

UNITED STATES-MEXICO-CANADA AGREEMENT IM-
PLEMENTATION ACT DESIGNATION OF EMER-
GENCY REQUIREMENTS

MESSAGE

FROM

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

TRANSMITTING

DESIGNATION AS EMERGENCY REQUIREMENTS ALL FUNDING SO
DESIGNATED BY THE CONGRESS IN THE ACT PURSUANT TO
SECTION 251(b)(2)(A) OF THE BALANCED BUDGET AND EMER-
GENCY DEFICIT CONTROL ACT OF 1985, PURSUANT TO PUBLIC
LAW 116-93, SEC. 6(a)



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To the Congress of the United States:

In accordance with section 904 of title IX of the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement Implementation Act (H.R. 5430; the "Act"), I hereby designate as emergency requirements all funding 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 outlined in the enclosed list of accounts.

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

DONALD J. TRUMP.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 29, 2020.*



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

January 17, 2020

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Russell T. Vought
Acting Director

SUBJECT: Designation of Funding as an Emergency Requirement

The Congress designated as an emergency requirement all funding in title IX of the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement Implementation Act (H.R. 5430; the "USMCA Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2019" or the "Act"). Section 904 of title IX of the Act provides that the availability of funding that is designated by the Congress as an emergency requirement 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.

The Act provides a net total of \$843 million in fiscal year (FY) 2020 emergency funding for specified agencies to implement and enforce labor, environmental, and other obligations of the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement.

I recommend that you designate as emergency requirements all funding so designated by the Congress in title IX 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 immediately available for obligation and expenditure. No further congressional action will be required.

The designation of these funds as emergency requirements allows for adjustments to the discretionary spending limits in FY 2020, as specified in section 251(b)(2)(A) of BBEDCA. These adjustments will be reflected when the Office of Management and Budget submits its sequestration update report for FY 2021 in accordance with section 254(e) 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 enclosed letters to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate.

Enclosures

**Accounts in Title IX of the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement Implementation Act
(the "USMCA Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2019" or the "Act"), with Funding
Designated by the President as Emergency Requirements**

Department of Agriculture

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service:

- Salaries and Expenses

Department of Commerce

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration:

- Operations, Research, and Facilities

Office of the United States Trade Representative

- Salaries and Expenses
- Trade Enforcement Trust Fund

Department of the Interior

United States Fish and Wildlife Service:

- Resource Management

Environmental Protection Agency

- Environmental Programs and Management
- State and Tribal Assistance Grants

Department of Labor

Departmental Management:

- Salaries and Expenses

Multilateral Assistance

International Financial Institutions:

- Contribution to the North American Development Bank