DESIGNATION OF FUNDING FOR OVERSEAS CONTINGENCY OPERATIONS/GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM

COMMUNICATION

FROM

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

TRANSMITTING

DESIGNATION FOR OVERSEAS CONTINGENCY OPERATIONS/GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM ALL FUNDING (INCLUDING THE RESCIS-SION OF FUNDS) AND CONTRIBUTIONS FROM FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS SO DESIGNATED BY THE CONGRESS, PURSUANT TO PUB-LIC LAW 115–31, SEC. 6(a)

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THE WHITE HOUSE,

Hon. PAUL D. RYAN,
Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: In accordance with section 114(c) of division D of the Continuing Appropriations Act, 2018 and Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Requirements Act, 2017 (the “Act”), I hereby designate for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism all funding (including the rescission of funds) and contributions from foreign governments so designated by the Congress in the Act pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, as outlined in the enclosed list of accounts.

The details of this action are set forth in the enclosed memorandum from the Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

Sincerely,

DONALD J. TRUMP.
MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Mick Mulvaney
Director

SUBJECT: Designation of Funding for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism

Section 114(c) of division D of the Continuing Appropriations Act, 2018 and Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Requirements Act, 2017 ("the Act") provides that the availability of funding contained in the Act that is designated by the Congress for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (BBEDCA) is contingent upon the President subsequently so designating all such amounts and transmitting such designations to the Congress.

These funds for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism cover the military and civilian costs necessary to achieve U.S. national security goals in Afghanistan, the broader Middle East, and other designated conflict zones and to address other emergent crises. I recommend that you designate for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism all funding (including the rescission of funds) and contributions from foreign governments so designated by the Congress in section 114(a) of division D of the Act pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of BBEDCA, as outlined in the enclosed list of accounts. Upon transmittal of these designations to the Congress, these funds will be available for obligation and expenditure, unless otherwise restricted in the Act. No further congressional action will be required for this designation.

The designation of these funds for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism allows for adjustments to the discretionary spending limits in Fiscal Year (FY) 2018, as specified in section 251(d)(2)(A) of BBEDCA. These adjustments will be reflected when the Office of Management and Budget submits its final sequestration report for FY 2018 under section 254(f) of BBEDCA.

I have reviewed this proposed action and am satisfied it is necessary at this time. Therefore, I recommend that you make the requested funds available by signing the attached letters to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate.

Attachments
Accounts in the Continuing Appropriations Act, 2018 and Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Requirements Act, 2017, Designated by the President for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism

Department of Defense

Military Personnel:
- Military Personnel, Army
- Military Personnel, Navy
- Military Personnel, Marine Corps
- Military Personnel, Air Force
- Reserve Personnel, Army
- Reserve Personnel, Navy
- Reserve Personnel, Marine Corps
- Reserve Personnel, Air Force
- National Guard Personnel, Army
- National Guard Personnel, Air Force

Operation and Maintenance:
- Operation and Maintenance, Army
- Operation and Maintenance, Navy
- Operation and Maintenance, Marine Corps
- Operation and Maintenance, Air Force
- Operation and Maintenance, Defense-Wide
- Operation and Maintenance, Army Reserve
- Operation and Maintenance, Navy Reserve
- Operation and Maintenance, Marine Corps Reserve
- Operation and Maintenance, Air Force Reserve
- Operation and Maintenance, Army National Guard
- Operation and Maintenance, Air National Guard
- Afghanistan Security Forces Fund (including contributions)
- Counter-ISIL Train and Equip Fund (including contributions)
- Counter-ISIL Overseas Contingency Operations Transfer Fund
- Iraq Train and Equip Fund (including contributions)

Procurement:
- Aircraft Procurement, Army
- Missile Procurement, Army
- Procurement of Weapons and Tracked Combat Vehicles, Army
- Procurement of Ammunition, Army
- Other Procurement, Army
- Aircraft Procurement, Navy
- Weapons Procurement, Navy
- Procurement of Ammunition, Navy and Marine Corps
- Other Procurement, Navy
- Procurement, Marine Corps
- Aircraft Procurement, Air Force
• Space Procurement, Air Force
• Missile Procurement, Air Force
• Procurement of Ammunition, Air Force
• Other Procurement, Air Force
• Procurement, Defense-Wide
• National Guard and Reserve Equipment Account

Research, Development, Test and Evaluation:
• Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Army
• Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Navy
• Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force
• Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Defense-Wide
• Operational Test and Evaluation, Defense

Revolving and Management Funds:
• Defense Working Capital Funds

Other Department of Defense Programs:
• Defense Health Program
• Chemical Agents and Munitions Destruction, Defense
• Drug Interdiction and Counter-Drug Activities, Defense
• Joint Improvised-Threat Defeat Fund
• Office of the Inspector General
• Joint Improvised Explosive Device Defeat Fund

Appropriation in section 9014 of title IX of division C of Public Law 115-31:
• Ukraine Security Assistance Initiative

Appropriation in section 9018 of title IX of division C of Public Law 115-31:
• Transfer to the operation and maintenance, military personnel, and procurement accounts, to improve the intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance capabilities of the Department of Defense

Rescissions in section 9021 of title IX of division C of Public Law 115-31:
• Operation and Maintenance, Defense-Wide, DSCA Coalition Support Fund, 2016/2017
• Counterterrorism Partnerships Fund, 2016/2017
• Afghanistan Security Forces Fund, 2016/2017
• Other Procurement, Air Force, 2016/2018

Rescission in section 9022 of title IX of division C of Public Law 115-31:
• Operation and Maintenance, Defense-Wide: Coalition Support Funds, XXXX

Military Construction:
• Military Construction, Army
• Military Construction, Navy and Marine Corps
• Military Construction, Air Force
• Military Construction, Army National Guard
• Military Construction, Air National Guard
• Military Construction, Army Reserve
• Military Construction, Navy Reserve
• Military Construction, Air Force Reserve
• Military Construction, Defense-Wide

Rescission in section 101 of title I of division L of Public Law 115-31:
• European Reassurance Initiative Military Construction for Military Construction, Air
  Force, made available by division I of Public Law 113-235

Department of Homeland Security
• Coast Guard, Operating Expenses

Department of State
  Administration of Foreign Affairs:
  • Diplomatic and Consular Programs
  • Office of Inspector General
  • Embassy Security, Construction, and Maintenance

  International Organizations:
  • Contributions to International Organizations
  • Contributions for International Peacekeeping Activities

Related Agency
  Broadcasting Board of Governors:
  • International Broadcasting Operations

United States Agency for International Development
Funds Appropriated to the President:
• Operating Expenses
• Capital Investment Fund
• Office of Inspector General

Bilateral Economic Assistance
Funds Appropriated to the President:
• International Disaster Assistance
• Transition Initiatives
• Complex Crises Fund
• Economic Support Fund
• Assistance for Europe, Eurasia and Central Asia (including transfers)

Department of State:
• Migration and Refugee Assistance
• United States Emergency Refugee and Migration Assistance Fund
International Security Assistance

Department of State:
- International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement
- Nonproliferation, Anti-Terrorism, Demining and Related Programs
- Peacekeeping Operations

Funds Appropriated to the President:
- Foreign Military Financing Program

General Provisions

Section 7004 (i) of title VII of division J of Public Law 115-31:
- Use of prior year OCO funds for the purpose of strengthening oversight of local guard programs

Section 7034 (o) of title VII of division J of Public Law 115-31:
- Use of prior year OCO funds for purposes of loans or loan guarantees

Section 7041 (d) of title VII of division J of Public Law 115-31:
- Use of FY 2017 enacted OCO funds for the purpose of assistance to Israel

Section 8005 (a) of title VIII of division J of Public Law 115-31:
- Requiring transfer of OCO funds to Food for Peace Title II Grants, which is appropriated in title V of division A

Section 205 (c) of title II of division B of Public Law 114-254:
- Use of prior year OCO funds for purposes of loans or sovereign loan guarantees