IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT ACCOUNT

(Dollars in Thousands)

Permanent Indefinite Special Fund	Perm. <u>Pos.</u>	FTE	Amount
2000 actuals			\$1,817
2001 availability			1,850
Proposed reprogramming ^{1/}			3,660
2001 anticipated			5,510
2002 base			5,510
Program changes			
2002 estimate			5,510

1/ INS is preparing a reprogramming notification for FY 2001. The reprogramming is supported by higher than anticipated receipts in FY 2000, and is a restoration of the permanent reprogramming approved in FY 2000.

	2001 Anticipated			2002 Base			2002 Estimate			Program Changes		
	Perm			Perm			Perm			Perm		
Comparison by activity and program	Pos.	<u>FTE</u>	<u>Amount</u>	Pos.	<u>FTE</u>	<u>Amount</u>	Pos.	<u>FTE</u>	<u>Amount</u>	Pos.	<u>FTE</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Immigration Support:												
Data and Communications	•••	•••	\$5,510			\$5,510		•••	\$5,510	•••	•••	•••

Program Description

The Immigration Enforcement account was established under Section 382 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (IIRIRA) of 1996. Previously, similar fines were collected and deposited into the Immigration User Fee account. In addition to creating this new account, IIRIRA also added new types of fines, such as those fines levied against aliens for failure to depart the United States after being so ordered.

The authorized uses of this fund consist of: the identification, investigation, apprehension, detention and removal of criminal aliens; the maintenance and updating of systems to track criminal and illegal aliens on the border in areas with high apprehensions to deter illegal entry; and the repair, maintenance, and construction of border facilities.

For FY 2002, INS plans to spend these fines receipts for maintaining and updating enforcement equipment and systems, such as the Enforcement Case Tracking System (ENFORCE), the Integrated Surveillance Intelligence System (ISIS), and the Automated Fingerprinting Identification System (IDENT).