

## EARMARK DECLARATION

**HON. SPENCER BACHUS**

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, June 24, 2009*

Mr. BACHUS. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding funding that I requested as part of H.R. 2892—Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman SPENCER BACHUS

Bill Number: H.R. 2892—Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2010

Account: FEMA, Predisaster Mitigation

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Alabama Emergency Management Agency

Address of Requesting Entity: P.O. Drawer 2160, Clanton, AL 35046

Description of Request: Provide \$200,000 for the construction of a Safe Room/Tornado and Severe Wind Shelter for the City of Graysville at the Graysville East Pavilion Park on 3rd Avenue N.E. The Shelter will accommodate approximately fifty people. This project directly supports efforts by the City of Graysville to reduce damages and the loss of life and property from natural disasters such as tornados and severe storms. This project's total budget is \$250,000. Specifically within the budget, \$50,000 will go toward engineering cost, \$75,000 toward site preparations, and \$125,000 toward construction cost. This request is consistent with the intended and authorized purpose of the FEMA, Predisaster Mitigation account. The City of Graysville will meet or exceed all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable.

## EARMARK DECLARATION

**HON. JOHN M. McHUGH**

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, June 24, 2009*

Mr. McHUGH. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the House Republican standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2996—Interior and Environment Act of 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman JOHN McHUGH

Bill Number: H.R. 2996

Account: Save America's Treasures

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Traditional Arts in Upstate New York

Address of Requesting Entity: 53 Main Street, Canton, NY 13617

Description: Provide an earmark of \$150,000 to the Traditional Arts in Upstate New York for the renovation of a building that houses the North Country Folk Life Center in Canton, NY. This National Register-listed building has the potential to become a destination point and serve as a vital economic driver in the region.

## EARMARK DECLARATION

**HON. PETER T. KING**

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, June 24, 2009*

Mr. KING of New York. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information for publication in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2647—National Defense Authorization Act for FY2010:

Requesting Member: Congressman PETER T. KING

Bill Number: H.R. 2647

Account: Aircraft Procurement, Army

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Sikorsky Aircraft Corporation

Address of Requesting Entity: 1 Financial Plaza, Hartford, CT 06301

Description of Request: \$20,400,000 will be used to convert "A" model Black Hawk helicopters to the "L" configuration. This additional funding for UH-60L conversions will enable a more rapid standardization of the Black Hawk fleet and assure National Guard units are ready, deployable and available to protect our national interests abroad, and respond to emergencies here at home.

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

**HON. DEAN HELLER**

OF NEVADA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, June 24, 2009*

Mr. HELLER. Madam Speaker, on rollcall No. 418, Article IV of impeaching Samuel B. Kent, I was unavoidably detained.

Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

## EARMARK DECLARATION

**HON. DAVID DREIER**

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, June 24, 2009*

Mr. DREIER. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2647, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010:

Requesting Member: DAVID DREIER

Bill Number: H.R. 2647, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: Army, Research, Development, Test and Evaluation

Legal Name and Address of Entity Receiving Earmark: Chang Industry, located at 968 Palomares Avenue, La Verne, CA 91750

Description of Request: Provide an earmark of \$2,000,000 to develop Fire Shield, an Active Protection System (APS) with the guidance of the U.S. Army Tank Automotive Research, Development and Engineering Center in Warren, Michigan. Fire Shield would be used to protect armored vehicles from the blast effects and the plasma jet of rocket propelled grenades (RPG) by detecting and destroying incoming projectiles. Approximately

\$800,000 is for directional warhead blast and fragment effects characterization and optimization. \$600,000 will be used for static threat defeat characterization, test and evaluation with directional warhead. The remaining \$600,000 will be used for threat defeat test and evaluation on a controlled moving platform with directional warhead. This request is consistent with the intended and authorized purpose of the Army RDT&E account.

Requesting Member: DAVID DREIER

Bill Number: H.R. 2647, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010  
Account: Air Force, Air National Guard, Operations and Maintenance

Legal Name and Address of Entity Receiving Earmark: Gentex Corporation, located at 11525 6th Street, Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730

Description of Request: Provide an earmark of \$6,000,000 to complete the Air National Guard's fleet-wide implementation and standardization to the MBU-20A/P Oxygen Mask and Mask Light. Approximately, 34 percent (\$2,040,000) of the funding is for manufacturing; 4 percent (\$240,000) is for sustainment and systems engineering support; 6 percent (\$360,000) is for inspections and tests; 20 percent (\$1,200,000) is for general and administrative; 35 percent (\$2,100,000) is for material; 1 percent (\$60,000) is for packaging handling shipping and transportation. This request is consistent with the intended and authorized purpose of the Air National Guard.

## EARMARK DECLARATION

**HON. MIKE ROGERS**

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, June 24, 2009*

Mr. ROGERS of Alabama. Madam Speaker, in accordance with the Republican Conference standards regarding Member initiatives, I rise today to provide a description for how funds authorized in response to my requests submitted to the House Armed Services Committee will be allocated. In making those requests, I submitted a financial certification letter to Chairman SKELTON which accompanied my requests, and included the following information:

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge these requests (1) are not directed to any entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) are not intended to be used by any entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meet or exceed all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should any of the requests I have submitted be included in the bill, I will place a statement describing how the funds in each of the included requests will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

In order to fully comply with these standards, Madam Speaker, I hereby submit a description of how the funds authorized in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010 will be used for the projects to follow.

Requesting Member: Congressman MIKE ROGERS (Alabama)

Bill Number: H.R. 2647 the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: RDT&E, Air Force  
Legal Name of Receiving Entity: THY Enterprises, Inc.

Address of Receiving Entity: 440 Hillabee St., Alexander City, AL 35010

Description of Request: Provide \$2,700,000 in funding for Special Mission Clothing for AFSOC. The funding will be used to continue research and development of Special Mission Clothing for AFSOC. Approximately, \$1,500,000 is for research and development of a lighter, quieter, water/wind proof, tear resistant and fire retardant material; \$375,000 for engineering; \$100,000 for laboratory analysis; \$25,000 for field assessment; and \$700,000 for risk and plan management. This Special Mission Clothing project will focus on producing products suitable for multiple Special Mission Unit requirements, and which meet or exceed military operational specifications.

Requesting Member: Congressman MIKE ROGERS (Alabama)

Bill Number: H.R. 2647 the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: Other Procurement, Air Force  
Legal Name of Receiving Entity: Telos Corporation

Address of Receiving Entity: 7956 Vaughn Road, Suite 134, Montgomery, AL 36116

Description of Request: Provide \$5,000,000 in funding for Application Software Assurance Center of Excellence. This funding will provide the Air Force additional tools, training and subject matter experts to robust the analysis capability at the newly established Application Software Assurance Center of Excellence (ASACoE). To counter the growing threats in information operations, the Air Force established the Application Software Assurance Center of Excellence (ASACoE) to assess and strengthen its defenses against cyber attacks. The center's mission is to develop application security best practices that can be put in place Air Force-wide. Over the last year, the center has successfully assessed and identified vulnerabilities in numerous applications across multiple functional communities. The requested additional funding will ensure the security of the people, systems, and equipment software applications that support the Warfighter. The Center currently has 12 contracted personnel that are charged with reviewing over 3,000 software applications. At the current funding levels, the Center will complete approximately 300 within a year. The requested funding would enable the Center to accelerate the completion of the most critical tasks. The fund would increase local labor by up to 12 advanced security engineers/computer programmers in Alabama. The remaining funds would support the application tools, software and Air Force-wide training. The lead agency executing this mission for the United States Air Force is the 554th Electronic Systems Wing located at Maxwell AFB—Gunter Annex in Montgomery, Alabama. This request is consistent with the intended and authorized purpose of this unit. The funding would be provided on an existing Air Force program line. The funding will provide for software tools that includes approximately \$1,000,000 for source code analysis, \$750,000 for web pen test tools, and \$750,000 for database scanning tools in addition to \$400,000 for training and \$2,100,000 for subject matter experts and travel. The funding for Long term funds is being pursued in the Department's Future Years Defense Plan.

Requesting Member: Congressman MIKE ROGERS (Alabama)

Bill Number: H.R. 2647 the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: RDT&E, Army  
Legal Name of Receiving Entity: BAE Systems

Address of Receiving Entity: 1101 Wilson Blvd., Suite 2000, Arlington, VA 22209

Description of Request: Provide \$9,000,000 for the Paladin Integrated Management for work to be completed in Anniston, AL. The FY 10 President's Budget contains funding for research and development Army funds to assist in making the M109A6 Paladin and its companion vehicle the Field Artillery Ammunition Support Vehicle (FAASV) sustainable through the year 2050. The changes to this vehicle will incorporate the Bradley's drive train and suspension components that will reduce the logistics footprint thereby reducing operational and support costs. This \$9,000,000 in funding is needed in order to insure that this program be reinstated to its original schedule (the program was Congressionally reduced by that same amount during the FY09 budget process). Procurement funds to initiate low rate initial production are in the FY10 procurement budget. The Army intends to fund this program through completion. This is a national defense program which provides firepower to our troops engaged in combat.

Requesting Member: Congressman MIKE ROGERS (Alabama)

Bill Number: H.R. 2647 the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: RDT&E, Army

Legal Name of Receiving Entity: Electric Fuel Battery Corporation (Arotech Subsidiary)

Address of Receiving Entity: 354 Industry Drive, Auburn, Alabama 36832

Description of Request: Provide \$4,000,000 for the Novel Zinc Air Power Sources for Military. This funding will develop Zinc-Air battery technology that will provide the soldier with a high energy density power source that significantly reduces battery carry weight. Previous advances in the technology have helped to cut warfighter battery carry weight in half. Continued development of body-worn energy distribution systems, coupled with further development of Zinc-Air battery technology, promises to cut warfighter battery carry weight further, while reducing battery quantities carried on long missions. Reducing battery type and count lowers operational risk by reducing the need for re-supply. In addition, Zinc-Air battery's intrinsic safety (cannot combust or explode even when penetrated by hot projectiles) enhances warfighter safety. Lithium-Air battery technology is in its infancy but has the highest possible energy density of any battery system promising a quantum leap in the warfighter mission length.

Requesting Member: Congressman MIKE ROGERS (Alabama)

Bill Number: H.R. 2647 the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: RDT&E, Army

Legal Name of Receiving Entity: SCRA, Institute for Solutions Generation (funding will benefit the Anniston Army Depot)

Address of Receiving Entity: 5300 International Boulevard, N. Charleston, SC 29418

Description of Request: Provide \$8,200,000 in funding for the Highly Integrated Production for Expediting RESET. This funding was requested by the Calhoun County Chamber of

Commerce to benefit the Anniston Army Depot, located at 7 Frankford Avenue, Anniston, AL 36201. A critical readiness issue facing the military today is repairing and restoring military equipment that has been damaged or worn out in battle. Resetting small arms and crew served weapons is particularly challenging, given their sheer numbers and the fact that, there is a growing incidence of non-conforming parts used to support reset operations there. In addition, under the current system, a lot of time and cost are required to design and apply product improvements during reset. HIPER ensure a quick and efficient RESET turn-around for weapons to the theater. The requested funding will drive downstream efficiencies in manufacturing and quality inspection by enabling the utilization of laser scanning technology to significantly shorten the time and lower the cost for resetting and modernizing the military's small arms and crew-served weapons. This funding will provide \$4,800,000 for integration, collaboration, scanning and reverse engineering technology, and supply chain improvements to enhance and expedite RESET efforts: \$7,596,000 for labor, \$544,000 for materials and \$60,000 for travel.

Requesting Member: Congressman MIKE ROGERS (Alabama)

Bill Number: H.R. 2647 the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: Military Construction, Army

Legal Name of Receiving Entity: —

Address of Receiving Entity: Anniston Army Depot, 7 Frankford Avenue, Anniston, AL 36201

Description of Request: Provide \$3,300,000 in funding for the Industrial Area Electrical System Upgrade. This funding will be used to construct electrical system upgrades to the area south of Third Avenue in the industrial area. Construction will include new power poles, cross arms, insulators, cutouts, re closers, anchor systems, wire, transformers, underground duct and circuit breakers for a couplet 12470 volt electrical service system in the area south of Third Avenue in the industrial area. This construction will provide upgraded overhead lines and underground service from the power poles to pad mounted transformers that supply each building. Construct the secondary for a 10.5 MVA 44.000/12/470 volt substation. The substation secondary will consist of vacuum breakers, voltage regulator, bypass switches and the structural steel. Anti-terrorism/force protection measures will include observance of vehicle access sitting distances, landscaping berms, exterior lighting, laminated glass, and walkway bollards.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

#### HON. STEVE BUYER

OF INDIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, June 24, 2009

Mr. BUYER. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the House Republican standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2996, the Department of the Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman STEVE BUYER