

RESOLUTION BY AUTHORIZING COMMITTEE

(On-budget amounts in millions of dollars)

	2014	2014–2023
Agriculture:		
Current Law:		
BA	92,956	906,903
OT	89,341	900,800
Resolution Change:		
BA	–2,631	–209,044
OT	–2,501	–208,556
Total:		
BA	90,325	697,859
OT	86,840	692,244
Armed Services:		
Current Law:		
BA	150,138	1,764,863
OT	149,922	1,768,772
Resolution Change:		
BA	0	0
OT	0	0
Total:		
BA	150,138	1,764,863
OT	149,922	1,768,772
Financial Services:		
Current Law:		
BA	12,981	114,942
OT	2,112	–57,397
Resolution Change:		
BA	–11,465	–94,439
OT	–10,428	–94,325
Total:		
BA	1,516	20,503
OT	–8,316	–151,722
Education & Workforce:		
Current Law:		
BA	–25,740	–661
OT	–18,800	2,383
Resolution Change:		
BA	–21,712	–217,458
OT	–7,430	–198,921
Total:		
BA	–47,452	–218,119
OT	–26,230	–196,538
Energy & Commerce:		
Current Law:		
BA	356,892	4,936,804
OT	354,784	4,935,838
Resolution Change:		
BA	–22,996	–1,604,166
OT	–20,659	–1,596,356
Total:		
BA	333,896	3,332,638
OT	334,125	3,339,482
Foreign Affairs:		
Current Law:		
BA	29,118	241,385
OT	26,085	235,012
Resolution Change:		
BA	0	0
OT	0	0
Total:		
BA	29,118	241,385
OT	26,085	235,012
Oversight & Government Reform:		
Current Law:		
BA	102,657	1,199,434
OT	99,645	1,170,525
Resolution Change:		
BA	–11,758	–165,996
OT	–11,758	–165,996
Total:		
BA	90,899	1,033,438
OT	87,887	1,004,529
Homeland Security:		
Current Law:		
BA	1,916	22,255
OT	1,779	22,321
Resolution Change:		
BA	–305	–12,575
OT	–305	–12,575
Total:		
BA	1,611	9,680
OT	1,474	9,746
House Administration:		
Current Law:		
BA	40	371
OT	6	206
Resolution Change:		
BA	–34	–295
OT	0	–130
Total:		
BA	6	76
OT	6	76
Natural Resources:		
Current Law:		
BA	6,441	63,590

RESOLUTION BY AUTHORIZING COMMITTEE—Continued

(On-budget amounts in millions of dollars)

	2014	2014–2023
OT	7,069	66,964
Resolution Change:		
BA	–900	–17,995
OT	–632	–17,225
Total:		
BA	5,541	45,595
OT	6,437	49,739
Judiciary:		
Current Law:		
BA	19,809	102,678
OT	11,573	105,537
Resolution Change:		
BA	–11,506	–47,461
OT	–637	–45,809
Total:		
BA	8,303	55,217
OT	10,936	59,728
Transportation & Infrastructure:		
Current Law:		
BA	71,454	728,035
OT	16,822	193,098
Resolution Change:		
BA	–78	–116,444
OT	–47	–951
Total:		
BA	71,376	611,591
OT	16,775	192,147
Science, Space & Technology:		
Current Law:		
BA	101	1,010
OT	104	1,013
Resolution Change:		
BA	0	0
OT	0	0
Total:		
BA	101	1,010
OT	104	1,013
Small Business:		
Current Law:		
BA	0	0
OT	0	0
Resolution Change:		
BA	0	0
OT	0	0
Total:		
BA	0	0
OT	0	0
Veterans Affairs:		
Current Law:		
BA	2,939	93,544
OT	3,098	95,206
Resolution Change:		
BA	0	0
OT	0	0
Total:		
BA	2,939	93,544
OT	3,098	95,206
Ways & Means:		
Current Law:		
BA	963,421	14,458,848
OT	962,271	14,455,530
Resolution Change:		
BA	–22,567	–1,298,202
OT	–21,667	–1,291,946
Total:		
BA	940,854	13,160,646
OT	940,604	13,163,584

ACCOUNTS IDENTIFIED FOR ADVANCE APPROPRIATIONS

ACCOUNTS IDENTIFIED FOR ADVANCE APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015
(Subject to a General Limit of \$28,852,000,000)

Financial Services and General Government

Payment to Postal Service

Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education

Employment and Training Administration Education for the Disadvantaged School Improvement Programs Special Education Career, Technical and Adult Education

Transportation, Housing and Urban Development

Tenant-based Rental Assistance Project-based Rental Assistance

VETERANS ACCOUNTS IDENTIFIED FOR ADVANCE APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015

(Subject to a Separate Limit of \$55,634,227)

Military Construction, Veterans Affairs

VA Medical Services VA Medical Support and Compliance VA Medical Facilities

PUBLICATION OF BUDGETARY MATERIAL

REVISIONS TO THE AGGREGATES AND ALLOCATIONS OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2014 BUDGET RESOLUTION RELATED TO LEGISLATION REPORTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET,
Washington, DC, June 4, 2013.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to section 314(a) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, I hereby submit for printing in the Congressional Record revisions to the aggregate budget levels and committee allocations set forth pursuant to H. Con. Res. 25, the Concurrent Resolution on the Budget for Fiscal Year 2014, as put into effect by H. Res. 243. The revision is for new budget authority and outlays for provisions designated as disaster relief, pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(D) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, contained in a bill making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security reported by the Committee on Appropriations. A corresponding table is attached.

This revision represents an adjustment for purposes of enforcing sections 302 and 311 of the Budget Act. For the purposes of the Budget Act, these revised allocations are to be considered as allocations included in the levels of the budget resolution, pursuant to section 101 of H. Con. Res. 25 and H. Rept. 113–17, as adjusted.

Sincerely,

PAUL D. RYAN of Wisconsin,
Chairman, House Budget Committee.

BUDGET AGGREGATES

(On-budget amounts, in millions of dollars)

	Fiscal year	
	2014	2014–2023
Current Aggregates:		
Budget Authority	2,755,317	1
Outlays	2,810,979	1
Revenues	2,310,972	31,089,081
Adjustment for Disaster Designated Spending:		
Budget Authority	5,626	1
Outlays	281	1
Revenues	0	0
Revised Aggregates:		
Budget Authority	2,760,943	1
Outlays	2,811,260	1
Revenues	2,310,972	31,089,081

¹ Not applicable because annual appropriations acts for fiscal years 2015–2023 will not be considered until future sessions of Congress.

ALLOCATION OF SPENDING AUTHORITY TO HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

(In millions of dollars)

	2014
Base Discretionary Action:	
BA	966,924
OT	1,117,675
Adjustment for Disaster Designated Spending:	
BA	5,626
OT	281
Global War on Terrorism:	
BA	92,289
OT	48,010
Total Discretionary Action:	
BA	1,064,839
OT	1,165,966
Current Law Mandatory:	
BA	749,400
OT	738,140

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. Curtis, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate agreed to the following resolution:

S. RES. 160

Whereas the Senate has heard with profound sorrow and deep regret the announcement of the death of the Honorable Frank R. Lautenberg, late a Senator from the State of New Jersey: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the memorial observances of the Honorable Frank R. Lautenberg, late a Senator from the State of New Jersey be held in the Senate Chamber on Thursday, June 6, 2013, beginning at 2 p.m., and that the Senate attend the same.

Resolved, That paragraph 1 of Rule IV of the Rules for the Regulation of the Senate Wing of the United States Capitol (prohibiting the taking of pictures in the Senate Chamber) be temporarily suspended for the sole and specific purpose of permitting the Senate Photographic Studio to photograph this memorial observance.

Resolved, That the Sergeant at Arms be directed to make necessary and appropriate arrangements in connection with the memorial observances in the Senate Chamber.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives, transmit an enrolled copy thereof to the family of the deceased, and invite the House of Representatives and the family of the deceased to attend the memorial observances in the Senate Chamber.

Resolved, That invitations be extended to the President of the United States, the Vice President of the United States, and the members of the Cabinet, the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, the Diplomatic Corps (through the Secretary of State), the Chief of Staff of the Army, the Chief of Naval Operations of the Navy, the Major General Commandant of the Marine Corps, the Chief of Staff of the Air Force, and the Commandant of the Coast Guard to attend the memorial observances in the Senate Chamber.

The message also announced that the Senate has agreed to a concurrent resolution of the following title in which the concurrence of the House's requested:

S. Con. Res. 18. Concurrent Resolution providing for the use of the catafalque situated in the Exhibition Hall of the Capitol Visitor Center in connection with memorial services to be conducted in the United States Senate Chamber for the Honorable Frank R. Lautenberg, late a Senator from the State of New Jersey.

□ 1440

PROVIDING FOR THE USE OF THE CATAFALQUE IN THE EXHIBITION HALL OF THE CAPITOL VISITOR CENTER IN CONNECTION WITH MEMORIAL SERVICES TO BE CONDUCTED IN THE UNITED STATES SENATE CHAMBER FOR THE HONORABLE FRANK R. LAUTENBERG, LATE A SENATOR FROM THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

MR. SESSIONS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table Senate Concurrent Resolution 18, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

The text of the concurrent resolution is as follows:

S. CON. RES. 18

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Architect of the Capitol is authorized and directed to transfer the catafalque which is situated in the Exhibition Hall of the Capitol Visitor Center to the Senate Chamber so that such catafalque may be used in connection with services to be conducted there for the Honorable Frank R. Lautenberg, late a Senator from the State of New Jersey.

The concurrent resolution was concurred in.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AND VETERANS AFFAIRS, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2014

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. CULBERSON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days in which to revise and extend their remarks on the bill under consideration and include extraneous material on the consideration of H.R. 2216, and that I may include tabular material on the same.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 243 and rule XVIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill, H.R. 2216.

The Chair appoints the gentlewoman from Florida (Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN) to preside over the Committee of the Whole.

□ 1442

IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Accordingly, the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2216) making appropriations for military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, and for other purposes, with Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The CHAIR. Pursuant to the rule, the bill is considered read the first time.

The gentleman from Texas (Mr. CULBERSON) and the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. BISHOP) each will control 30 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Texas.

Mr. CULBERSON. Madam Chair, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

It is my privilege, along with my good friend from Georgia (Mr. BISHOP),

to present to the House for its consideration the 2014 appropriations bill for Military Construction and Veterans Affairs.

One of the most important obligations this Congress has is to ensure that our men and women in uniform have everything they need to do their job without worry. We think of ourselves on this subcommittee as the peace-of-mind committee for our military so that they can focus on their missions, standing on the walls of Rome, protecting our freedom, at the far corners of the world.

I think of all the appropriations bills we consider, we're honored to bring this one to the House first because of its importance to our men and women in uniform, to their families, and to our veterans who have served our Nation. We want to be sure, as I say, that they have no worries and that they don't ever have to look over their shoulder and be concerned that the United States Congress and the American people don't support them 110 percent, as we have done in this legislation, which my colleague from Georgia and I have drafted arm-in-arm.

This is a bipartisan bill that we present to the House today to ensure that the military construction needs of the armed services are fully met. We have also done our best to ensure that when our men and women in uniform retire and move into the Veterans Affairs system, they will have the best medical care possible and that this backlog of disability claims that's been plaguing us for a number of years will be cleared as rapidly as possible.

We've done this in a way that's also fiscally responsible. We have found every dollar we could that was left unspent from previous years and returned that to the taxpayers. At the same time, we make sure that our veterans and our men and women in uniform have everything that they need to do their job.

Our committee has also been very committed to ensuring that their families are taken care of and that the Defense Department schools on bases are the best that they can be and in the best condition that they can be in. I know all of us as parents are concerned about the quality of our kids' education. The last thing that a man or woman who's deployed at a United States base overseas—we don't want them to worry about the caliber of the school that their children are attending. So we've also placed emphasis on the ability of our military base commanders to contract with the State in which they're located to set up charter schools at their military bases if the base happens to be located in an area where the local schools can't provide the quality that they need.

We have in this appropriations bill, as I say, fully funded the Department of Veterans Affairs. Some of this money is advance appropriated. So while we've got a total funding level in this bill for 2014 of \$73.3 billion, that's