to the obligation of funds from this appropriation for such purpose, notify the Committees on Appropriations of the Senate and the House of Representatives in writing of the details of any such obligation.

This proposal would fund the incremental costs for activities in Afghanistan, Iraq, Pakistan, the West Bank, Jordan and North Korea. This includes \$750 million to support the continuation of urgent assistance programs in Afghanistan. Of this amount, \$100 million would sustain funding for alternative development programs in large poppy producing provinces; \$189 million would support road and power projects; \$220 million would support democracy and governance programs including support for local elections, rule of law, and civil society; \$101 million would fund the continuation and expansion of agriculture and economic development programs; \$125 million would continue the Local Governance and Capacity Development program at the provincial level; and \$15 million would provide support for internally displaced persons (IDPs).

The proposal would provide \$212.8 million for Iraq, including \$75 million for a new, urgent program to support upcoming provincial elections that the Iraqi government recently announced and \$137.8 million for the Quick Response Fund to give our Provincial Reconstruction Team leaders the resources they need to support stability operations, accelerate provincial economic development, and provide critical employment opportunities.

This proposal would also provide:

- \$70 million for Pakistan for district elections support, good governance programs, and rural health and basic education initiatives in conflict regions outside of the Federally Administered Tribal Areas;
- \$150 million for urgent budget support to the Palestinian Authority;
- \$100 million for Jordan, including \$60 million for support to communities that have experienced an influx of Iraqi refugees and \$40 million to support economic growth, health, education, and governance programs to help Jordan cope with increasing economic pressures; and
- \$15 million for Heavy Fuel Oil to North Korea in return for actions taken by North Korea on denuclearization. Authority is required to provide the heavy fuel oil or an equivalent value of energy or economic assistance to North Korea on an "action-for-action" basis in support of the Six Party Talks. This assistance is in return for actions taken by North Korea on denuclearization and would allow other programs supporting the Six Party Talks.

Agency: INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Bureau: INTERNATIONAL SECURITY ASSISTANCE

Heading: Foreign Military Financing Program

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FY 2009

Pending Request: \$4,812,000,000

Proposed Amendment: \$170,000,000

Revised Request: \$4,982,000,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Foreign Military Financing Program," \$170,000,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund the incremental costs of military assistance for Pakistan, Lebanon, and Poland. Of the \$170 million requested, \$100 million is for military assistance for Pakistan to reduce terrorist and militant activity in the Afghanistan-Pakistan border region including efforts to train and equip Pakistan's Frontier Corps; \$50 million is for military assistance for Lebanon to increase its ability to secure its borders and provide additional security training and equipment to the Lebanese Armed Forces; and \$20 million is for military assistance for Poland to enhance its military capabilities.

Agency: INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Bureau: INTERNATIONAL SECURITY ASSISTANCE

Heading: Peacekeeping Operations

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Pending Request: \$247,200,000

Proposed Amendment: \$60,000,000

Revised Request: \$307,200,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Peacekeeping Operations," \$60,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2010: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would provide \$60 million to fund U.S. assistance to international efforts to monitor and maintain peace in Somalia and Democratic Republic of Congo. Of the \$60 million, \$20 million will be used to train and equip a counterterrorism brigade that will help stabilize the security situation in eastern Congo. The remaining \$40 million will permit deployment of additional troops in support of the African Union Mission in Somalia (AMISOM). AMISOM troops will support efforts toward national elections and the restoration of effective governance and lasting stability.

Agency: INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Bureau: AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Heading: Development Assistance

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FY 2009

Pending Request: \$1,639,055,000

Proposed Amendment: \$210,000,000

Revised Request: \$1,849,055,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Development Assistance," \$210,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2010: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund the incremental costs for U.S. Agency for International Development agriculture programs aimed at food security and improved production in food-insecure countries (\$150 million); \$45 million to support political reconciliation in Kenya; and \$15 million for stabilization efforts in Uganda.

Agency: INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Bureau: AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Heading: International Disaster Assistance

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FY 2009

Pending Request: \$298,050,000

Proposed Amendment: \$270,000,000

Revised Request: \$568,050,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "International Disaster Assistance," \$270,000,000, to remain available until expended: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal would fund the incremental costs of critical humanitarian needs. Of the \$270 million requested, \$225 million would address urgent humanitarian needs created by high food prices in vulnerable populations abroad, particularly in Africa, including up to \$125 million for local and regional procurement of food aid abroad. The proposal includes \$45 million to address urgent humanitarian needs in Iraq, such as the provision of emergency relief supplies, support for water and sanitation infrastructure, creation of safe protective spaces for women and children, and emergency health care, or to address other urgent humanitarian needs.

Agency: INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Bureau: AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Heading: Operating Expenses of the United States Agency for International

Development

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Pending Request: \$767,184,000

Proposed Amendment: \$60,000,000

Revised Request: \$827,184,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new paragraph immediately after the concluding period:)

For an additional amount for "Operating Expenses of the United States Agency for International Development," \$60,000,000: Provided, That the Congress designates this amount as an emergency requirement for this specific purpose.

This proposal provides \$60 million for the extraordinary security, personnel, and other operational costs supporting U.S. Agency for International Development assistance to Afghanistan, Iraq, Pakistan and Sudan. Of this amount, \$17.5 million is for Afghanistan; \$23.6 million is for Iraq; \$16 million is for Pakistan; and \$2.9 million is for Sudan.

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Other International Programs

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Pending Request ---

Proposed Amendment: Language

Revised Request: ---

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new sections immediately after the language in Sec. 642 and before the opening parenthesis of the bill citation:)

AUTHORIZATION

Sec. 643. Funds appropriated by this Act may be obligated and expended notwithstanding section 10 of Public Law 91–672 (22 U.S.C. 2412), section 15 of the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 (22 U.S.C. 2680), and section 504(a)(1) of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 414(a)(1)).

The proposal contains appropriations for a number of items for which authorizations for fiscal year 2009 have not yet been enacted. This provision would allow funds appropriated to be obligated in the absence of a prior authorization of appropriations.

BUYING POWER MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

Sec. 644. Buying Power Maintenance Account. Expired, unobligated balances of funds appropriated for fiscal year 2009 under the headings 'Administration of Foreign Affairs' and 'Broadcasting Board of Governors' in this or any other Act may be transferred to and merged with the Buying Power Maintenance Accounts of the Department of State and the Broadcasting Board of Governors, respectively, not later than the end of the fifth fiscal year after the last fiscal year for which such funds are available for the purposes for which appropriated, notwithstanding section 24(b)(7)(D) of the State Department Basic Authorities Act.

This provision would permit the transfer of expired, unobligated balances of funds appropriated for fiscal year 2009 to the no-year Buying Power Maintenance Accounts of the Department of State and Broadcasting Board of Governors (BBG).

This authority will help the Department of State and Broadcasting Board of Governors offset adverse fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates, which in recent years have exerted considerable downward pressure on Department of State and BBG accounts. The

provision waives section 24(b)(7)(D) of the State Department Basic Authorities Act (22 USC 2696(b)(7)(D)), which makes such transfers subject to advance appropriations, to clarify that exercise of this authority does not require future appropriations.

The Buying Power Maintenance Account (BPMA) authority was established to provide the Department of State and the Broadcasting Board of Governors with a mechanism to respond to varying exchange rates; however, both accounts have been depleted and are unable to capture exchange rate gains due to the dollar's prolonged decline overseas.