

114TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 3295

To make supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 2015.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 29, 2015

Mr. CUMMINGS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

To make supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 2015.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any
4 money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for fis-
5 cal year 2015, and for other purposes, namely:

1 DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

2 OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS

3 STATE AND LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE

4 For an additional amount for “State and Local Law
5 Enforcement Assistance”, \$140,000,000, to remain avail-
6 able until September 30, 2016, of which—

7 (1) \$115,000,000 is for the Edward Byrne Me-
8 morial Justice Assistance Grant program, of which
9 \$15,000,000 is for the Edward Byrne Memorial
10 criminal justice innovation program;

11 (2) \$5,000,000 is for Drug Courts;

12 (3) \$5,000,000 is for mental health courts;

13 (4) \$10,000,000 is for competitive and evi-
14 dence-based programs to reduce gun crime and gang
15 violence; and

16 (5) \$5,000,000 is for a veterans treatment
17 courts program.

18 JUVENILE JUSTICE PROGRAMS

19 For an additional amount for “Juvenile Justice Pro-
20 grams”, \$10,000,000, to remain available until September
21 30, 2016, for community-based violence prevention initia-
22 tives, including for public health approaches to reducing
23 shootings and violence.

1 COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING SERVICES

2 COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING SERVICES PROGRAMS

3 For an additional amount for “Community Oriented
4 Policing Services Programs”, \$30,000,000, to remain
5 available until September 30, 2016, of which—

6 (1) \$15,000,000 is for competitive grants to
7 State law enforcement agencies in States with high
8 seizures of precursor chemicals, finished meth-
9 amphetamine, laboratories, and laboratory dump sei-
10 zures: *Provided*, That funds appropriated under this
11 paragraph shall be utilized for investigative purposes
12 to locate or investigate illicit activities, including
13 precursor diversion, laboratories, or methamphet-
14 amine traffickers; and

15 (2) \$15,000,000 is for competitive grants to
16 statewide law enforcement agencies in States with
17 high rates of primary treatment admissions for her-
18 oin and other opioids: *Provided*, That these funds
19 shall be utilized for investigative purposes to locate
20 or investigate illicit activities, including activities re-
21 lated to the distribution of heroin or unlawful dis-
22 tribution of prescription opioids, or unlawful heroin
23 and prescription opioid traffickers through statewide
24 collaboration.

1 INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

2 SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

3 ENTREPRENEURIAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

4 For an additional amount for “Entrepreneurial De-
5 velopment Programs”, \$4,000,000, to remain available
6 until September 30, 2016.

7 BUSINESS LOANS PROGRAM ACCOUNT

8 For an additional amount for “Business Loans Pro-
9 gram Account”, \$1,000,000, to remain available until ex-
10 pended, for the cost of direct loans.

11 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

12 EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION

13 TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

14 For an additional amount for “Training and Employ-
15 ment Services”, \$265,000,000, to remain available until
16 September 30, 2016.

17 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
18 SERVICES

19 HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

20 MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH

21 For an additional amount for the Healthy Start Ini-
22 tiative under section 330H of the Public Health Service
23 Act (42 U.S.C. 254c–8), \$50,000,000, to remain available
24 until September 30, 2016.

1 SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

2 ADMINISTRATION

3 SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT

4 For an additional amount for drug court grants as
5 authorized under section 509 of the Public Health Service
6 Act, \$10,000,000, to remain available until September 30,
7 2016.

8 DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN

9 DEVELOPMENT

10 PUBLIC AND INDIAN HOUSING

11 CHOICE NEIGHBORHOODS INITIATIVE

12 For an additional amount for “Choice Neighborhoods
13 Initiative”, \$170,000,000, to remain available until Sep-
14 tember 30, 2016.

15 COMMUNITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

16 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND

17 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

18 For an additional amount for “Community Develop-
19 ment Fund”, \$500,000,000, to remain available until Sep-
20 tember 30, 2016, for necessary expenses related to emer-
21 gency response, long-term recovery, restoration of infra-
22 structure and housing, and economic revitalization in the
23 most impacted and distressed areas resulting from sudden
24 violence, civil unrest or other major disturbance affecting
25 human life and safety in calendar year 2015, for activities

1 authorized under title I of the Housing and Community
2 Development Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5301 et seq.): *Pro-*
3 *vided*, That funds shall be awarded to a State, tribe, or
4 unit of general local government as a grantee at the dis-
5 cretion of the Secretary of Housing and Urban Develop-
6 ment for distressed communities determined by the Sec-
7 retary to be distressed due to insufficient capacity to re-
8 spond to and recover from the unanticipated event and
9 objectively measurable criteria such as high levels of racial
10 or income segregation, or both, low levels of employment
11 among 16 to 64 year olds, low levels of college enrollment
12 or employment for low-income youth aged 17 to 25, con-
13 centrations of poor-performing schools, high rates of in-
14 fant mortality, large numbers of vacant and abandoned
15 homes, and low-income populations in close proximity to
16 brownfields or other environmentally hazardous areas:
17 *Provided further*, That prior to the obligation of funds, a
18 grantee shall submit a plan to the Secretary for approval
19 detailing the proposed use of all funds, including criteria
20 for eligibility and how the use of these funds will address
21 long-term recovery and restoration of infrastructure and
22 housing and economic revitalization in the most impacted
23 and distressed areas: *Provided further*, That the Secretary
24 shall by notice specify the criteria for approval of such
25 plans within 45 days of enactment of this Act: *Provided*

1 *further*, That if the Secretary determines that a plan does
2 not meet such criteria, the Secretary shall disapprove the
3 plan: *Provided further*, That funds allocated under this
4 heading shall not be considered relevant to the non-emer-
5 gency formula allocations made pursuant to section 106
6 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974
7 (42 U.S.C. 5306): *Provided further*, That the Secretary
8 shall provide grantees with training on grant management,
9 including on the use of contracts and subrecipient agree-
10 ments, and shall require grantees to incorporate perform-
11 ance requirements and penalties into any such contracts
12 or subrecipient agreements: *Provided further*, That, in ad-
13 ministering the funds under this heading, the Secretary
14 may waive, or specify alternative requirements for, any
15 provision of any statute or regulation that the Secretary
16 administers in connection with the obligation by the Sec-
17 retary or the use by the recipient of these funds (except
18 for requirements related to fair housing, nondiscrimina-
19 tion, labor standards, and the environment) pursuant to
20 a determination by the Secretary that good cause exists
21 for the waiver or alternative requirement and that such
22 action is not inconsistent with the overall purposes of title
23 I of the Housing and Community Development Act of
24 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5301 et seq.): *Provided further*, That,
25 notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Secretary

1 may use up to 30 percent of these funds to supplement
 2 existing, competitively awarded agreements for technical
 3 assistance to provide immediate community response, re-
 4 covery, and revitalization assistance to affected commu-
 5 nities: *Provided further*, That, of the funds made available
 6 under this heading, up to \$10,000,000 may be transferred
 7 to “Program Office Salaries and Expenses—Community
 8 Planning and Development” or to “Department of Hous-
 9 ing and Urban Development—Office of Inspector Gen-
 10 eral”, for necessary costs, including information tech-
 11 nology costs, of administering and overseeing funds made
 12 available under this heading.

13 OFFICE OF LEAD HAZARD CONTROL AND HEALTHY
 14 HOMES

15 LEAD HAZARD REDUCTION

16 For an additional amount for “Lead Hazard Reduc-
 17 tion”, \$30,000,000, to remain available until September
 18 30, 2016.

19 GENERAL PROVISIONS

20 MOVING-TO-WORK

21 SEC. 101. The Secretary of Housing and Urban De-
 22 velopment shall extend the current Moving-to-Work agree-
 23 ments of previously designated participating agencies until
 24 the end of each such agency’s fiscal year 2028 under the
 25 same terms and conditions of such current agreements,

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SEC. 102. Each amount provided in this Act is designated by Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, except that each amount shall be available only if the President subsequently so designates all such amounts and transmits such designations to the Congress.

22 This Act may be cited as the “Rebuilding Urban
23 Inner Cities Is Long Overdue Act of 2015” or the “RE-
24 BUILD Act”.