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### 106TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION H.R.4733

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

That the following sums are appropriated, out of any
 money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the
 fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, for energy and
 water development, and for other purposes, namely:

5 TITLE I
6 DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE—CIVIL
7 DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
8 CORPS OF ENGINEERS—CIVIL

9 The following appropriations shall be expended under 10 the direction of the Secretary of the Army and the super-11 vision of the Chief of Engineers for authorized civil func-12 tions of the Department of the Army pertaining to rivers 13 and harbors, flood control, beach erosion, and related pur-14 poses.

15 General Investigations

16 For expenses necessary for the collection and study of basic information pertaining to river and harbor, flood 17 18 control, shore protection, and related projects, restudy of 19 authorized projects, miscellaneous investigations, and, when authorized by laws, surveys and detailed studies and 20 21 plans and specifications of projects prior to construction, 22 \$153,327,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-23 vided, That in conducting the Southwest Valley Flood 24 Damage Reduction, Albuquerque, New Mexico, study, the 25 Secretary of the Army, acting through the Chief of Engineers, shall include an evaluation of flood damage reduc tion measures that would otherwise be excluded from fea sibility analysis based on restrictive policies regarding the
 frequency of flooding, the drainage area, and the amount
 of runoff.

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#### CONSTRUCTION, GENERAL

7 For the prosecution of river and harbor, flood control, 8 shore protection, and related projects authorized by laws; 9 and detailed studies, and plans and specifications, of 10 projects (including those for development with participation or under consideration for participation by States, 11 12 local governments, or private groups) authorized or made 13 eligible for selection by law (but such studies shall not constitute a commitment of the Government to construction), 14 15 \$1,378,430,000, to remain available until expended, of which such sums as are necessary for the Federal share 16 17 of construction costs for facilities under the Dredged Material Disposal Facilities program shall be derived from 18 19 the Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund, as authorized by 20Public Law 104–303; and of which such sums as are nec-21 essary pursuant to Public Law 99–662 shall be derived 22 from the Inland Waterways Trust Fund, for one-half of 23 the costs of construction and rehabilitation of inland wa-24 terways projects, including rehabilitation costs for the 25 Lock and Dam 12, Mississippi River, Iowa; Lock and Dam

24, Mississippi River, Illinois and Missouri; Lock and
 Dam 3, Mississippi River, Minnesota; and London Locks
 and Dam, and Kanawha River, West Virginia, projects;
 and of which funds are provided for the following projects
 in the amounts specified:

6 San Timoteo Creek (Santa Ana River Mainstem),7 California, \$5,000,000;

8 Indianapolis Central Waterfront, Indiana,9 \$7,000,000;

10 Southern and Eastern Kentucky, Kentucky,11 \$4,000,000; and

12 Clover Fork, Middlesboro, Town of Martin, Pike 13 County (including Levisa Fork and Tug Fork Tributaries), Bell County, Martin County, and Harlan County, 14 15 Kentucky, elements of the Levisa and Tug Forks of the Big Sandy River and Upper Cumberland River, Kentucky, 16 17 \$19,000,000: *Provided*, That the Secretary of the Army, acting through the Chief of Engineers, is directed to pro-18 19 ceed with planning, engineering, design and construction 20 of the Town of Martin, Kentucky, element, in accordance 21 with Plan A as set forth in the preliminary draft Detailed 22 Project Report, Appendix T of the General Plan of the 23 Huntington District Commander: *Provided further*, That 24 using \$900,000 of the funds appropriated herein, the Sec-25 retary of the Army, acting through the Chief of Engineers, is directed to undertake the Bowie County Levee project,
 which is defined as Alternative B Local Sponsor Option,
 in the Corps of Engineers document entitled Bowie Coun ty Local Flood Protection, Red River, Texas, Project De sign Memorandum No. 1, Bowie County Levee, dated
 April 1997.

7 FLOOD CONTROL, MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBU8 TARIES, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, KENTUCKY, LOU9 ISIANA, MISSISSIPPI, MISSOURI, AND TENNESSEE

For expenses necessary for prosecuting work of flood control, and rescue work, repair, restoration, or maintenance of flood control projects threatened or destroyed by flood, as authorized by law (33 U.S.C. 702a and 702g– 14 1), \$323,350,000, to remain available until expended.

#### 15 Operation and Maintenance, General

16 For expenses necessary for the preservation, oper-17 ation, maintenance, and care of existing river and harbor, flood control, and related works, including such sums as 18 may be necessary for the maintenance of harbor channels 19 20 provided by a State, municipality or other public agency, 21 outside of harbor lines, and serving essential needs of gen-22 eral commerce and navigation; surveys and charting of 23 northern and northwestern lakes and connecting waters; 24 clearing and straightening channels; and removal of ob-25 structions to navigation, \$1,854,000,000, to remain avail-

able until expended, of which such sums as become avail-1 2 able in the Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund, pursuant to 3 Public Law 99–662, may be derived from that Fund, and 4 of which such sums as become available from the special 5 account established by the Land and Water Conservation Act of 1965, as amended (16 U.S.C. 460l), may be derived 6 7 from that account for construction, operation, and mainte-8 nance of outdoor recreation facilities.

9 REGULATORY PROGRAM

10 For expenses necessary for administration of laws pertaining to regulation of navigable waters and wetlands, 11 12 \$125,000,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-13 *vided*, That the Secretary of the Army, acting through the Chief of Engineers, is directed to use funds appropriated 14 15 herein to: (1) by March 1, 2001, supplement the report, Cost Analysis For the 1999 Proposal to Issue and Modify 16 17 Nationwide Permits, to reflect the Nationwide Permits actually issued on March 9, 2000, including changes in the 18 19 acreage limits, preconstruction notification requirements 20and general conditions between the rule proposed on July 21 21, 1999, and the rule promulgated and published in the 22 Federal Register; (2) after consideration of the cost anal-23 ysis for the 1999 proposal to issue and modify nationwide 24 permits and the supplement prepared pursuant to this Act 25 and by September 30, 2001, prepare, submit to Congress

and publish in the Federal Register a Permit Processing 1 2 Management Plan by which the Corps of Engineers will 3 handle the additional work associated with all projected 4 increases in the number of individual permit applications 5 and preconstruction notifications related to the new and 6 replacement permits and general conditions. The Permit 7 Processing Management Plan shall include specific objec-8 tive goals and criteria by which the Corps of Engineers' 9 progress towards reducing any permit backlog can be 10 measured; (3) beginning on December 31, 2001, and on a biannual basis thereafter, report to Congress and pub-11 12 lish in the Federal Register, an analysis of the perform-13 ance of its program as measured against the criteria set 14 out in the Permit Processing Management Plan; (4) im-15 plement a 1-year pilot program to publish quarterly on the U.S. Army Corps of Engineer's Regulatory Program 16 17 website all Regulatory Analysis and Management Systems 18 (RAMS) data for the South Pacific Division and North 19 Atlantic Division beginning within 30 days of the enactment of this Act; and (5) publish in Division Office 20 21 websites all findings, rulings, and decisions rendered 22 under the administrative appeals process for the Corps of 23 Engineers Regulatory Program as established in Public 24 Law 106–60: *Provided further*, That, through the period ending on September 30, 2003, the Corps of Engineers 25

shall allow any appellant to keep a verbatim record of the 1 2 proceedings of the appeals conference under the aforemen-3 tioned administrative appeals process: Provided further, 4 That within 30 days of the enactment of this Act, the Sec-5 retary of the Army, acting through the Chief of Engineers, shall require all U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Divisions 6 7 and Districts to record the date on which a Section 404 8 individual permit application or nationwide permit notifi-9 cation is filed with the Corps of Engineers: Provided fur-10 ther, That the Corps of Engineers, when reporting permit processing times, shall track both the date a permit appli-11 12 cation is first received and the date the application is con-13 sidered complete, as well as the reason that the application is not considered complete upon first submission. 14

- 15 FORMERLY UTILIZED SITES REMEDIAL ACTION
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#### Program

For expenses necessary to clean up contamination from sites throughout the United States resulting from work performed as part of the Nation's early atomic energy program, \$140,000,000, to remain available until expended.

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#### GENERAL EXPENSES

For expenses necessary for general administration
and related functions in the Office of the Chief of Engineers and offices of the Division Engineers; activities of

the Coastal Engineering Research Board, the Humphreys 1 Engineer Center Support Activity, the Water Resources 2 3 Support Center, and headquarters support functions at 4 the USACE Finance Center, \$149,500,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That no part of any 5 other appropriation provided in title I of this Act shall 6 7 be available to fund the activities of the Office of the Chief 8 of Engineers or the executive direction and management 9 activities of the division offices: *Provided further*, That 10 none of these funds shall be available to support an office of congressional affairs within the executive office of the 11 Chief of Engineers. 12

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#### **REVOLVING FUND**

Amounts in the Revolving Fund are available for the costs of relocating the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers headquarters to office space in the General Accounting Office headquarters building in Washington, D.C.

#### 18 Administrative Provisions

Appropriations in this title shall be available for official reception and representation expenses (not to exceed \$5,000); and during the current fiscal year the Revolving Fund, Corps of Engineers, shall be available for purchase (not to exceed 100 for replacement only) and hire of passenger motor vehicles. 1

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#### GENERAL PROVISIONS

CORPS OF ENGINEERS—CIVIL

SEC. 101. 16 U.S.C. 777c(a) is amended in the sec-3 ond sentence by striking "2000" and inserting "2001". 4 5 SEC. 102. (a) The Secretary of the Army shall enter into an agreement with the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, 6 7 wherein the City agrees to assume all of the responsibil-8 ities of the Trinity River Authority of Texas under Con-9 tract No. DACW63–76–C–0166, other than financial re-10 sponsibilities, except as provided for in subsection (c) of this section. The Trinity River Authority shall be relieved 11 of all of its financial responsibilities under the Contract 12 13 as of the date the Secretary of the Army enters into the 14 agreement with the City.

(b) In consideration of the agreement referred to in
subsection (a), the City shall pay the Federal Government
a total of \$4,290,000 in two installments, one in the
amount of \$2,150,000, which shall be due and payable no
later than December 1, 2000, and one in the amount of
\$2,140,000, which shall be due and payable no later than
December 1, 2003.

(c) The agreement executed pursuant to subsection(a) shall include a provision requiring the City to assumeall costs associated with operation and maintenance of the

recreation facilities included in the Contract referred to
 in that subsection.

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4	DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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Central Utah Project

6 CENTRAL UTAH PROJECT COMPLETION ACCOUNT

7 For carrying out activities authorized by the Central 8 Utah Project Completion Act, \$38,724,000, to remain 9 available until expended, of which \$19,158,000 shall be 10 deposited into the Utah Reclamation Mitigation and Conservation Account: Provided, That of the amounts depos-11 ited into that account, \$5,000,000 shall be considered the 12 13 Federal contribution authorized by paragraph 402(b)(2)of the Central Utah Project Completion Act and 14 15 \$14,158,000 shall be available to the Utah Reclamation Mitigation and Conservation Commission to carry out ac-16 tivities authorized under that Act. 17

In addition, for necessary expenses incurred in car-rying out related responsibilities of the Secretary of theInterior, \$1,216,000, to remain available until expended.

21 BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

The following appropriations shall be expended toexecute authorized functions of the Bureau of Reclama-tion:

## WATER AND RELATED RESOURCES

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(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

3 For management, development, and restoration of water and related natural resources and for related activi-4 5 ties, including the operation, maintenance and rehabilitation of reclamation and other facilities, participation in 6 7 fulfilling related Federal responsibilities to Native Ameri-8 cans, and related grants to, and cooperative and other 9 agreements with, State and local governments, Indian 10 tribes, and others, \$635,777,000, to remain available until expended, of which \$1,916,000 shall be available for trans-11 12 fer to the Upper Colorado River Basin Fund and 13 \$39,467,000 shall be available for transfer to the Lower Colorado River Basin Development Fund; of which such 14 15 amounts as may be necessary may be advanced to the Col-16 orado River Dam Fund; and of which not to exceed 17 \$200,000 is for financial assistance for the preparation 18 of cooperative drought contingency plans under title II of 19 Public Law 102–250: *Provided*, That such transfers may 20 be increased or decreased within the overall appropriation 21 under this heading: *Provided further*, That of the total ap-22 propriated, the amount for program activities that can be 23 financed by the Reclamation Fund or the Bureau of Reclamation special fee account established by 16 U.S.C. 24 25 460l–6a(i) shall be derived from that Fund or account: *Provided further*, That funds contributed under 43 U.S.C. 26 •HR 4733 EH

395 are available until expended for the purposes for 1 which contributed: *Provided further*, That funds advanced 2 3 under 43 U.S.C. 397a shall be credited to this account 4 and are available until expended for the same purposes 5 as the sums appropriated under this heading: *Provided further*, That funds available for expenditure for the De-6 7 partmental Irrigation Drainage Program may be expended 8 by the Bureau of Reclamation for site remediation on a 9 non-reimbursable basis: *Provided further*, That section 10 301 of Public Law 102–250, Reclamation States Emergency Drought Relief Act of 1991, as amended, is amend-11 ed further by inserting "2000, and 2001" in lieu of "and 12 13 2000": Provided further, That the amount authorized for Minidoka Project North Side Pumping Division, Idaho, by 14 15 section 5 of Public Law 81–864, is increased by \$2,805,000: Provided further, That none of the funds ap-16 17 propriated in this Act may be used by the Bureau of Reclamation for closure of the Auburn Dam, California, diver-18 sion tunnel or restoration of the American River channel 19 20through the Auburn Dam construction site.

21 BUREAU OF RECLAMATION LOAN PROGRAM ACCOUNT

For the cost of direct loans and/or grants,
\$8,944,000, to remain available until expended, as authorized by the Small Reclamation Projects Act of August 6,
1956, as amended (43 U.S.C. 422a-4221): *Provided*, That
such costs, including the cost of modifying such loans,
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shall be as defined in section 502 of the Congressional
 Budget Act of 1974, as amended: *Provided further*, That
 these funds are available to subsidize gross obligations for
 the principal amount of direct loans not to exceed
 \$27,000,000.

6 In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to 7 carry out the program for direct loans and/or grants, 8 \$425,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, 9 That of the total sums appropriated, the amount of pro-10 gram activities that can be financed by the Reclamation 11 Fund shall be derived from that Fund.

12 CENTRAL VALLEY PROJECT RESTORATION FUND

13 For carrying out the programs, projects, plans, and 14 habitat restoration, improvement, and acquisition provi-15 sions of the Central Valley Project Improvement Act, 16 \$38,382,000, to be derived from such sums as may be col-17 lected in the Central Valley Project Restoration Fund pur-18 suant to sections 3407(d), 3404(c)(3), 3405(f), and 19 3406(c)(1) of Public Law 102–575, to remain available 20 until expended: *Provided*, That the Bureau of Reclamation 21 is directed to assess and collect the full amount of the 22 additional mitigation and restoration payments authorized 23 by section 3407(d) of Public Law 102-575.

24 POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION

25 For necessary expenses of policy, administration, and
26 related functions in the office of the Commissioner, the
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Denver office, and offices in the five regions of the Bureau
 of Reclamation, to remain available until expended,
 \$47,000,000, to be derived from the Reclamation Fund
 and be nonreimbursable as provided in 43 U.S.C. 377:
 *Provided*, That no part of any other appropriation in this
 Act shall be available for activities or functions budgeted
 as policy and administration expenses.

#### 8 Administrative provision

9 Appropriations for the Bureau of Reclamation shall
10 be available for purchase of not to exceed four passenger
11 motor vehicles for replacement only.

- 12 GENERAL PROVISIONS
- 13 DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

14 SEC. 201. None of the funds appropriated or other-15 wise made available by this or any other Act may be used 16 to pay the salaries and expenses of personnel to purchase 17 or lease water in the Middle Rio Grande or the Carlsbad 18 Projects in New Mexico unless said purchase or lease is 19 in compliance with the purchase requirements of section 20 202 of Public Law 106–60.

SEC. 202. The Secretary of the Interior is authorized
to assess and collect annually from Central Valley Project
(CVP) water and power contractors the sum of \$540,000
(June 2000 price levels), and to remit that amount annually to the Trinity Public Utilities District (TPUD). This
assessment shall be payable 70 percent by CVP Preference
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1	Power Customers and 30 percent by CVP Water Contrac-
2	tors. The CVP Water Contractor share of this assessment
3	shall be collected by the Secretary through established Bu-
4	reau of Reclamation (Reclamation) Operation and Mainte-
5	nance ratesetting practices. The CVP Power Contractor
6	share of this assessment shall be assessed by Reclamation
7	to the Western Area Power Administration, Sierra Nevada
8	Region (Western), and collected by Western through es-
9	tablished power ratesetting practices. The authorized
10	amount collected shall be paid annually to the TPUD.

11	TITLE III	
12	DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	
13	ENERGY PROGRAMS	
14	ENERGY SUPPLY	

15 For Department of Energy expenses including the 16 purchase, construction and acquisition of plant and capital equipment, and other expenses necessary for energy sup-17 18 ply, and uranium supply and enrichment activities in car-19 rying out the purposes of the Department of Energy Orga-20 nization Act (42 U.S.C. 7101 et seq.), including the acquisition or condemnation of any real property or any facility 21 22 or for plant or facility acquisition, construction, or expansion; and the purchase of not to exceed 17 passenger 23 24 motor vehicles for replacement only, \$576,482,000 (increased by \$40,000,000) to remain available until ex-25

pended: *Provided*, That, in addition, royalties received to
 compensate the Department of Energy for its participa tion in the First-Of-A-Kind-Engineering program shall be
 credited to this account to be available until September
 30, 2002, for the purposes of Nuclear Energy, Science and
 Technology activities.

7 Non-Defense Environmental Management

For Department of Energy expenses, including the 8 9 purchase, construction and acquisition of plant and capital 10 equipment and other expenses necessary for non-defense environmental management activities in carrying out the 11 12 purposes of the Department of Energy Organization Act 13 (42 U.S.C. 7101 et seq.), including the acquisition or condemnation of any real property or any facility or for plant 14 15 facility acquisition, construction expansion,  $\mathbf{or}$ or \$281,001,000, to remain available until expended. 16

17 URANIUM FACILITIES MAINTENANCE AND REMEDIATION

18 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

For necessary expenses to maintain, decontaminate, decommission, and otherwise remediate uranium processing facilities, \$301,400,000, of which \$260,000,000 shall be derived from the Uranium Enrichment Decontamination and Decommissioning Fund and of which \$12,000,000 shall be derived by transfer from the United States Enrichment Corporation Fund, all of which shall
 remain available until expended.

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#### SCIENCE

4 For Department of Energy expenses including the 5 purchase, construction and acquisition of plant and capital equipment, and other expenses necessary for science ac-6 7 tivities in carrying out the purposes of the Department 8 of Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C. 7101 et seq.), in-9 cluding the acquisition or condemnation of any real prop-10 erty or facility or for plant or facility acquisition, construction, or expansion, and purchase of not to exceed 58 pas-11 12 vehicles senger motor for replacement only, \$2,830,915,000, to remain available until expended. 13

#### 14 NUCLEAR WASTE DISPOSAL

15 For nuclear waste disposal activities to carry out the purposes of Public Law 97–425, as amended, including 16 the acquisition of real property or facility construction or 17 expansion, \$213,000,000, to remain available until ex-18 pended and to be derived from the Nuclear Waste Fund: 19 *Provided*, That not to exceed \$2,500,000 may be provided 20 21 to the State of Nevada solely for expenditures, other than 22 salaries and expenses of State employees, to conduct sci-23 entific oversight responsibilities pursuant to the Nuclear 24 Waste Policy Act of 1982, Public Law 97–425, as amend-25 ed: Provided further, That not to exceed \$5,887,000 may

be provided to affected units of local governments, as de-1 fined in Public Law 97–425, to conduct appropriate activi-2 3 ties pursuant to the Act: *Provided further*, That the dis-4 tribution of the funds as determined by the units of local 5 government shall be approved by the Department of En-6 ergy: *Provided further*, That the funds for the State of 7 Nevada shall be made available solely to the Nevada Divi-8 sion of Emergency Management by direct payment and 9 units of local government by direct payment: Provided fur-10 ther, That within 90 days of the completion of each Federal fiscal year, the Nevada Division of Emergency Man-11 12 agement and the Governor of the State of Nevada and 13 each local entity shall provide certification to the Department of Energy that all funds expended from such pay-14 15 ments have been expended for activities authorized by Public Law 97–425 and this Act. Failure to provide such 16 17 certification shall cause such entity to be prohibited from any further funding provided for similar activities: Pro-18 19 *vided further*, That none of the funds herein appropriated 20 may be: (1) used directly or indirectly to influence legisla-21 tive action on any matter pending before Congress or a 22 State legislature or for lobbying activity as provided in 18 23 U.S.C. 1913; (2) used for litigation expenses; or (3) used 24 to support multi-State efforts or other coalition building 25 activities inconsistent with the restrictions contained in

this Act: *Provided further*, That all proceeds and recoveries
by the Secretary in carrying out activities authorized by
the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982 in Public Law 97–
425, as amended, including but not limited to, any proceeds from the sale of assets, shall be available without
further appropriation and shall remain available until expended.

#### 8 DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION

9 For salaries and expenses of the Department of En-10 ergy necessary for departmental administration in carrying out the purposes of the Department of Energy Orga-11 nization Act (42 U.S.C. 7101 et seq.), including the hire 12 13 of passenger motor vehicles and official reception and rep-14 resentation expenses (not to exceed \$35,000), 15 \$153,527,000, to remain available until expended, plus such additional amounts as necessary to cover increases 16 in the estimated amount of cost of work for others not-17 withstanding the provisions of the Anti-Deficiency Act (31) 18 19 U.S.C. 1511 et seq.): *Provided*, That such increases in 20 cost of work are offset by revenue increases of the same 21 or greater amount, to remain available until expended: 22 *Provided further*, That moneys received by the Department 23 for miscellaneous estimated revenues to total 24 \$111,000,000 in fiscal year 2001 may be retained and 25 used for operating expenses within this account, and may

remain available until expended, as authorized by section 1 2 201 of Public Law 95–238, notwithstanding the provisions 3 of 31 U.S.C. 3302: *Provided further*, That the sum herein 4 appropriated shall be reduced by the amount of miscella-5 neous revenues received during fiscal year 2001 so as to result in a final fiscal year 2001 appropriation from the 6 7 General Fund estimated at not more than \$42,527,000. 8 OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL

9 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Inspector 10 General in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector 11 General Act of 1978, as amended, \$31,500,000, to remain 12 available until expended, including conducting a study of 13 the economic basis of recent gasoline price levels.

- 14 ATOMIC ENERGY DEFENSE ACTIVITIES
- 15 NATIONAL NUCLEAR SECURITY
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#### ADMINISTRATION

Weapons Activities

18 For Department of Energy expenses, including the 19 purchase, construction and acquisition of plant and capital 20equipment and other incidental expenses necessary for 21 atomic energy defense weapons activities in carrying out 22 the purposes of the Department of Energy Organization 23 Act (42 U.S.C. 7101 et seq.), including the acquisition or 24 condemnation of any real property or any facility or for plant or facility acquisition, construction, or expansion; 25

and the purchase of passenger motor vehicles (not to ex ceed 12 for replacement only), \$4,625,684,000 (reduced
 by \$46,000,000), to remain available until October 1,
 2003.

#### 5 DEFENSE NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION

6 For Department of Energy expenses necessary for 7 atomic energy defense and defense nuclear nonprolifera-8 tion activities to carry out the Department of Energy Or-9 ganization Act (42 U.S.C. 7101 et seq.), including acquisi-10 tion (by purchase, condemnation, construction, or otherwise) of real property, plant and capital equipment, facili-11 12 ties, and facility expansion, \$861,477,000, to remain 13 available until October 1, 2003: Provided, That not to ex-14 ceed \$7,000 may be used for official reception and rep-15 resentation expenses for national security and nonproliferation (including transparency) activities in fiscal 16 year 2001. 17

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#### NAVAL REACTORS

19 For Department of Energy expenses necessary for 20 naval reactors activities to carry out the Department of 21 Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C. 7101 et seq.), includ-22 ing the acquisition (by purchase, condemnation, construc-23 tion, or otherwise) of real property, plant, and capital 24 equipment, facilities, and facility expansion, 25 \$677,600,000, to remain available until expended.

# OTHER DEFENSE RELATED ACTIVITIES DEFENSE ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION AND WASTE MANAGEMENT

4 For Department of Energy expenses, including the 5 purchase, construction and acquisition of plant and capital equipment and other expenses necessary for atomic energy 6 7 defense environmental restoration and waste management 8 activities in carrying out the purposes of the Department 9 of Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C. 7101 et seq.), in-10 cluding the acquisition or condemnation of any real property or any facility or for plant or facility acquisition, con-11 12 struction, or expansion; and the purchase of 30 passenger 13 motor vehicles for replacement only, \$4,522,707,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That any 14 15 amounts appropriated under this heading that are used to provide economic assistance under section 15 of the 16 Waste Isolation Pilot Plant Land Withdrawal Act, Public 17 Law 102–579, shall be utilized to the extent necessary to 18 reimburse costs of financial assurances required of a con-19 20 tractor by any permit or license of the Waste Isolation 21 Pilot Plant issued by the State of New Mexico.

#### 22 DEFENSE FACILITIES CLOSURE PROJECTS

For expenses of the Department of Energy to accelerate the closure of defense environmental management
sites, including the purchase, construction and acquisition

of plant and capital equipment and other necessary ex penses, \$1,082,297,000, to remain available until ex pended.

## Defense Environmental Management

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#### PRIVATIZATION

6 For Department of Energy expenses for privatization 7 projects necessary for atomic energy defense environ-8 mental management activities authorized by the Depart-9 ment of Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C. 7101 et 10 seq.), \$259,000,000, to remain available until expended. 11 OTHER DEFENSE ACTIVITIES

12 For Department of Energy expenses, including the 13 purchase, construction and acquisition of plant and capital equipment and other expenses necessary for atomic energy 14 15 defense, other defense activities, in carrying out the purposes of the Department of Energy Organization Act (42) 16 U.S.C. 7101 et seq.), including the acquisition or con-17 demnation of any real property or any facility or for plant 18 19 acquisition,  $\mathbf{or}$ facility construction, or expansion, 20 \$592,235,000, to remain available until expended.

21 DEFENSE NUCLEAR WASTE DISPOSAL

For nuclear waste disposal activities to carry out the purposes of Public Law 97–425, as amended, including the acquisition of real property or facility construction or 1 expansion, \$200,000,000, to remain available until expanded.

**3** POWER MARKETING ADMINISTRATIONS

4 BONNEVILLE POWER ADMINISTRATION FUND

5 Expenditures from the Bonneville Power Administra-6 tion Fund, established pursuant to Public Law 93–454, 7 are approved for the Nez Perce Tribe Resident Fish Sub-8 stitution Program, the Cour D'Alene Tribe Trout Produc-9 tion facility, and for official reception and representation 10 expenses in an amount not to exceed \$1,500.

11 During fiscal year 2001, no new direct loan obliga-12 tions may be made.

13 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE, SOUTHEASTERN POWER14 ADMINISTRATION

15 For necessary expenses of operation and maintenance of power transmission facilities and of marketing electric 16 17 power and energy, including transmission wheeling and ancillary services, pursuant to the provisions of section 5 18 19 of the Flood Control Act of 1944 (16 U.S.C. 825s), as 20applied to the southeastern power area, \$3,900,000, to re-21 main available until expended; in addition, notwith-22 standing the provisions of 31 U.S.C. 3302, amounts col-23 lected by the Southeastern Power Administration pursu-24 ant to the Flood Control Act to recover purchase power 25 and wheeling expenses shall be credited to this account as offsetting collections, to remain available until expended
 for the sole purpose of making purchase power and wheel ing expenditures as follows: for fiscal year 2001, up to
 \$34,463,000; for fiscal year 2002, up to \$26,463,000; for
 fiscal year 2003, up to \$20,000,000; and for fiscal year
 2004, up to \$15,000,000.

# 7 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE, SOUTHWESTERN 8 POWER ADMINISTRATION

9 For necessary expenses of operation and maintenance 10 of power transmission facilities and of marketing electric power and energy, and for construction and acquisition of 11 12 transmission lines, substations and appurtement facilities, 13 and for administrative expenses, including official reception and representation expenses in an amount not to ex-14 15 ceed \$1,500 in carrying out the provisions of section 5 of the Flood Control Act of 1944 (16 U.S.C. 825s), as 16 17 applied to the southwestern power area, \$28,100,000, to 18 remain available until expended; in addition, notwithstanding the provisions of 31 U.S.C. 3302, not to exceed 19 20 \$4,200,000 in reimbursements, to remain available until 21 expended: *Provided*, That amounts collected by the South-22 western Power Administration pursuant to the Flood Con-23 trol Act to recover purchase power and wheeling expenses 24 shall be credited to this account as offsetting collections, 25 to remain available until expended for the sole purpose

of making purchase power and wheeling expenditures as
 follows: for fiscal year 2001, up to \$288,000; for fiscal
 year 2002, up to \$288,000; for fiscal year 2003, up to
 \$288,000; and for fiscal year 2004, up to \$288,000.

5 CONSTRUCTION, REHABILITATION, OPERATION AND
6 MAINTENANCE, WESTERN AREA POWER ADMINIS7 TRATION

8 For carrying out the functions authorized by title III, 9 section 302(a)(1)(E) of the Act of August 4, 1977 (42) 10 U.S.C. 7152), and other related activities including con-11 servation and renewable resources programs as authorized, including official reception and representation ex-12 13 penses in an amount not to exceed \$1,500, \$160,930,000,to remain available until expended, of which \$154,616,000 14 15 shall be derived from the Department of the Interior Reclamation Fund: *Provided*, That of the amount herein ap-16 17 propriated, \$4,036,000 is for deposit into the Utah Reclamation Mitigation and Conservation Account pursuant 18 to title IV of the Reclamation Projects Authorization and 19 20 Adjustment Act of 1992: Provided further, That amounts 21 collected by the Western Area Power Administration pur-22 suant to the Flood Control Act of 1944 and the Reclama-23 tion Project Act of 1939 to recover purchase power and wheeling expenses shall be credited to this account as off-24 25 setting collections, to remain available until expended for the sole purpose of making purchase power and wheeling
 expenditures as follows: for fiscal year 2001, up to
 \$35,500,000; for fiscal year 2002, up to \$33,500,000; for
 fiscal year 2003, up to \$30,000,000; and for fiscal year
 2004, up to \$20,000,000.

# 6 FALCON AND AMISTAD OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE 7 FUND

8 For operation, maintenance, and emergency costs for 9 the hydroelectric facilities at the Falcon and Amistad 10 Dams, \$2,670,000, to remain available until expended, 11 and to be derived from the Falcon and Amistad Operating 12 and Maintenance Fund of the Western Area Power Ad-13 ministration, as provided in section 423 of the Foreign 14 Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 1994 and 1995.

- 15 FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
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#### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

17 For necessary expenses of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to carry out the provisions of the De-18 19 partment of Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C. 7101 et 20 seq.), including services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, 21 the hire of passenger motor vehicles, and official reception 22 and representation expenses (not to exceed \$3,000), 23 \$175,200,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-24 *vided*, That notwithstanding any other provision of law, not to exceed \$175,200,000 of revenues from fees and an-25

nual charges, and other services and collections in fiscal 1 2 year 2001 shall be retained and used for necessary ex-3 penses in this account, and shall remain available until 4 expended: *Provided further*, That the sum herein appro-5 priated from the General Fund shall be reduced as revenues are received during fiscal year 2001 so as to result 6 7 in a final fiscal year 2001 appropriation from the General 8 Fund estimated at not more than \$0.

#### 9 GENERAL PROVISIONS

#### 10 DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

11 SEC. 301. (a) None of the funds appropriated by this 12 Act may be used to award a management and operating 13 contract unless such contract is awarded using competitive 14 procedures or the Secretary of Energy grants, on a case-15 by-case basis, a waiver to allow for such a deviation. The 16 Secretary may not delegate the authority to grant such 17 a waiver.

(b) At least 60 days before a contract award, amendment, or modification for which the Secretary intends to grant such a waiver, the Secretary shall submit to the Subcommittees on Energy and Water Development of the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate a report notifying the subcommittees of the waiver and setting forth the reasons for the waiver. 1 SEC. 302. (a) None of the funds appropriated by this 2 Act may be used to award, amend, or modify a contract 3 in a manner that deviates from the Federal Acquisition 4 Regulation, unless the Secretary of Energy grants, on a 5 case-by-case basis, a waiver to allow for such a deviation. 6 The Secretary may not delegate the authority to grant 7 such a waiver.

8 (b) At least 60 days before a contract award, amend-9 ment, or modification for which the Secretary intends to 10 grant such a waiver, the Secretary shall submit to the Subcommittees on Energy and Water Development of the 11 12 Committees on Appropriations of the House of Represent-13 atives and the Senate a report notifying the subcommittees of the waiver and setting forth the reasons for the 14 15 waiver.

SEC. 303. None of the funds appropriated by this Act
may be used to—

18 (1) develop or implement a workforce restruc19 turing plan that covers employees of the Department
20 of Energy; or

(2) provide enhanced severance payments or
other benefits for employees of the Department of
Energy,

under section 3161 of the National Defense Authorization
 Act for Fiscal Year 1993 (Public Law 102–484; 106 Stat.
 2644; 42 U.S.C. 7274h).

4 SEC. 304. None of the funds appropriated by this Act 5 may be used to augment the \$24,500,000 made available 6 for obligation by this Act for severance payments and 7 other benefits and community assistance grants under sec-8 tion 3161 of the National Defense Authorization Act for 9 Fiscal Year 1993 (Public Law 102–484; 106 Stat. 2644; 10 42 U.S.C. 7274h).

SEC. 305. None of the funds appropriated by this Act
may be used to prepare or initiate Requests For Proposals
(RFPs) for a program if the program has not been funded
by Congress.

15 (TRANSFERS OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES)

16 SEC. 306. The unexpended balances of prior appro-17 priations provided for activities in this Act may be trans-18 ferred to appropriation accounts for such activities estab-19 lished pursuant to this title. Balances so transferred may 20 be merged with funds in the applicable established ac-21 counts and thereafter may be accounted for as one fund 22 for the same time period as originally enacted.

SEC. 307. Of the funds in this Act provided to government-owned, contractor-operated laboratories, not to
exceed 4 percent shall be available to be used for Labora-

26 tory Directed Research and Development.

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SEC. 308. (a) Of the funds appropriated by this title
 to the Department of Energy, not more than
 \$150,000,000 shall be available for reimbursement of
 management and operating contractor travel expenses.

5 (b) Funds appropriated by this title to the Depart-6 ment of Energy may be used to reimburse a Department 7 of Energy management and operating contractor for travel 8 costs of its employees under the contract only to the extent 9 that the contractor applies to its employees the same rates 10 and amounts as those that apply to Federal employees 11 under subchapter I of chapter 57 of title 5, United States 12 Code, or rates and amounts established by the Secretary of Energy. The Secretary of Energy may provide excep-13 tions to the reimbursement requirements of this section 14 15 as the Secretary considers appropriate.

16 SEC. 309. No funds are provided in this Act or any other Act for the Administrator of the Bonneville Power 17 Administration to enter into any agreement to perform en-18 19 ergy efficiency services outside the legally defined Bonneville service territory, with the exception of services pro-20 21 vided internationally, including services provided on a re-22 imbursable basis, unless the Administrator certifies that 23 such services are not available from private sector busi-24 nesses.

1 SEC. 310. None of the funds appropriated in this or 2 any previous Energy and Water Development Appropria-3 tion Act for payment into the Department of Energy 4 Working Capital Fund may be used to pay salaries and 5 expenses of any employee of the United States Govern-6 ment.

SEC. 311. Not later than 30 days after the date of
the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Energy shall
transmit to the Congress a report on activities of the executive branch to address high gasoline prices and to develop
an overall national energy strategy.

- 12 TITLE IV
- 13 INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

14 APPALACHIAN REGIONAL COMMISSION

15 For expenses necessary to carry out the programs authorized by the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 16 1965, as amended, for necessary expenses for the Federal 17 18 Co-Chairman and the alternate on the Appalachian Regional Commission, for payment of the Federal share of 19 the administrative expenses of the Commission, including 20 21 services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, and hire of pas-22 senger motor vehicles, \$63,000,000, to remain available 23 until expended.

1	DEFENSE NUCLEAR FACILITIES SAFETY
2	BOARD
3	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
4	For necessary expenses of the Defense Nuclear Fa-
5	cilities Safety Board in carrying out activities authorized
6	by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended by Public
7	Law 100–456, section 1441, \$17,000,000, to remain
8	available until expended.
9	NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
10	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
11	For necessary expenses of the Commission in car-
12	rying out the purposes of the Energy Reorganization Act
13	of 1974, as amended, and the Atomic Energy Act of 1954,
14	as amended, including official representation expenses
15	(not to exceed \$15,000), \$481,900,000, to remain avail-
16	able until expended: <i>Provided</i> , That of the amount appro-
17	priated herein, \$21,600,000 shall be derived from the Nu-
18	clear Waste Fund: Provided further, That revenues from
19	licensing fees, inspection services, and other services and
20	collections estimated at \$457,100,000 in fiscal year 2001
21	shall be retained and used for necessary salaries and ex-
22	penses in this account, notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 3302,
23	and shall remain available until expended: Provided fur-
24	ther, That \$3,200,000 of the funds herein appropriated
25	for regulatory reviews and assistance to other Federal
25	for regulatory reviews and assistance to other I

agencies and States shall be excluded from license fee rev enues, notwithstanding 42 U.S.C. 2214: *Provided further*,
 That the sum herein appropriated shall be reduced by the
 amount of revenues received during fiscal year 2001 so
 as to result in a final fiscal year 2001 appropriation esti mated at not more than \$24,800,000.

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## OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

8 For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector 9 General in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector 10 General Act of 1978, as amended, \$5,500,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That revenues from li-11 censing fees, inspection services, and other services and 12 13 collections estimated at \$5,500,000 in fiscal year 2001 shall be retained and be available until expended, for nec-14 15 essary salaries and expenses in this account notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 3302: Provided further, That the sum 16 17 herein appropriated shall be reduced by the amount of revenues received during fiscal year 2001 so as to result in 18 a final fiscal year 2001 appropriation estimated at not 19 20 more than \$0.

## 21 NUCLEAR WASTE TECHNICAL REVIEW BOARD

22 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

For necessary expenses of the Nuclear Waste Tech-nical Review Board, as authorized by Public Law 100-

1	203, section 5051, $$2,700,000$ , to be derived from the Nu-
2	clear Waste Fund, and to remain available until expended.
3	TITLE V—RESCISSIONS
4	DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
5	INTERIM STORAGE ACTIVITIES
6	(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)
7	(RESCISSION)
8	Of the funds appropriated in Public Law 104–46 for
9	interim storage of nuclear waste, \$85,000,000 are trans-
10	ferred to this heading: <i>Provided</i> , That such amount is
11	hereby rescinded.

12 TITLE VI—GENERAL PROVISIONS

SEC. 601. None of the funds appropriated by this Act may be used in any way, directly or indirectly, to influence congressional action on any legislation or appropriation matters pending before Congress, other than to communicate to Members of Congress as described in section 18 1913 of title 18, United States Code.

19 SEC. 602. (a) PURCHASE OF AMERICAN-MADE
20 EQUIPMENT AND PRODUCTS.—It is the sense of the Con21 gress that, to the greatest extent practicable, all equip22 ment and products purchased with funds made available
23 in this Act should be American-made.

24 (b) NOTICE REQUIREMENT.—In providing financial
25 assistance to, or entering into any contract with, any enti26 ty using funds made available in this Act, the head of each
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Federal agency, to the greatest extent practicable, shall
 provide to such entity a notice describing the statement
 made in subsection (a) by the Congress.

4 (c) PROHIBITION OF CONTRACTS WITH PERSONS FALSELY LABELING PRODUCTS AS MADE IN AMERICA.— 5 If it has been finally determined by a court or Federal 6 7 agency that any person intentionally affixed a label bear-8 ing a "Made in America" inscription, or any inscription 9 with the same meaning, to any product sold in or shipped 10 to the United States that is not made in the United States, the person shall be ineligible to receive any con-11 12 tract or subcontract made with funds made available in 13 this Act, pursuant to the debarment, suspension, and ineligibility procedures described in sections 9.400 through 14 15 9.409 of title 48, Code of Federal Regulations.

16 SEC. 603. (a) None of the funds appropriated or oth-17 erwise made available by this Act may be used to determine the final point of discharge for the interceptor drain 18 for the San Luis Unit until development by the Secretary 19 of the Interior and the State of California of a plan, which 20 21 shall conform to the water quality standards of the State 22 of California as approved by the Administrator of the En-23 vironmental Protection Agency, to minimize any detri-24 mental effect of the San Luis drainage waters.

1 (b) The costs of the Kesterson Reservoir Cleanup 2 Program and the costs of the San Joaquin Valley Drain-3 age Program shall be classified by the Secretary of the Interior as reimbursable or nonreimbursable and collected 4 until fully repaid pursuant to the "Cleanup Program— 5 Alternative Repayment Plan" and the "SJVDP-Alter-6 7 native Repayment Plan" described in the report entitled 8 "Repayment Report, Kesterson Reservoir Cleanup Program and San Joaquin Valley Drainage Program, Feb-9 10 ruary 1995", prepared by the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Reclamation. Any future obligations of funds 11 12 by the United States relating to, or providing for, drainage 13 service or drainage studies for the San Luis Unit shall be fully reimbursable by San Luis Unit beneficiaries of 14 15 such service or studies pursuant to Federal Reclamation 16 law.

SEC. 604. Section 6101(a)(3) of the Omnibus Budget
Reconciliation Act of 1990, as amended (42 U.S.C.
2214(a)(3)) is amended by striking "September 30, 2000"
and inserting "September 30, 2001".

SEC. 605. None of the funds appropriated by this Act shall be used to propose or issue rules, regulations, decrees, or orders for the purpose of implementation, or in preparation for implementation, of the Kyoto Protocol which was adopted on December 11, 1997, in Kyoto,

Japan at the Third Conference of the Parties to the 1 2 United Nations Framework Convention on Climate 3 Change, which has not been submitted to the Senate for advice and consent to ratification pursuant to article II, 4 5 section 2, clause 2, of the United States Constitution, and which has not entered into force pursuant to article 25 6 7 of the Protocol. The limitation established in this section 8 shall not apply to any activity otherwise authorized by law. 9 SEC. 606. (a) ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT AMENDMENTS.—The Energy Policy and Conserva-10 tion Act is amended— 11 12 (1) by amending section 166 (42 U.S.C. 6246) 13 to read as follows: 14 "AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS 15 "SEC. 166. There are authorized to be appropriated 16 for fiscal years 2000 through 2003 such sums as may be 17 necessary to implement this part."; 18 (2) in section 181 (42 U.S.C. 6251) by striking 19 "March 31, 2000" both places it appears and insert-20 ing "September 30, 2003"; and 21 (3) in section 281 (42 U.S.C. 6285) by striking 22 "March 31, 2000" both places it appears and insert-23 ing "September 30, 2003". 24 (b) PURCHASE OF OIL FROM MARGINAL WELLS.— 25 (1)PURCHASE  $\mathbf{OF}$ OILFROM MARGINAL 26 WELLS.—Part B of title I of the Energy Policy and •HR 4733 EH

1	Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6232 et seq.) is amend-
2	ed by adding the following new section after section
3	168:

"PURCHASE OF OIL FROM MARGINAL WELLS

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5 "SEC. 169. (a) IN GENERAL.—From amounts au-6 thorized under section 166, in any case in which the price 7 of oil decreases to an amount less than \$15.00 per barrel 8 (an amount equal to the annual average well head price 9 per barrel for all domestic crude oil), adjusted for infla-10 tion, the Secretary may purchase oil from a marginal well 11 at \$15.00 per barrel, adjusted for inflation.

12 "(b) DEFINITION OF MARGINAL WELL.—The term13 "marginal well" means a well that—

14 "(1) has an average daily production of 15 bar-15 rels or less;

"(2) has an average daily production of 25 barrels or less with produced water accounting for 95
percent or more of total production; or

19 "(3) produces heavy oil with an API gravity20 less than 20 degrees.".

(2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The table of
contents for the Energy Policy and Conservation Act
is amended by inserting after the item relating to
section 168 the following:

"Sec. 169. Purchase of oil from marginal wells.".

25 (c) NORTHEAST HOME HEATING OIL RESERVE.—

1	(1) Amendment.—Title I of the Energy Policy
2	and Conservation Act is amended by—
3	(A) redesignating part D as part E;
4	(B) redesignating section 181 as section
5	191; and
6	(C) inserting after part C the following
7	new part D:
8	"Part D—Northeast Home Heating Oil Reserve
9	"ESTABLISHMENT
10	"SEC. 181. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision
11	of this Act, the Secretary may establish, maintain, and
12	operate in the Northeast a Northeast Home Heating Oil
13	Reserve. A Reserve established under this part is not a
14	component of the Strategic Petroleum Reserve established
15	under part B of this title. A Reserve established under
16	this part shall contain no more than 2 million barrels of
17	petroleum distillate.
18	"(b) For the purposes of this part—
19	"(1) the term 'Northeast' means the States of
20	Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts,
21	Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York, Pennsylvania,
22	and New Jersey; and
23	"(2) the term 'petroleum distillate' includes
24	heating oil and diesel fuel.

1	"AUTHORITY
2	"SEC. 182. To the extent necessary or appropriate
3	to carry out this part, the Secretary may—
4	"(1) purchase, contract for, lease, or otherwise
5	acquire, in whole or in part, storage and related fa-
6	cilities, and storage services;
7	"(2) use, lease, maintain, sell, or otherwise dis-
8	pose of storage and related facilities acquired under
9	this part;
10	"(3) acquire by purchase, exchange (including
11	exchange of petroleum product from the Strategic
12	Petroleum Reserve or received as royalty from Fed-
13	eral lands), lease, or otherwise, petroleum distillate
14	for storage in the Northeast Home Heating Oil Re-
15	serve;
16	"(4) store petroleum distillate in facilities not
17	owned by the United States;
18	"(5) sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of pe-
19	troleum distillate from the Reserve established under
20	this part; and
21	"(6) notwithstanding paragraph $(5)$ , on terms
22	the Secretary considers reasonable, sell, exchange, or
23	otherwise dispose of petroleum distillate from the
24	Reserve established under this part in order to
25	maintain the quality or quantity of the petroleum

1	distillate in the Reserve or to maintain the oper-
2	ational capability of the Reserve.
3	"CONDITIONS FOR RELEASE; PLAN
4	"SEC. 183. (a) The Secretary may release petroleum
5	distillate from the Reserve under section $182(5)$ only in
6	the event of—
7	"(1) a severe energy supply disruption;
8	"(2) a severe price increase; or
9	"(3) another emergency affecting the North-
10	east,
11	which the President determines to merit a release from
12	the Reserve.
13	"(b) Within 45 days of the date of the enactment of
14	this section, the Secretary shall transmit to the President
15	and, if the President approves, to the Congress a plan
16	describing—
17	"(1) the acquisition of storage and related fa-
18	cilities or storage services for the Reserve;
19	((2) the acquisition of petroleum distillate for
20	storage in the Reserve;
21	"(3) the anticipated methods of disposition of
22	petroleum distillate from the Reserve; and
23	"(4) the estimated costs of establishment, main-
24	tenance, and operation of the Reserve.
25	The storage of petroleum distillate in a storage facility
26	that meets existing environmental requirements is not a
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'major Federal action significantly affecting the quality of
 the human environment' as that term is used in section
 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of
 1969.

5 "NORTHEAST HOME HEATING OIL RESERVE ACCOUNT

6 "SEC. 184. (a) Upon a decision of the Secretary of 7 Energy to establish a Reserve under this part, the Sec-8 retary of the Treasury shall establish in the Treasury of 9 the United States an account know as the 'Northeast 10 Home Heating Oil Reserve Account' (referred to in this 11 section as the 'Account').

"(b) The Secretary of the Treasury shall deposit in
the Account any amounts appropriated to the Account and
any receipts from the sale, exchange, or other disposition
of petroleum distillate from the Reserve.

16 "(c) The Secretary of Energy may obligate amounts 17 in the Account to carry out activities under this part with-18 out the need for further appropriation, and amounts avail-19 able to the Secretary of Energy for obligation under this 20 section shall remain available without fiscal year limita-21 tion.

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## "EXEMPTIONS

23 "SEC. 185. An action taken under this part—

24 "(1) is not subject to the rulemaking require25 ments of section 523 of this Act, section 501 of the

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1	Department of Energy Organization Act, or section
2	553 of title 5, United States Code; and
3	"(2) is not subject to laws governing the Fed-
4	eral procurement of goods and services, including
5	the Federal Property and Administrative Services
6	Act of 1949 (including the Competition in Con-
7	tracting Act) and the Small Business Act.".
8	(2) Authorization of appropriations.—
9	There are authorized to be appropriated such sums
10	as may be necessary to carry out part D of title I
11	of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.
12	SEC. 607. None of the funds in this Act may be used
13	to pay the salary of any employee of the Department of
14	Energy at the Los Alamos National Laboratory who has
15	failed to undergo a polygraph examination pursuant to
16	section 3154(e) of Public Law 106–65.
17	SEC. 608. (a) IN GENERAL.—None of the funds
18	made available in this Act may be used to pay any basic
19	pay of an individual who simultaneously holds or carries
20	out the responsibilities of—
21	(1) a position within the National Nuclear Se-
22	curity Administration; and
23	(2) a position within the Department of Energy
24	not within the Administration.

(b) EXCEPTIONS FOR ADMINISTRATOR FOR NU CLEAR SECURITY AND DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR FOR
 NAVAL REACTORS.—The limitation in subsection (a) shall
 not apply to the following cases:

5 (1) The Under Secretary of Energy for Nuclear
6 Security serving as the Administrator for Nuclear
7 Security, as provided in section 3212(a)(2) of the
8 National Nuclear Security Administration Act (50
9 U.S.C. 2402(a)(2)).

10 (2) The director of the Naval Nuclear Propul-11 sion Program provided for under the Naval Nuclear 12 Propulsion Executive Order serving as the Deputy 13 Administrator for Naval Reactors, as provided in 14 section 3216(a)(1)of such Act (50)U.S.C. 15 2406(a)(1)).

16 This Act may be cited as the "Energy and Water De-

17 velopment Appropriations Act, 2001".

Passed the House of Representatives June 28 (legislative day, June 27), 2000.

Attest:

Clerk.