Public Law 97-91
97th Congress

An Act

Making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1982, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1982, and for other purposes, namely:

FEDERAL PAYMENT TO THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

For payment to the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1982, $336,600,000, as authorized by the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, Public Law 93–198, as amended (D.C. Code 47–2501d); and $13,500,000 in lieu of reimbursements for charges for water and water services and sanitary sewer services furnished to facilities of the United States Government as authorized by the Act of May 18, 1954, as amended (D.C. Code 43–1541 and 1611).

For the Federal contribution to the Police Officers and Fire Fighters', Teachers' and Judges' Retirement Funds as authorized by the District of Columbia Retirement Reform Act, Public Law 96–122, approved November 17, 1979 (93 Stat. 866), $52,070,000.

LOANS TO THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA FOR CAPITAL OUTLAY

For loans to the District of Columbia, as authorized by the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, Public Law 93–198, as amended, $155,000,000, which together with balances of previous appropriations for this purpose, shall remain available until expended and be advanced upon request of the Mayor: Provided, That during fiscal year 1982 and within the resources and authority available, gross obligations for the principal amount of direct loans shall not exceed $145,000,000.

DIVISION OF EXPENSES

The following amounts are appropriated for the District of Columbia for the current fiscal year out of the general fund of the District of Columbia, except as otherwise specifically provided:

GOVERNMENTAL DIRECTION AND SUPPORT

Governmental direction and support, $85,234,300: Provided, That not to exceed $2,500 for the Mayor, $2,500 for the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, and $2,500 for the City Administrator shall be available from this appropriation for expenditures for official purposes: Provided further, That not to exceed $7,500 of this...
appropriation shall be available for test borings and soil investigations: Provided further, That $3,366,300 of this appropriation shall be available solely for the settlement of claims and suits as provided for by an Act authorizing the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to settle claims and suits against the District of Columbia, approved February 11, 1929 (45 Stat. 1160; D.C. Code 1-902): Provided further, That none of the funds appropriated for the Office of Financial Management shall be apportioned and payable for debt service for short-term borrowing on the bond market: Provided further, That any program fees collected from the issuance of debt shall be available for the payment of expenses of the debt management program of the District of Columbia: Provided further, That notwithstanding any other provision of law, there is hereby appropriated $1,348,300 to pay legal, management, investment and other fees and expenses of the District of Columbia Retirement Board of which $312,700 shall be derived from the general fund and not to exceed $1,035,600 shall be derived from the earnings of the applicable retirement funds: Provided further, That the District of Columbia Retirement Board shall provide to the Congress a quarterly report of the allocations of charges by fund and of expenditures of all funds: Provided further, That the District of Columbia Retirement Board shall provide the Mayor for transmittal to the Council of the District of Columbia an item accounting of the planned use of appropriated funds in time for each annual budget submission and the actual use of such funds in time for each annual audited financial report.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND REGULATION

Economic development and regulation, $29,096,100: Provided, That the District of Columbia Housing Finance Agency, based upon its capability of repayment as determined each year by the Council of the District of Columbia from the Agency's annual audited financial statements to the Council of the District of Columbia, shall repay $2,000,000 to the Department of Housing and Community Development at an interest rate of 4 percent per annum for a term of fifteen years, with a deferral of payments for the first three years: Provided further, That notwithstanding the foregoing provision, the obligation to repay all or a part of the $2,000,000 shall be subject to the rights of the holders of any bonds or notes issued by the Agency and shall be repaid to the District only from available operating revenues of the Agency which are in excess of the amounts required for debt service, reserve funds, and operating expenses: Provided further, That the annual debt service of not to exceed $178,000 shall be designated by the Council of the District of Columbia prior to the commencement of annual payments: Provided further, That the District of Columbia will establish a special fund to assure that any moneys available to the Lottery and Charitable Games Control Board shall be derived from non-Federal District of Columbia revenues.

LOTTERY AND CHARITABLE GAMES ENTERPRISE FUND

For establishment of the Lottery and Charitable Games Enterprise Fund for the purpose of implementing D.C. Law 3-172 and for the budgeting and accounting of all revenues and expenses of the Lottery and Charitable Games Control Board, $828,000, to be derived from non-Federal District of Columbia revenues: Provided, That the District of Columbia will identify the source of funding for this appropriation from its own locally generated revenues when the Enterprise
Fund is established and that no revenues from Federal sources shall be used to support the operations of the Lottery and Charitable Games Control Board: Provided further, That the level of administrative expenses to be incurred by the Board shall be appropriated in the District's general fund budget as a transfer from locally generated revenues; administrative expenses being defined as all anticipated expenses of the Board for the coming fiscal year excluding moneys necessary for the payments of prizes to the winners of the games specified in D.C. Law 3-172: Provided further, That the Board shall have the authority to expend, from revenues generated by its operations, funds necessary for the payments of prizes: Provided further, That the annual expenses for prizes and administration of the Board shall not exceed resources available to the Board from appropriated authority or revenues generated by the operations of the Board: Provided further, That all revenues received by the Board in excess of the funds used by the Board for prize money in a given month shall be transferred to the general fund from the Lottery and Charitable Games Enterprise Fund through a general operating transfer, promptly after the first of the month for the preceding month: Provided further, That the Board may establish a reserve not to exceed 2 percent of projected annual prize payments to provide for prizes awarded in any month which may exceed the revenue generated during that month: Provided further, That the Mayor may approve a change in the reserve limit, as necessary, upon the request of the Board: Provided further, That the financial operations of the Board with respect to the amount appropriated for administrative expenses shall be in accordance with all laws, regulations, and policies of the District of Columbia government regarding appropriated funds: Provided further, That for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1982, and for each fiscal year thereafter, the District of Columbia Auditor shall conduct a comprehensive audit on the financial status of the Fund, including but not limited to all appropriations, revenues, transfers to the Fund, and provide such report to the Mayor, Chairman of the District of Columbia Council, and to the Subcommittees on District of Columbia Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate: Provided further, That in addition to current restrictions, advertising on public transportation and at stations and stops is prohibited: Provided further, That the advertising, sale, operation, or playing of the lotteries, raffles, bingos, or other games authorized by D.C. Law 3-172 is prohibited on the Federal enclave, and in adjacent public buildings and land controlled by the Shipstead-Luce Act as amended by 53 Stat. 1144, as well as in the Old Georgetown Historic District: Provided further, That the Board shall make an annual report to the Subcommittees on District of Columbia Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate at the end of each year detailing the receipts and disbursements of the Board and summarizing measures of regulation and enforcement enacted as well as other information and recommendations deemed of value or which may be requested.

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND JUSTICE**

Public safety and justice, including purchase of one hundred and thirty-five passenger motor vehicles for replacement only (including one hundred and thirty for police-type use and five for fire-type use without regard to the general purchase price limitation for the current fiscal year), $366,396,200, of which $5,539,000 shall be payable from the revenue sharing trust fund: Provided, That the Police
Department is authorized to replace not to exceed twenty-five passenger carrying vehicles, and the Fire Department is authorized to replace not to exceed five such vehicles annually whenever the cost of repair to any damaged vehicle exceeds three-fourths of the cost of the replacement; Provided further, That funds appropriated for expenses under the District of Columbia Criminal Justice Act, Public Law 93-412, approved September 3, 1974 (D.C. Code 11-2601 et seq.) for fiscal year 1982 shall be available for obligations incurred under that Act in each fiscal year since inception in fiscal year 1975; Provided further, That not to exceed $200,000 shall be available from this appropriation for the Chief of Police for the prevention and detection of crime; Provided further, That $50,000 of any appropriations available to the District of Columbia may be used to match financial contributions from the Department of Defense to the District of Columbia Office of Emergency Preparedness for the purchase of civil defense equipment and supplies approved by the Department of Defense, when authorized by the Mayor; Provided further, That not to exceed $2,500 for the Joint Committee on Judicial Administration shall be available from this appropriation for official purposes.

Public Education System

Public education system, including the development of national defense education programs, $377,921,300, of which $6,000,000 shall be payable from the revenue sharing trust fund, to be allocated as follows: $253,794,400 for the District of Columbia Public Schools; $60,220,900 for the District of Columbia Teachers' Retirement Fund; $48,987,100 for the University of the District of Columbia; $9,979,300 for the Public Library; $784,100 for the Commission on the Arts and Humanities; $90,500 for the Educational Institution Licensure Commission; and $4,115,000 for the School Transit Subsidy; Provided, That the District of Columbia Public Schools are authorized to accept not to exceed thirty-one motor vehicles for exclusive use in the driver education program; Provided further, That not to exceed $1,000 for the Superintendent of Schools and $2,500 for the President of the University of the District of Columbia shall be available from this appropriation for expenditures for official purposes; Provided further, That this appropriation shall not be available to subsidize the education of nonresidents of the District of Columbia at the University of the District of Columbia, unless the Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia adopts for fiscal year 1982 a tuition rate schedule which will establish the tuition rate for nonresident students at a level no lower than the nonresident tuition rate charged at comparable public institutions of higher education in the metropolitan area; Provided further, That the $60,220,900 of this appropriation allocated for the District of Columbia Teachers' Retirement Fund shall be transferred to the Teachers' Retirement Fund, in accordance with the provisions of section 142(c)(2) of the District of Columbia Retirement Reform Act, approved November 17, 1979 (93 Stat. 880; D.C. Code 1-1822(c)(2)); Provided further, That not less than $7,257,800 of this appropriation shall be used exclusively for maintenance of the public schools.

Human Support Services

Human support services, including care and treatment of indigent patients in institutions under contracts to be made by the Director of the Department of Human Services, $397,313,100, of which $5,200,000
shall be payable from the revenue sharing trust fund: Provided, That the inpatient rate under such contracts shall not exceed $76 per diem and the outpatient rate shall not exceed $12 per visit except for services provided to patients who are eligible for such services under the District of Columbia plan for medical assistance under title XIX of the Social Security Act, approved July 30, 1965 (79 Stat. 343; 42 U.S.C. 1396 et seq.) and the inpatient rate (excluding the proportionate share for repairs and construction) for services rendered by Saint Elizabeths Hospital for patient care shall be at the per diem rate established pursuant to section 2 of An Act to authorize certain expenditures from the appropriation of Saint Elizabeths Hospital, and for other purposes, approved August 4, 1947 (61 Stat. 751; 24 U.S.C. 168a): Provided further, That total reimbursements in operating funds to Saint Elizabeths Hospital, including funds from title XIX of the Social Security Act, approved July 30, 1965 (79 Stat. 343; 42 U.S.C. 1396 et seq.) shall not exceed $22,948,700: Provided further, That $11,374,600 of this appropriation, to remain available until expended, shall be available solely for District of Columbia employees' disability compensation: Provided further, That none of the funds appropriated for the summer youth jobs program shall be obligated until the Subcommittees on District of Columbia Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate have approved a plan submitted by the Mayor and the Council of the District of Columbia detailing proposed expenditures.

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES AND ASSISTANCE

Transportation services and assistance, including rental of one passenger-carrying vehicle for use by the Mayor and three passenger-carrying vehicles for use by the Council of the District of Columbia and purchase of passenger-carrying vehicles for replacement only, $123,681,600, of which $2,500,000 shall be payable from the revenue sharing trust fund: Provided, That this appropriation shall not be available for the purchase of driver-training vehicles.

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES AND SUPPLY

Environmental services and supply, $31,287,300: Provided, That this appropriation shall not be available for collecting ashes or miscellaneous refuse from hotels and places of business or from apartment houses with four or more apartments, or from any building or connected group of buildings operating as a rooming or boarding house as defined in the housing regulations of the District of Columbia: Provided further, That $550,000 of this appropriation shall be transferred to the Water and Sewer Enterprise Fund as a miscellaneous revenue.

PERSONAL SERVICES

For pay increases and related costs, to be transferred by the Mayor of the District of Columbia to the appropriations for fiscal year 1982 from which employees are properly payable, $36,279,100.

REPAYMENT OF LOANS AND INTEREST

For reimbursement to the United States of funds loaned in compliance with An Act to provide for the establishment of a modern, adequate, and efficient hospital center in the District of Columbia, approved August 7, 1946 (60 Stat. 896); section 743(f) of the District of
Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved October 13, 1977 (91 Stat. 1156; D.C. Code 9-220, note); the Departments of Labor, and Health, Education and Welfare Appropriation Act, 1955, approved July 2, 1954 (68 Stat. 443); section 1 of An Act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to borrow funds for capital improvement programs and to amend provisions of law relating to Federal Government participation in meeting costs of maintaining the Nation's Capital City, approved June 6, 1958 (72 Stat. 183; D.C. Code 9-220); section 4 of An Act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to plan, construct, operate, and maintain a sanitary sewer to connect the Dulles International Airport with the District of Columbia system, approved June 12, 1960 (74 Stat. 211; D.C. Code 43-163); and section 723 of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 821; D.C. Code 47-241, note), including interest as required thereby, $126,060,600.

**Repayment of General Fund Deficit**

For the purpose of eliminating the general fund accumulated deficit, $10,000,000.

**Contingent Services Fund**

For establishment of the contingent services fund, $2,400,000: Provided, That these funds shall be made available to the Board of Education in whole or in part pursuant to an agreement duly executed by the Mayor and the Board of Education for the use of school space in lieu of rental space for the Department of Human Services: Provided further, That upon the execution of the agreement a reprogramming request detailing the disposition of applicable funds for the Board of Education or for the Department of Human Services for space rental will be forwarded by the Mayor to the Council of the District of Columbia in accordance with the Reprogramming Policy Act of 1980, effective September 16, 1980 (D.C. Law 3-100).

**Capital Outlay**

For construction projects as authorized by An Act Authorizing the laying of water mains and service sewers in the District of Columbia, the levying of assessments therefor, and for other purposes, approved April 22, 1904 (33 Stat. 244; D.C. Code 43-1510 et seq.); the District of Columbia Public Works Act of 1954, approved May 13, 1954 (68 Stat. 101; D.C. Code 43-1521a-1521d); An Act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to borrow funds for capital improvement programs and to amend provisions of law relating to Federal Government participation in meeting costs of maintaining the Nation's Capital City, approved June 6, 1958 (72 Stat. 183; D.C. Code 9-220); An Act to amend the District of Columbia Motor Vehicle Parking Facility Act of 1942, as amended, approved August 20, 1958 (72 Stat. 686); and the National Capital Transportation Act of 1969, approved December 9, 1969 (83 Stat. 321; D.C. Code 1-1443 and 9-220(3)); including acquisition of sites; preparation of plans and specifications; conducting preliminary surveys; erection of structures, including building improvement and alteration and treatment of grounds; to remain available until expended, $211,521,100: Provided, That $3,019,700 shall be available for project management and
$4,172,100 for design by the Director of the Department of General Services or by contract for architectural engineering services, as may be determined by the Mayor, and that the funds for use of each capital project implementing agency shall be managed and controlled in accordance with all procedures and limitations established under the Financial Management System: Provided further, That all such funds shall be available only for the specific projects and purposes intended: Provided further, That notwithstanding the foregoing, all authorizations for capital outlay projects, except those projects covered by the first sentence of section 23(a) of the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1968, Public Law 90-495, approved August 23, 1968 (82 Stat. 827, D.C. Code 7-135, note), for which funds are provided by this paragraph, shall expire on September 30, 1983, except authorizations for projects as to which funds have been obligated in whole or in part prior to such date. Upon expiration of any such project authorization the funds provided herein for such project shall lapse: Provided further, That the Mayor of the District of Columbia shall not request the advance of any moneys for new general fund capital improvement projects without the approval by resolution of the Council of the District of Columbia.

WATER AND SEWER ENTERPRISE FUND

For the Water and Sewer Enterprise Fund, $106,208,200: Provided, That $24,552,000 of the funds appropriated to the Water and Sewer Enterprise Fund shall be apportioned and payable to the debt service fund for repayment of loans and interest incurred for capital improvement projects.

WASHINGTON CONVENTION CENTER ENTERPRISE FUND


GENERAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 101. The expenditure of any appropriation under this Act for any consulting service through procurement contract, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3109, shall be limited to those contracts where such expenditures are a matter of public record and available for public inspection, except where otherwise provided under existing law, or under existing Executive order issued pursuant to existing law.

Sec. 102. Except as otherwise provided in this Act, all vouchers covering expenditures of appropriations contained in this Act shall be audited before payment by the designated certifying official and the vouchers as approved shall be paid by checks issued by the designated disbursing official.

Sec. 103. Whenever in this Act an amount is specified within an appropriation for particular purposes or objects of expenditure, such amount, unless otherwise specified, shall be considered as the maximum amount which may be expended for said purpose or object rather than an amount set apart exclusively therefor, except for those funds and programs for the Metropolitan Police Department under the heading "Public Safety and Justice" which shall be
Automobile and motorcycle allowances.

Travel expenses and organization dues.

Taxicab regulation.

Judgment payments.

Fiscal year limitation.

Overtime and temporary positions.

Travel expenditure limitation.

Employment limitation.

considered as the amount set apart exclusively for expenditure by that Department.

Sec. 104. Appropriations in this Act shall be available, when authorized by the Mayor, for allowances for privately owned automobiles and motorcycles used for the performance of official duties at rates established by the Mayor: Provided, That such rates shall not exceed the maximum prevailing rates for such vehicles as prescribed from time to time in the Federal Travel Regulations.

Sec. 105. Appropriations in this Act shall be available for expenses of travel and for the payment of dues of organizations concerned with the work of the District of Columbia government, when authorized by the Mayor: Provided, That the Council of the District of Columbia may expend such funds without authorization by the Mayor.

Sec. 106. Appropriations in this Act shall not be used for or in connection with the preparation, issuance, publication, or enforcement of any regulation or order of the Public Service Commission requiring the installation of meters in taxicabs, or for or in connection with the licensing of any vehicle to be operated as a taxicab except for operation in accordance with such system of uniform zones and rates and regulations applicable there to as shall have been prescribed by the Public Service Commission.

Sec. 107. There are appropriated from the applicable funds of the District of Columbia such sums as may be necessary for making refunds and for the payment of judgments which have been entered against the District of Columbia government: Provided, That nothing contained in this section shall be construed as modifying or affecting the provisions of paragraph 3, subsection (c) of section 11 of title XII of the District of Columbia Income and Franchise Tax Act of 1947, approved July 16, 1947 (61 Stat. 355; D.C. Code 47-1586(j)).


Sec. 109. No part of any appropriation contained in this Act shall remain available for obligation beyond the current fiscal year unless expressly so provided herein.

Sec. 110. Not to exceed 4½ per centum of the total of all funds appropriated by this Act for personal compensation may be used to pay the cost of overtime or temporary positions.

Sec. 111. The total expenditure of funds appropriated by this Act for authorized travel and per diem costs outside the District of Columbia, Maryland, and Virginia shall not exceed $225,000.

Sec. 112. Appropriations in this Act shall not be available, during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1982, for the compensation of any person appointed—

(1) as a full-time employee to a permanent, authorized position in the District of Columbia government during any month when the number of such employees is greater than 32,950, which includes 31,991 for the general fund and 959 for the water and sewer fund: Provided, That—

(A) positions within this city employment limitation shall be set aside as the maximum number of permanent, authorized employees for the general fund as follows: Appropriated positions, 28,857, of which 8,869 shall be for Public Schools;
intra-District positions, 1,079; District of Columbia General Hospital positions, 2,055; and

(B) the District of Columbia Public Schools and the District of Columbia General Hospital shall not exceed their respective employment limitations and are required to report monthly to the Mayor, for the purpose of maintaining controls on city-wide employment, regarding the total number of current employees and the total number of separations and filling of positions within their respective employment limitations; or

(2) as a temporary or part-time employee in the government of the District of Columbia during any month in which the number of such employees exceeds the number of such employees for the same month of the preceding fiscal year.

Sec. 113. No funds appropriated in this Act for the government of the District of Columbia for the operation of educational institutions, the compensation of personnel, or for other educational purposes may be used to permit, encourage, facilitate, or further partisan political activities. Nothing herein is intended to prohibit the availability of school buildings for the use of any community or partisan political group during non-school hours.

Sec. 114. The annual budget for the District of Columbia government for fiscal year 1983 shall be transmitted to the Congress by not later than April 15, 1982. None of the funds appropriated in this Act shall be made available to pay the salary of any employee of the government of the District of Columbia whose name, title, grade, salary, past work experience, and salary history are not available for inspection by the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations or their duly authorized representatives.

Sec. 115. There are appropriated from the applicable funds of the District of Columbia such sums as may be necessary for making payments authorized by the District of Columbia Revenue Recovery Act of 1977, effective September 23, 1977 (D.C. Law 2-20; D.C. Code 47-331 et seq.).

Sec. 116. None of the funds contained in this Act shall be made available to pay the salary of any employee of the government of the District of Columbia whose name and salary are not available for public inspection.

Sec. 117. No part of this appropriation shall be used for publicity or propaganda purposes or implementation of any policy including boycott designed to support or defeat legislation pending before Congress or any State legislature.

Sec. 118. None of the Federal funds provided in this Act shall be used to perform abortions except where the life of the mother would be endangered if the fetus were carried to term; or except for such medical procedures necessary for the victims of rape or incest, when such rape or incest has been reported promptly to a law enforcement agency or public health service. Nor are payments prohibited for drugs or devices to prevent implantation of the fertilized ovum, or for medical procedures necessary for the termination of an ectopic pregnancy.

Sec. 119. At the start of the fiscal year, the Mayor shall develop an annual plan, by quarter and by project, for borrowing from the United States Treasury: Provided, That within a reasonable time after the close of each quarter, the Mayor shall report to the Council of the District of Columbia and the Congress the actual borrowing and spending progress compared with projections.
SEC. 120. The Mayor shall not borrow any funds for capital projects from the United States Treasury unless he has obtained prior approval from the Council of the District of Columbia, by resolution, identifying the projects and amounts to be financed with such borrowings.

SEC. 121. The Mayor shall not expend any moneys borrowed for capital projects for the operating expenses of the District of Columbia government.

SEC. 122. None of the funds appropriated in this Act may be used for the implementation of a personnel lottery with respect to the hiring of firefighters or police officers.

SEC. 123. None of the funds appropriated by this Act may be used to transport any output of the municipal waste system of the District of Columbia for disposal at any public or private landfill located in any State, excepting currently utilized landfills in Maryland and Virginia, until the appropriate State agency has issued the required permits.

SEC. 124. None of the Federal funds provided under this Act shall be obligated or expended to provide a personal cook, chauffeur, or other personal servants to any officer or employee of the District of Columbia.

SEC. 125. None of the Federal funds provided in this Act shall be obligated or expended to procure passenger automobiles as defined in 15 U.S.C. 2001 with an EPA estimated miles per gallon average of less than 22 miles per gallon. This section shall not apply to security, emergency rescue, or armored vehicles.

This Act may be cited as the “District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1982”.

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HOUSE REPORTS: No. 97-235 (Comm. on Appropriations) and No. 97-327 (Comm. of Conference).

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Sept. 22, considered and passed House.

Oct. 30, considered and passed Senate, amended.

Nov. 19, House agreed to conference report; concurred in certain Senate amendments.

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