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94th Congress, 1st Session, 1/14/75-12/19/75

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- Appropriation authorization for Peace Corps, fiscal 1976 and transition quarter; amend Act (B)
- ACTION draft cleared i/a on 4/18/75
  - referred to H. International Relations Cte on 4/23/75; to S. Foreign Relations Cte on 4/29/75
  - introduced as H.R. 6334 (Morgan, by request) on 4/23/75, and S. 1636 (Sparkman, by request) on 5/5/75
  - P.L. 94-130, signed 11/14/75 (H.R. 6334)

AGRICULTURE  
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ENACTED  
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- Child Food Assistance Act
- Agriculture draft cleared i/a on 6/2/75
  - H.R. 4222 (Perkins, et al) introduced on 3/4/75 runs counter to Administration proposal
  - H.R. 4222 vetoed by the President on 10/3/75
  - Both Houses overrode veto on 10/7 -- House (397-18); Senate (79-13)
  - P.L. 94-105, veto overridden, became law on 10/7/75

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UNENACTED  
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National Food Stamp Reform Act (PC 10/20/75)

- Agriculture draft cleared i/a on 10/19/75
- President transmitted draft to Congress on 10/20/75
- referred to Agriculture Ctes on 10/20/75
- introduced as S.2537 (Talmadge, et al) on 10/21/75
- S.Agriculture and Forestry Cte held hearings on proposal on 10/20/75; 11/17 through 11/20 (recessed subject to call)

\* Rice Act

- Agriculture draft cleared i/a on 3/6/75
- referred to H.Agriculture Cte on 3/12/75; to S.Agriculture and Forestry Cte on 3/13/75
- introduced as H.R.5695 (Johnson, Colc.) on 4/8/75, and S.1645 (Dole, by request) on 5/6/75
- S.Agriculture Cte reported S.2260 (Eastland, et al) on 12/15/75
- H.Agriculture Cte reported amended H.R.8529 (Mathis, et al) on 11/3/75
- Rule reported on 11/6/75
- House passed (311-104) H.R.8529 amended on 12/16/75
- Senate may take up S.2260 on 1/19/76

Extra Long Staple Cotton Act (SPM 10/8/74)

- Agriculture draft cleared i/a on 3/6/75
- referred to H.Agriculture Cte on 3/12/75; to S.Agriculture and Forestry Cte on 3/13/75
- introduced as S.1646 (Dole, by request) on 5/6/75

Federal Crop Insurance Act

- Agriculture draft cleared i/a on 3/20/75
- referred to H.Agriculture Cte on 4/7/75
- introduced as S.1647 (Dole, by request) on 5/6/75, and H.R.7247 (Madigan, et al) on 5/21/75

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**U.S. Grain Standards Act amendments (Presidential address  
 8/18/75)**

- Agriculture draft cleared i/a on 9/2/75
- referred to H. Agriculture Cte on 9/4/75; to  
 S. Agriculture and Forestry Cte on 9/9/75
- introduced as S. 2297 (Dole) on 9/5, and H.R. 9467  
 (Foley/Wampler) on 9/9/75
- S. Agriculture subctes on 9/25/75 held hearings jointly  
 on grain inspection system; continued and adjourned  
 subject to call on 9/26
- Senate on 9/25/75 passed w/Cte amendment (voice)  
 S.J. Res. 88 (Humphrey, et al) -- provides 1-year  
 emergency authority for Sec/Agriculture to strengthen  
 grain inspection system
- H. Agriculture Cte mark up of H.R. 9467 began on 10/30/75;  
 continued on 10/31; 11/4; 11/7; 11/10; 11/11; 11/13;  
 11/18; 12/2; Cte on 12/10 postponed further action  
 until Congress returns in January

**Alpine Lakes Wilderness, Washington**

- Agriculture draft cleared c/w on 5/15/75
- referred to Interior and Insular Affairs Ctes on 5/22/75
- introduced as H.R. 7792 (Meeds, et al) on 6/11/75
- H. Interior subcte approved H.R. 7792 amended on 12/2/75

**Aldc Leopold Wilderness, New Mexico**

- S. Interior and Insular Affairs Cte advised on 6/3/75  
 that S. 1011 if amended, would be c/w

**Limit to five percent cost-of-living adjustments  
 under certain food assistance programs through  
 June 30, 1976 (B) (PC 3/19/75)**

- part of a nine-bill package transmitted to Congress by  
 the President on 3/19/75
- referred jointly to H. Post Office and Civil Service Cte,  
 H. Armed Services Cte, H. International Relations Cte,  
 H. Ways and Means Cte, H. Agriculture Cte, and  
 H. Education and Labor Cte on 3/20/75; to  
 S. Agriculture and Forestry Cte on 3/21/75

## AGRICULTURE (Continued)

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Limit to five percent certain adjustments under Food Stamp Act through June 30, 1976 (B) (PC 3/19/75)

- part of a nine-bill package transmitted to Congress by the President on 3/19/75
- referred jointly to H.Post Office and Civil Service Cte, H.Armed Services Cte, H.International Relations Cte, H.Ways and Means Cte, H.Agriculture Cte, and H.Education and labor Cte on 3/20/75; to S.Agriculture and Forestry Cte on 3/21/75

## APPALACHIAN REGIONAL COMMISSION

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\* Appalachian Regional Development Act extension

- ARC draft cleared c/w on 4/14/75
- referred to H.Public Works and Transportation Cte on 4/17/75; to S.Public Works Cte on 4/18/75
- introduced as S.1513 (Randolph/Eaker) on 4/23/75
- P.L.94-188, signed 12/31/75 (H.R.4073)

## ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

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Appropriation authorization, fiscal 1976 and 1977 (B)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 2/18/75
- referred to S.Foreign Relations Cte on 2/22/75
- introduced as S.819 (Sparkman, by request) on 2/24/75, and H.R.4265 (Zablocki) on 3/4/75
- P.L.94-141, signed 11/29/75 (S.1517), Foreign Relations Authorization Act, encompasses this recommendation

## BOARD FOR INTERNATIONAL BROADCASTING

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Appropriation authorization, fiscal 1976 and 1977 (B)

- BIB draft cleared i/a on 2/3/75
- referred to H.Foreign Affairs Cte on 2/5/75; to S.Foreign Relations Cte on 2/11/75
- introduced as S.769 (Sparkman, by request) on 2/20/75, and H.R.4699 (Morgan, by request) on 3/12/75
- P.L.94-104, signed 10/6/75 (S.2230)

**CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY**  
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Limit cost-of-living adjustments of annuities under the Central Intelligence Retirement Act for a specified period of time (B) (PC 3/19/75)

- part of a nine-bill package transmitted to the Congress by the President on 3/19/75
- referred jointly to H.Post Office and Civil Service Cte, H.Armed Services Cte, H.International Relations Cte, H.Ways and Means Cte, H.Agriculture Cte, and H.Education and Labor Cte on 3/20/75; to S.Armed Services Cte on 3/21/75

**CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION**  
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**ENACTED**  
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Executive pay increases (PC 7/28/75)

- Presidential communication of 7/28/75 urged Senate approval of salary adjustments embodied in H.R.2559 (Wilson, C.H., Calif.) as reported by S.Post Office and Civil Service Cte on 7/25/75
- P.L.94-82, signed 8/9/75 (H.R.2559)

Limit Federal pay increases to five percent for a specified period of time (E) (PC 3/19/75) (SpM 8/29/75)

- part of a nine-bill package transmitted to Congress by the President on 3/19/75
- referred jointly to H.Post Office and Civil Service Cte, H.Armed Services Cte, H.International Relations Cte, H.Ways and Means Cte, H.Agriculture Cte, and H.Education and Labor Cte on 3/20/75; to S.Post Office and Civil Service Cte on 3/21/75
- introduced as H.R.5805 (Terwinski, by request) on 4/9/75
- President transmitted SpM on 8/29/75 recommending a 5% pay increase
- H.Res.688 (Harris) disapproval resolution introduced on 9/4/75; S.Res.239 (Metcalfe) introduced same day
- S.Post Office and Civil Service Cte reported S.Res.239 on 9/16/75
- Senate on 9/18/75 rejected (39 yeas to 53 nays) S.Res.239, thereby approving 5% pay increase
- H.Post Office and Civil Service Cte on 9/25/75 voted not to report H.Res.688(14-8)
- House on 10/1/75 tabled motion to discharge H.Post Office and Civil Service Cte from further consideration of H.Res.688 (278 yeas to 123 nays)

COMMERCE  
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Standard Reference Data Act, appropriation authorization (B)

- Commerce draft cleared c/w on 2/4/75
- referred to H.Science and Technology Cte on 2/24/75; to S.Commerce Cte on 2/25/75
- introduced as S.1347 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 3/26/75
- P.L.94-49, signed 7/2/75 (H.R.37)

Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act, extend Title III through fiscal 1977 (marine sanctuaries) (B)

- Commerce draft cleared c/w on 4/23/75
- referred to H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 5/21/75; to S.Commerce Cte on 5/22/75
- introduced as S.1964 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 6/17/75
- P.L.94-62, signed 7/25/75 (H.R.5710) provides appropriation authorization through 9/30/76

National Advisory Committee on Oceans and Atmosphere, increase/extend appropriation authorization (B)

- Commerce draft cleared i/a on 2/25/75
- referred to H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 3/21/75; to S.Commerce Cte on 3/26/75
- introduced as H.R.5447 (Mrs.Sullivan, et al) on 3/25/75, and S.1544 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 4/28/75
- P.L.94-69, signed 8/5/75 (H.R.5447)

Maritime appropriation authorization, fiscal 1976 and 1977 (B)

- Commerce draft cleared i/a on 1/30/75
- referred to H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 2/24/75; to S.Commerce Cte on 2/25/75
- introduced as S.820 (Magnuson, by request) on 2/24/75, and H.R.3902 (Sullivan, et al) on 2/27/75
- Commerce revised draft cleared i/a on 2/21/75
- P.L.94-127, signed 11/13/75 (S.1542)

COMMERCE (Continued)  
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\* Metric Conversion Act

- Commerce draft cleared i/a on 3/14/75
- referred to H.Science and Technology Cte on 3/26/75; to S.Commerce Cte on 4/8/75
- introduced as H.R.6154 (Teague/Mosher, et al, by request) on 4/17/75, and S.1882 (Inouye/Pearson, by request) on 6/5/75
- P.L.94-181, signed 12/27/75 (H.R.8674)

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Patent Modernization and Reform Act

- Commerce draft cleared i/a on 3/27/75
- referred to H.Judiciary Cte on 10/20/75
- introduced as S.1308 (Scott, Pa) on 3/24/75
- S.Judiciary subcte on 8/1/75 approved S.2255 (McClellan, et al), a compromise bill introduced on 7/31/75

Agriculture census, amend method of collecting

- Commerce draft cleared c/w on 5/16/75
- referred to H.Post Office and Civil Service Cte on 6/2/75; to S.Post Office and Civil Service Cte on 6/5/75
- introduced as H.R.8007 (Henderson/Derwinski, by request) on 6/18/75

Export Administration Act extension (B)

- Commerce draft cleared i/a on 5/14/75
- referred to H.International Relations Cte on 5/21/75; to S.Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Cte on 5/22/75
- introduced as H.R.7665 (Morgan/Eroomfield, by request) on 6/5/75

## COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

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- Raise limitation on appropriations (B)
- CCR draft cleared c/w on 1/30/75
  - introduced as H.R.6186 (Edwards, Calif.) on 4/21/75
  - H.Judiciary Cte ordered reported H.R.6186 amended on 6/19/75
  - H.Judiciary subcte approved a clean bill H.R.8957 (Edwards) on 7/30/75

## COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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- Further appropriation authorization for the Office of Environmental Quality (B)
- CEQ draft cleared c/w on 3/8/75
  - referred to H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 4/7/75; to S.Public Works Cte on 4/8/75
  - introduced as H.R.6054 (Mrs. Sullivan, et al) on 4/16/75
  - P.L.94-52, signed 7/3/75 (H.R.6054)

## COUNCIL ON INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC POLICY

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- Appropriation authorization, fiscal 1976 and 1977 (B)
- CIEP draft cleared i/a on 3/19/75
  - referred to H.International Relations Cte on 3/20/75; to S.Banking Cte on 3/26/75
  - introduced as S.1262 (Proxmire, et al, by request) on 3/20/75, and H.R.5884 (Nix, by request) on 4/10/75
  - P.L.94-87, signed 8/9/75 (H.R.5884)

## COUNCIL ON WAGE AND PRICE STABILITY

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- Extend life of Council to 6/30/76 (SpM 1/16/75)
- CWPS draft cleared i/a on 1/30/75
  - P.L.94-78, (S.409) signed 8/9/75 provides additional authority for Council and extends its life until 9/30/77--Administration did not request additional authority; requested a one-year extension only

DEFENSE  
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## Military housing, supplemental appropriation authorization (B)

- DOD draft cleared c/w on 2/24/75
- referred to Armed Services Ctes on 3/3/75
- introduced as H.R. 5209 (Price/Wilson, by request on 3/19/75
- P.L. 94-32, signed 6/12/75 (H.R. 5899) implements (Second Supplemental Appropriations Act, section 302)

## River basin monetary authorization (B)

- Army draft cleared c/w on 4/28/75
- referred to H. Public Works and Transportation Cte on 5/5/75; to S. Public Works Cte on 5/6/75
- introduced as H.R. 8757 (Jones Ala., et al) on 7/18/75
- S. 2270 (Gravel), original bill, introduced and reported on 8/1/75
- P.L. 94-101, signed 10/2/75 (S. 2270)

## Military procurement authorization, fiscal 1976, transition quarter, and fiscal 1977 (B)

- DOD draft cleared i/a on 2/3/75
- referred to H. Armed Services Cte on 2/6/75; to S. Armed Services Cte on 2/11/75
- introduced as H.R. 3689 (Price/Wilson, by request) on 2/25/75; and S. 920 (Stennis/Thurmond, by request) on 3/3/75
- clean bill in lieu of H.R. 3689 introduced as H.R. 6674 (Price) on 5/5/75
- P.L. 94-106, signed 10/7/75 (H.R. 6674)

## Military construction authorization, fiscal 1976, transition quarter, and fiscal 1977 (B)

- DOD draft cleared i/a on 3/6/75
- referred to Armed Services Ctes on 3/18/75
- introduced as H.R. 5210 (Price/Wilson, by request) on 3/19/75, and S. 1247 (Stennis/Thurmond, by request) on 3/19/75
- P.L. 94-106, signed 10/7/75 (H.R. 6674)

DEFENSE (Continued)  
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Reduce reserve component strength, amend P.L. 93-365  
(SFM 11/26/74)

- DOD draft cleared i/a on 2/5/75
- referred to H.Armed Services Cte on 2/17/75; to S.Armed Services Cte on 2/21/75

Uniformed Services Retirement Modernization Act

- DOD draft cleared i/a on 5/23/75
- referred jointly to H.Armed Services Cte, H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte, and H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 6/3/75; to S.Armed Services Cte on 6/4/75
- introduced as H.R. 7769 (Price/Wilson, by request) on 6/10/75

Repeal section 5343(d), title 5, USC (Monroney Amendment) (B)

- DOD draft cleared i/a on 5/29/75
- introduced as H.R. 8149 (Price/Wilson, by request) on 6/23/75

Federal Civil Defense Act extension (E)

- DOD draft cleared c/w on 5/9/75
- referred to H.Armed Services Cte on 5/19/75; to S.Armed Services Cte on 5/22/75
- introduced as H.R. 7801 (Price/Wilson, by request) on 6/11/75

Limit cost-of-living adjustments of annuities under uniformed retirement system for a specified period of time (B) (PC 3/19/75)

- part of a nine-bill package transmitted to Congress by the President on 3/19/75
- referred jointly to H.Post Office and Civil Service Cte, H.Armed Services Cte, H.International Relations Cte, H.Ways and Means Cte, H.Agriculture Cte, and H.Education and Labor Cte on 3/20/75; to S.Armed Services Cte on 3/21/75

ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION  
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- \* Appropriation authorization fiscal 1976, transition quarter, and fiscal 1977 (B)
  - ERDA draft cleared i/a on 1/31/75
  - referred jointly to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte (House side) and H. Science and Technology Cte on 2/6/75; to S. Interior and Insular Affairs Cte and Jt. Atomic Energy Cte on 2/6/75
  - introduced as S. 598 (Pastore/Jackson, by request) on 2/7/75, and H.R. 3474 (Price/Teague, by request) on 2/20/75
  - P.L. 94-187, signed 12/31/75 (H.R. 3474)

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- Commercial pricing for uranium enrichment service (B)
  - ERDA draft cleared i/a on 6/23/75
  - referred to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte (House side) on 6/25/75; to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte (Senate side) on 7/8/75
  - introduced as S. 2053 (Pastore/Baker, by request) on 7/8/75, and H.R. 8401 (Price/Anderson) on 7/8/75
  - Jt. Atomic Energy Cte hearings on S. 2053 and H.R. 8401 underway; began on 12/2/75
- Nuclear Fuel Assurance Act (SpM 6/26/75)
  - President transmitted draft to Congress on 6/26/75
  - referred to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte on 6/26/75
  - introduced as S. 2035 (Pastore/Baker, by request) on 6/26/75, and H.R. 8401 (Price/Anderson, by request) on 7/8/75

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
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Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act,  
extend Title I until 9/30/77 (ocean dumping)

- EPA draft cleared c/w on 4/8/75
- referred to H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 4/21/75; to S.Commerce Cte on 5/13/75
- introduced as H.R.6282 (Mrs.Sullivan, et al) on 4/22/75
- P.L.94-62, signed 7/25/75 (H.R.5710) provides appropriation authorization through 9/30/76

Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act,  
extend until 9/30/77

- EPA draft cleared c/w on 4/8/75
- referred to H.Agriculture Cte on 4/21/75; to S.Agriculture and Forestry Cte on 5/13/75
- introduced as H.R.6387 (Foley/Wampler, by request) on 4/24/75, and S.1629 (Talmadge/Dole, by request) on 5/5/75
- P.L.94-140, signed 11/28/75 (H.R.8841)

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Noise Control Act, extend through 7/30/77 (E)

- EPA draft cleared c/w on 4/8/75
- referred to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 3/25/75; to S.Public Works Cte on 3/26/75
- H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte reported H.R.5272 (Rooney) on 4/28/75
- House failed to suspend the rules and pass H.R.5272 on 5/5/75 (222-132)
- Rules Cte on 6/4/75 denied a rule on H.R.5272
- Rule on H.R.5272 reported on 6/10/75
- House passed (390-35) H.R.5272 amended on 7/29/75
- Senate passed (voice) H.B.5272 w/amendments on 12/1/75

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (Continued)  
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Clean Air Act, extend until 9/30/77

- EPA draft cleared c/w on 4/8/75; to S. Public Works Cte on 5/13/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 4/15/75
- S. Public Works Cte mark up of proposed legislation began on 11/18/75; continued through 12/19 and recessed subject to call
- H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 10/8/75 approved a clean bill
- clean bill introduced as H.R. 10498 (Rogers, et al) on 10/31/75
- H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte mark up of H.R. 10498 began on 12/3/75; continued through 12/11

Clean Air Act amendment (continue Federal automobile emission standards through 1981 model year) (SPM 6/27/75) (PC 7/26/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 7/26/75
- referred to S. Public Works Cte and to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 7/28/75
- introduced as S. 2214 (Baker/Randolph, by request) on 7/29/75
- clean bill approved by H. Commerce subcte on 10/8 contains a 1980 model year date
- clean bill introduced as H.R. 10498 (Rogers, et al) on 10/31/75
- S. Public Works Cte began mark up of proposed legislation began on 11/18/75; continued through 12/19 and recessed subject to call
- H. Commerce Cte mark up of H.R. 10498 began on 12/3/75; continued through 12/11

Federal Water Pollution Control Act, extend until 9/30/77

- EPA draft cleared c/w on 4/8/75
- referred to H. Public Works Cte on 4/21/75; to S. Public Works Cte on 5/13/75
- H. Public Works subcte approved H.R. 9560 (Jones, et al) on 11/13/75
- S. Public Works Cte on 11/18/76 ordered reported an original bill authorizing funds for fiscal year 1976 and through 9/30/76
- original bill introduced as S. 2710 (Randolph) on 11/20/75
- Senate passed (voice) S. 2710 w/o amendment on 12/12/75



FEDERAL ENERGY ADMINISTRATION  
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Emergency Petroleum Act extension (Vet's Message 9/9/75 on S.1849)

- President stated he would accept a 45-day extension of price controls
- S.2299 (Roth, et al) on 9/10/75 ordered placed on calendar (45-day extension)
- H.R.9524 (Staggers/Devine) introduced on 9/10/75 (60-day extension)
- P.L. 94-99, signed 9/29/75 (H.R.9524) extends price controls until 11/15/75

\* Price-Anderson Act, amend/extend (Presidential statement 6/13/75)

- FEA draft cleared i/a on 6/19/75
- referred to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte (House side) on 7/11/75; Senate side on 7/16/75
- introduced as H.R.8631 (Price/Anderson, by request) on 7/14/75, and S.2568 (Pastore/Baker, by request) on 10/28/75
- P.L. 94-197, signed 12/31/75 (H.R.8631)

\* Energy Independence Act (SU) (PC 1/30/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 1/30/75
- draft divided and referred to H.Armed Services Cte, H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte, H.Ways and Means Cte, and H.Banking Cte on 2/4/75; referred jointly to S.Armed Services Cte, S.Banking Cte, S.Commerce Cte, S.Finance Cte, S.Government Operations Cte, S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte, S.Judiciary Cte, S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte, and S.Public Works Cte on 2/5/75
- introduced as H.R.2633 (Staggers/Devine) and H.R.2650 (Rhodes, et al) on 2/4/75, and S.594 (Scott) on 2/5/75
- P.L. 94-163, signed 12/22/75 (S.622) includes Titles II, IV, XII, XIII of the omnibus energy bill on pages

FEDERAL ENERGY ADMINISTRATION (Continued)  
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Energy Independence Authority Act (Presidential Statement  
 9/22/75) (PC 10/10/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 10/10/75
- referred to S. Banking Cte on 10/20/75
- introduced as S.2532 (Pannin/Scott/Tower, by request) on 10/20/75, and H.R.10267 (Staggers/Devine, et al, by request) on 10/21/75
- referred jointly to H. Banking Cte and H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte
- S.2532 (now pending before S. Banking Cte) referred jointly to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte on 11/5/75

\* Energy Independence Act (SU) (PC 1/30/75)

Separate titles of omnibus bill follow

Naval Petroleum Reserves (Title I) (not included in  
 P.L.94-163)

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 List)

- H. Armed Services Cte on 4/18/75 reported amended H.R.5919 (Hebert) in lieu of H.R.2633
- Rule for consideration of H.R.49 (petroleum reserves) and H.R.5919 reported on 4/22
- H. Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 5/7/75 adopted amendments to H.R.49
- H. Armed Services Cte on 6/10/75 agreed to chairman's amendments to H.R.49 and H.R.5919
- House passed (391-20) H.R.49 amended on 7/8/75 (rejected H. Armed Services Cte amendments (printed in the reported bill) to H.R.49, and by vote of 102-305 rejected text of H.R.5919 as a substitute for H.R.49)
- S.2173 (Cannon) introduced and reported on 7/24/75 permits limited production from naval petroleum reserves in California and Wyoming
- Senate on 7/29/75 passed (93-2) S.2173 amended; vacated passage and passed H.R.49 amended to contain Senate-passed language on S.2173
- House on 9/17 asked Senate for conference on H.R.49
- Senate on 10/2 agreed to conference asked by House
- Conferees met on 12/2; 12/4; 12/8; 12/10; 12/15; 12/16 (did not complete action and recessed subject to call)

FEDERAL ENERGY ADMINISTRATION (Continued)  
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Energy Independence Act (SU) (FC 1/30/75) (Continued)

National Strategic Petroleum Reserve (Civilian)  
Act of 1975 (Title II)

- included in P.L. 94-163, signed 12/22/75 (S.622)

New Natural Gas Deregulation (Title III) (not included in  
P.L. 94-163)

- S. Commerce Cte reported S.692 (Hollings/Magnuson) on 6/12/75 (differs from administration bill in major respects)
- H. Commerce subcte began hearings on natural gas supplies on 6/9/75; continued on 6/13; 10/28
- Senate passed amended S.2310 (Hollings, et al) on 10/22/75
- Senate tabled S.692 on 10/23/75
- H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte reported amended H.F. 9464 (Dingell/Staggers) Natural Gas Emergency Act on 12/15/75
- Rule reported on 12/17/75

Energy Supply and Environmental Coordination Act  
Amendments (Title IV)

- Senate on 9/19/75 passed (voice) S.2337 (Randolph)--extends coal conversion programs through 12/31/75
- included in P.L. 94-163, signed 12/22/75 (S.622)

Clean Air Act amendments (Titles V and VI) (not included in  
P.L. 94-163)

- S. Public Works Cte began mark up of proposed legislation began on 11/18/75; continued through 12/19 and recessed subject to call
- H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce subcte on 10/8 approved a clean bill
- clean bill introduced as H.R. 10498 (Rogers, et al) on 10/31/75
- H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte mark up of H.R. 10498 began on 12/3/75; continued through 12/11

**FEDERAL ENERGY ADMINISTRATION (Continued)**  
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**Energy Independence Act (SU) (PC 1/30/75) (Continued)**

Utilities Act of 1975 (Title VII) (not included in P.L.94-163)

- S. Government Operations subctes began hearings jointly on Title VII of S.594 on 4/14; continued on 4/15; continued on 4/17 (recessed subject to call)

Energy Facilities Planning and Development Act of 1975 (Title VIII) (not included in P.L.94-163)

- see page 20

Energy Development Security Act of 1975 (Title IX) (not included in P.L.94-163)

- S. Interior Cte reported S.621 (Randolph, et al) on 3/7/75
- Senate on 5/1/75 passed (47-36) S.621 amended
- House on 6/5/75 passed amended (230-151) H.R.4035 (Wirth, et al)
- Senate on 6/11 passed (voice) H.R.4035 amended to contain language of S.621 as passed by the Senate on 5/1/75; asked House for conference
- House on 6/12/75 agreed to conference asked by Senate
- Conferees on 7/10/75 agreed to file conference report on H.R.4035
- Conference reported on H.R.4035 filed in both Houses on 7/14/75
- Senate adopted conference report on 7/16/75 (57-40)
- House adopted conference report on 7/17/75 (239-172)
- H.R.4035 vetoed by the President on 7/21/75
- Veto message referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 7/24/75
- related provisions embodied in S.622 (conference report filed in both Houses on 12/9/75; rejected by House on 12/15/75)

FEDERAL ENERGY ADMINISTRATION (Continued)  
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Energy Independence Act (SU) (PC 1/30/75) (Continued)

Building Energy Conservation Standards Act of 1975  
 (Title X) (not included in P.L.94-163)

- S. Banking Cte on 4/10 voted to adopt Title X of S.594 as part of new bill entitled Emergency Housing Act of 1975
- Emergency Housing Act of 1975 introduced (and reported) as S.1483 (Prcxwire) on 4/18/75
- Senate on 4/24 passed H.R.4485 (Farrett, et al) amended to contain amended language of S.1483
- H.R.4485 vetoed by the President on 6/24/75; House on 6/25 sustained President's veto by vote of 268 yeas to 157 nays (two thirds not voting in the affirmative)
- S. Banking Cte on 7/25/75 began mark up of legislation re standards for energy conservation in the building industry (including S.2063 and title III of S.1483); continued on 7/29 (S.2063 Home Energy Disclosure Act, was reported by S.Commerce Cte and referred to S.Banking Cte on 7/8/75)
- S. Banking Cte on 12/17/75 ordered reported H.R.8650 (Energy Conservation Buildings Act) amended to include Title III, re Building Conservation Standards, of S.1481

Winterization Assistance Act of 1975 (Title XI) (not included in P.L.94-163)

- See page 20

National Appliance and Motor Vehicle Energy Labeling Act of 1975 (Title XII)

- included in P.L.94-163, signed 12/22/75 (S.622)

Standby Energy Authorities Act of 1975 (Title XIII)

- included in P.L.94-163, signed 12/22/75 (S.622)

FEDERAL ENERGY ADMINISTRATION (Continued)  
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Four titles of proposed Energy Independence Act introduced as separate bills as follows:

Winterization Assistance Act (Title XI)

(not included in P.L.94-163)

- S.617 (Randolph (for Jackson) for himself and Fannin, by request) on 2/7/75
- referred to S.Banking Cte on 2/7/75
- S.Banking Cte on 4/10/75 said Community Services Administration already had request authority
- House passed amended (258-130) H.R.8650 (Barrett, et al) on 9/8/75
- S.Banking Cte on 12/17/75 ordered reported H.R.8650 amended to include Title III, re Building Conservation Standards, of S.1481 (preceding page)

National Strategic Petroleum Reserve (Civilian) Act  
(Title II)

- S.618 (Randolph (for Jackson) for himself and Fannin, by request) on 2/7/75
- referred to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on
- included in P.L.94-163, signed 12/22/75 (S.622)

Energy Facilities Planning and Development Act  
(Title VIII)

(not included in P.L.94-163)

- S.619 (Randolph (for Jackson) for himself and Fannin, by request) on 2/7/75
- referred to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 2/7/75
- S.Interior subcte hearings on Title III, re powerplant siting, of S.984 (Land Resources Planning Assistance Act) and on S.619 began on 4/23; concluded on 5/2/75

\* Standby Energy Authorities Act (Title XIII)

- S.620 (Randolph (for Jackson) for himself and Fannin, by request) on 2/7/75
- referred to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 2/7/75
- S.Interior Cte reported w/amendments S.622 (Randolph (for Jackson) et al) on 3/5/75
- included in P.L.94-163, signed 12/22/75 (S.622)

**FEDERAL ENERGY ADMINISTRATION (Continued)**  
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- \* Natural Gas Emergency Standby Act
  - FEA draft cleared i/a on 9/10/75
  - referred to S.Commerce Cte and jointly to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte and H.Judiciary Cte on 9/10/75
  - introduced as S.2330 (Pearson, by request) on 9/10/75, read the second time and placed on calendar, and as H.R.9755 (Devine, et al) on 9/22/75
  - S.2310 (Hollings, et al) introduced and placed on calendar on 9/9/75
  - Senate passed (58-32) S.2310 amended on 10/22/75
  - Senate on 10/23/75 tabled S.2330
  - H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte reported amended H.R.9464 (Dingell/Staggers) Natural Gas Emergency Act on 12/15/75
  - Rule reported on 12/17/75

Federal Energy Administration Act, extend until 6/30/78

- FEA draft cleared i/a on 9/26/75
- referred to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 10/1/75; to S.Government Operations Cte on 10/6/75

Gasoline Dealers Protection Act

- FEA draft cleared i/a on 9/10/75
- referred to S.Judiciary Cte and to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 9/10/75

**FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION**  
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Natural Gas Act, 180-day exemption

- FPC draft cleared c/w on 7/25/75
- referred to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte and to S.Commerce Cte on 7/29/75
- introduced as S.2244 (Magnuson) on 7/31/75, H.R.9410 (Staggers/Devine, by request) on 9/5/75, and H.R.9424 (Brown) on 9/8/75
- S.Commerce Cte concluded hearings on S.2244 on 9/15/75
- part of Natural Gas Emergency Standby Act (preceding page) but not as recommended by the Administration

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION  
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- \* Defense Production Act, amend/extend
  - GSA draft cleared c/w on 5/14/75
  - referred to H.Banking Cte on 5/19/75; to S.Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Cte on 5/22/75
  - P.L. 94-152, signed 12/16/75 (S.1537) extends Act to 9/30/77

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Provide additional authority for stockpile disposal of:

Silver (SpM 11/17/74) (SpM 11/26/74) (E)

- GSA draft cleared i/a on 2/21/75
- referred to Armed Services Ctes on 3/3/75

Lead (SpM 11/17/74) (SpM 11/26/74) (E)

- GSA draft cleared i/a on 2/21/75
- referred to Armed Services Ctes on 3/3/75

Tin (SpM 11/17/74) (SpM 11/26/74) (E)

- GSA draft cleared i/a on 2/21/75
- referred to Armed Services Ctes on 3/3/75

Agency Activation Fund, establish

- GSA draft cleared c/w on 6/9/75
- referred to H.Government Operations Cte on 6/18/75; to S.Government Operations Cte on 6/23/75

HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE  
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Assistance to repatriated Americans (B)

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 4/24/75
- referred to S.Finance Cte on 4/29/75
- introduced as H.R.6451 (Fulton/Vander Jagt) on 4/29/75
- P.L.94-44, signed 6/28/75 (H.R.6698) provides specific limitations on aggregate dollar amount and on period for which such assistance may be furnished in any particular case; extends for one (1) year, through 6/30/76, law making SSI program recipients eligible to receive food stamps

Basic Educational Opportunities grant program,  
authorize carry over of excess funds (B)

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 3/31/75
- revised draft cleared i/a on 4/21/75
- referred to H.Education and Labor Cte on 4/30/75; to S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 5/5/75
- P.L.94-43, signed 6/28/75 (H.R.4221) authorized carry-over into fiscal 1976 of excess fiscal 1975 funds. Permanent carry-over authority was recommended by the Administration, and Congress will address this proposal next session in connection with its consideration of the extension of the basic grant program

Health Services Amendments

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 2/21/75
- referred jointly to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte and H.Ways and Means Cte on 3/3/75; jointly to S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte and S.Finance Cte on 3/5/75
- introduced as H.R.4819 (Staggers) on 3/12/75, and S.1203 (Schweiker/Javits, by request) on 3/17/75
- S.66 vetoed by the President on 7/26/75
- Senate on 7/26/75 overrode veto (67-15)
- House on 7/29/75 overrode veto (384-43)
- P.L.94-63, veto overridden, became law on 7/29/75

## HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE (Continued)

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### National Health Service Corps Amendments (B)

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 4/30/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 5/8/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 5/12/75
- introduced as H.R. 7048 (Staggers/Devine) on 5/15/75, and S. 1753 (Schweiker/Javits, by request) on 5/15/75
- S. 66 vetoed by the President on 7/26/75
- Senate on 7/26/75 overrode veto (67-15)
- House on 7/29/75 overrode veto (384-43)
- P.L. 94-63, veto overridden, became law on 7/29/75

### Developmental Disabilities Services and Construction Act, revise/extend

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 2/18/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 2/20/75; to S. Labor and Public Works Cte on 2/22/75
- introduced as H.R. 4720 (Staggers/Devine) on 3/12/75, and S. 1194 (Stafford, by request) on 3/17/75
- P.L. 94-103, signed 10/4/75 (H.R. 4005)

### Older American Act Amendments

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 1/29/75
- referred to H. Education and Labor Cte on 1/31/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 2/3/75
- introduced as S. 599 (Beall) on 2/7/75
- P.L. 94-135, signed 11/28/75 (H.R. 3922)

**HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE (Continued)**  
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- \* Technical change in method of determining supplementary medical insurance premium
  - HEW draft cleared i/a on 1/28/75
  - referred jointly to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte and to H. Ways and Means Cte on 2/4/75; to S. Finance Cte on 2/5/75
  - introduced as H.R. 4822 (Staggers/Devine) on 3/12/75, and S. 1722 (Curtis) on 5/13/75
  - P.L. 94-182, signed 12/31/75 (H.R. 10284)
  
- \* Special enrollment period in SMI for certain Federal employees and annuitants (FEHB--medicare coordination)  
(see complementary CSC draft bill on p.6)
  - HEW draft cleared c/w on 7/15/75
  - referred to H. Ways and Means Cte on 7/31/75; to S. Finance Cte on 9/4/75
  - introduced as H.R. 9959 (Duncan, Tenn.) on 10/1/75
  - P.L. 94-182, signed 12/31/75 (H.R. 10284) maintains present relationship between FEHB and Medicare

HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE (Continued)  
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Social Security Cost Control Act (B)

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 2/21/75
- referred to H.Ways and Means Cte on 2/27/75; to S.Finance Cte on 3/3/75
- introduced as H.R.4820 (Staggers/Devine) on 3/12/75, and S.1720 (Curtis) on 5/13/75
- H.Ways and Means Cte held a hearing on 5/7/75; 5/14 and 5/15; 5/20 re financing of social security system; concluded on 5/21/75; general public hearings re financing on 6/17 through 6/19/75

Social Security Act amendments (capital expenditure financing; Medicaid freestanding clinic reimbursement) (B)

- HEW draft cleared c/w on 6/3/75
- referred jointly to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte and H.Ways and Means Cte on 6/9/75; to S.Finance Cte on 6/10/75

Social Security Amendments (OASDI, SSI, health insurance for aged and disabled)

- HEW draft cleared c/w on 6/20/75
- referred to H.Ways and Means Cte on 7/8/75; to S.Finance Cte on 7/9/75

International Social Security Agreements Act

- HEW draft cleared c/w on 6/11/75
- referred to H.Ways and Means Cte on 6/18/75
- proposed changes to draft legislation cleared c/w on 9/17/75
- referred to H.Ways and Means Cte on 9/20/75; to S.Finance Cte on 10/21/75

Maternal and Child Health and Crippled Children's Services and Medicaid Cost Control Amendments (B)

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 2/2/75
- referred jointly to H.Ways and Means Cte and H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 2/27/75; to S.Finance Cte on 3/3/75
- introduced as H.R.4821 (Staggers/Devine) on 3/12/75, and S.1721 (Curtis) on 5/13/75

## HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE (Continued)

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### National Research Service Award Amendments

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 5/9/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 5/19/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 5/14/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 5/15/75
- introduced as H.R. 7049 (Staggers/Devine) on 5/15/75, and S. 2012 (Schweiker/Javits, by request) on 6/25/75
- House passed (375-5) H.R. 7988 (Rogers, et al) on 10/20/75
- S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte reported S. 988 (Kennedy, et al) w/an amendment on 12/5/75
- Senate on 12/11/75 passed (90-2) H.R. 7988 amended to contain language of S. 988 as amended; asked House for conference

### Emergency Medical Services Systems program extension

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 5/12/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 5/19/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 5/22/75
- introduced as H.R. 7480 (Staggers/Devine) on 5/22/75, and S. 2011 (Schweiker/Javits, by request) on 6/25/75

### Comprehensive Health Professions Education Act

- (see E -2 Watch List)
- HEW draft cleared i/a on 2/26/75
  - referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 3/5/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 3/10/75
  - introduced as S. 996 (Schweiker, et al) on 3/6/75, as H.R. 4717 (Stagger/Devine) and as H.R. 4719 (Staggers/Devine), both bills introduced on 3/12/75
  - H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce subcte approved a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 2956 (Rogers, et al) on 3/11/75
  - H.R. 5546 (Rogers, et al) clean subcte bill in lieu of H.R. 2956 introduced on 3/26/75
  - House passed (296-58) H.R. 5546 amended on 7/11/75
  - S. Labor and Public Welfare subcte hearings on H.R. 5546, S. 996 and related Senate bills held on 9/16; 9/26; 9/30; 10/29; 10/30; 10/31; 11/18 (adjourned subject to call)
  - revised HEW draft cleared i/a on 11/20/75
  - introduced as S. 2748 (Kennedy, et al) on 12/5/75

HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE (Continued)  
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Allied Services Act (B)

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 6/27/75
- referred jointly to H. Education and Labor Cte, H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte, H. Ways and Means Cte, and H. Government Operations Cte on 10/2/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 10/6/75
- introduced as H.R. 9981 (Quie, et al) on 10/2/75, and S. 2489 (Javits/Curtis) on 10/7/75

Communicable disease and other control programs, appropriation authorization (B)

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 5/5/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 5/7/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 5/12/75
- introduced as H.R. 7050 (Staggers/Devine) on 5/15/75, and S. 1756 (Schweiker/Javits, by request) on 5/15/75
- Senate passed amended (voice) S. 1466 (Kennedy, et al) on 7/30/75
- H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce subcte hearings on H.R. 7050 began on 11/3/75; concluded on 11/4

Library Partnership Act (B)

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 2/19/75
- referred to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte and to H. Education and Labor Cte on 3/10/75
- H. Education and Labor subcte on 12/16/75 approved a bill, to be introduced to amend the Library Service Construction Act
- Cte bill introduced on 12/18/75 as H.R. 11233 (Brademas, et al) does not incorporate all provisions recommended by the Administration

Telecommunications Facilities and Demonstration Act (B)

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 2/19/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 3/5/75; to S. Commerce Cte on 3/10/75
- introduced as H.R. 4564 (Staggers/Devine) on 3/10/75, and S. 1257 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 3/20/75
- H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte ordered reported amended H.R. 9630 (Macdonald, et al) on 12/3/75.



**HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE (Continued)**  
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**Land-grant college program, repeal certain authorities (B)**

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 2/21/75
- referred to H.Agriculture Cte on 3/6/75; to S.Agriculture and Forestry Cte on 3/10/75

**Amend PL 874 (financial assistance to schools affected by Federal activity) (B)**

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 2/28/75
- referred to H.Education and Labor Cte on 3/6/75; to S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 3/10/75
- H.Education and Labor subcte held a hearing on impact aid on 2/27/75; 4/15

**Student aid programs, repeal funding restrictions (B)**

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 3/31/75
- referred to H.Education and Labor Cte on 4/9/75; to S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 4/10/75
- S.Labor and Public Welfare subcte oversight hearings on student assistance program began on 6/10/75; recessed subject to call on 6/12/75

**Student Loan Amendments (B)**

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 2/26/75
- referred jointly to H.Education and Labor Cte and H.Judiciary Cte on 3/3/75; to S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 3/3/75
- introduced as H.R.4376 (Eshleman, et al) on 3/6/75, and S.1229 (Beall, et al) on 3/18/75
- S.Labor and Public Welfare subcte considered proposal on 4/8/75 in connection w/its hearings on H.R.3471 (O'Hara); subcte mark up of H.R.3471 began on 11/10

## HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE (Continued)

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### ESBA technical amendments (B)

- HEW draft cleared c/w on 5/23/75
- referred to H. Education and Labor Cte on 6/3/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 6/9/75

### National Reading Improvement Program amendments

- HEW draft cleared c/w on 6/3/75
- referred to H. Education and Labor Cte on 6/5/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 6/9/75
- introduced as H.R. 8304 (Quie) on 6/26/75
- H. Education and Labor subcte held an oversight hearing on reading programs and reading achievement on 11/13/75

### National Institute of Education, appropriation authorization, extension

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 3/14/75
- referred to H. Education and Labor Cte on 3/18/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 3/21/75
- introduced as H.R. 5988 (Brademas, et al, by request) on 4/15/75, and S. 1498 (Beall) on 4/22/75
- S. Labor and Public Welfare subcte held hearings on the role of postsecondary educational institutions on 7/21 and 7/22; 7/30
- H. Education subcte approved H.R. 5988 on 12/16/75

### Vocational Education Act

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 4/4/75
- referred to H. Education and Labor Cte on 4/8/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 4/9/75
- introduced as H.R. 6251 (Quie, by request) on 4/22/75, and S. 1863 (Beall/Pell) on 6/4/75

### Desegregation Assistance Act

- HEW draft cleared i/a on 3/11/75
- referred to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte and to S. Education and Labor Cte on 3/13/75

## HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE (Continued)

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### Rehabilitation Act extension

- HEW draft cleared c/w on 7/14/75
- referred to H. Education and Labor Cte on 7/28/75; to S. Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 7/29/75
- introduced as H.R. 11045 (Brademas, et al) on 12/8/75, and S. 2809 (Beall/Mathias) on 12/17/75
- House passed (voice) H.R. 11045 on 12/15/75 (2 year extension)
- Senate on 12/19/75 passed (voice) H.R. 11045 amended to contain language of S. 2807 (Randolph, et al) a 1-year extension

### Limit to five percent cost-of-living increases under the old-age, survivors, and disability insurance and supplementary income programs through June 30, 1976

(E) (PC 3/19/75)

- part of a nine-bill package transmitted to Congress by the President on 3/19/75
- referred jointly to H. Post Office and Civil Service Cte, H. Armed Services Cte, H. International Relations Cte, H. Ways and Means Cte, H. Agriculture Cte, and H. Education and Labor Cte on 3/20/75; to S. Finance Cte on 3/21/75
- introduced as S. 1747 (Curtis) on 5/15/75
- Senate on 5/6/75 passed S. 409 (wage and price stability) w/amendments, one of which, adopted (76-13) expressed the sense of Congress that no ceiling on social security cost-of-living increases be imposed

**HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**  
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Federal riot reinsurance and crime insurance programs, extend

- HUD draft cleared c/w on 2/12/75
- referred to Banking Ctes on 2/17/75
- introduced as S.J.Res.33 (Proxmire/Tower) on 2/18/75
- P.L. 94-13, signed 4/8/75 (H.R.2783) extended programs for 2 years until 4/30/77

**UNENACTED**  
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Provide an additional executive level IV (Assistant Secretary for Consumer Affairs and Regulatory Functions)

- HUD draft cleared c/w on 9/10/75
- referred to H.Banking Cte on 9/18/75; to S.Banking Cte on 9/19/75

Annual contributions for assisted housing, increase (B)

- HUD draft cleared i/a on 4/2/75
- referred to S.Banking Cte on 4/29/75
- introduced as S.1589 (Proxmire/Tower, by request) on 4/29/75, and H.R.6575 (Barrett, et al, by request) on 5/1/75
- S.Banking Cte on 6/12/75 began oversight hearings on housing and urban development programs (recessed subject to call)

**INDIAN CLAIMS COMMISSION**  
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**Appropriation authorization, fiscal 1976 (B)**

- ICC draft cleared c/w on 1/27/75
- referred to H.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 2/6/75; to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 2/11/75
- introduced as S.876 (Abourezk (for Jackson/Fannin) by request) on 2/27/75, and H.R.3979 (Needs/Young, Alaska) on 2/27/75
- House passed (voice) H.R.3979 on 6/16/75
- Senate passed H.R.3979 amended (voice) on 8/1/75
- House on 9/17/75 asked Senate for conference on H.R.3979
- Senate on 10/2/75 agreed to conference asked by House
- Conferees met on 11/3/75; did not complete action and recessed subject to call

**Appropriation authorization, fiscal 1977 (B)**

- ICC draft cleared c/w on 3/12/75
- referred to H.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 5/7/75; to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 5/22/75

**INTERIOR**  
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- Ex gratia payment to the people of Bikini Atoll, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (B)
- Interior draft cleared c/w on 3/14/75
  - referred to H.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 3/19/75; to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 3/26/75
  - introduced as H.R.5158 (Phillip Furtcn) on 3/19/75, and S.1389 (Jackson/Fannin, by request) on 4/9/75
  - P.L.94-34, (H.R.5158) signed 6/13/75

**UNENACTED**  
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- Mined Area Protection Act (PC 2/6/75)
- President transmitted draft to Congress on 2/6/75
  - referred to H.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 2/6/75; to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 2/11/75
  - introduced as H.R.3119 (Skubitz) on 2/10/75, and S.652 (Jackson/Metcalf/Fannin, by request) on 2/11/75
  - H.R.25 vetoed by the President on 5/20/75
  - House sustained veto message on 6/10/75 (278 yeas to 143 nays)

**Alaska Conservation Act**

- Interior draft previously cleared i/a transmitted to Congress on 3/21/75
- referred jointly to H.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte and H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 4/7/75; to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 4/8/75
- introduced as S.1687 (Jackson/Fannin, by request) on 5/8/75, and H.R.6089 (Sullivan) introduced on 4/16/75 (H.R.7900 (Haley, et al) an identical bill introduced on 6/13/75)

INTERIOR (Continued)  
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Pacific Island Trust Territory civil government appropriation authorization, increase fiscal 1975, fiscal 1976, transition quarter, and fiscal 1977 (B)

- Interior draft cleared i/a on 2/18/75
- referred to H.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 3/3/75
- introduced as S.983 (Jackson/Fannin, by request) on 3/6/75, and H.R.5192 (Phillip Furton) on 3/19/75
- P.L. 94-27, signed 5/28/75 (S.326) partially implements administration request -- increases fiscal 1975 appropriation authorization ceiling for Trust Territory civil government activities and authorizes certain funds for planning the transition to Commonwealth status for the Mariana Islands District
- H.Interior Cte on 6/13/75 reported H.R.7688 (Phillip Burton, et al) clean bill in lieu of H.R.5192
- House passed (voice) H.R.7688 on 6/16/75
- S.Interior Cte reported H.R.7688 on 11/26/75

National Resources Lands Management Act (SpM 2/15/73) (B)

- Interior draft cleared i/a on 3/5/75
- referred to H.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 3/6/75; to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 3/11/75
- introduced as H.R.5224 (Ruppe, by request) on 3/19/75; and S.1292 (Haskell, for Jackson/Fannin and self, by request) on 3/21/75
- S.Interior subcte hearings on S.507 (Haskell/Jackson/Metcalf) began on 3/7/75; continued on S.507 and S.1292 on 5/15/75
- H.Interior subcte began mark up of H.R.5224 on 5/1/75; continued 5/6 and 5/8; 6/12; 6/17; 9/26; 9/30; 10/3; 10/28; 10/30
- S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte reported S.507 on 12/18/75

Water Resources and Technology Development Act

- Interior draft cleared c/w on 3/7/75
- referred to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 3/13/75
- introduced as S.1301 (Church/Jackson/Fannin, by request) on 3/21/75
- revised Interior draft referred to Interior and Insular Affairs Ctes on 7/8/75
- S.Interior subcte held hearings on S.1301 on 7/11/75

INTERIOR (Continued)

Additional Assistant Secretary of the Interior

- Interior draft cleared i/a on 4/17/75
- referred to Interior and Insular Affairs Ctes on 5/19/75
- introduced as H.R. 8536 (Young, Alaska) on 7/10/75, and S. 2144 (Jackson/Fannin, by request) on 7/21/75

Indian Trust Counsel Authority, create

- Interior draft in lieu of S. 1002 (Abourzek) cleared c/w and sent to Congress on 6/20/75

Amend certain laws re livestock trespass on Indian lands

- Interior draft cleared c/w on 7/16/75
- referred to S. Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 7/23/75
- introduced as S. 2235 (Fannin/Jackson, by request) on 7/31/75

Commonwealth status for the Northern Mariana Islands  
(PC 7/1/75)

- President transmitted joint resolution to the Congress on 7/1/75
- referred to H. Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 7/8/75; to S. Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 7/15/75
- introduced as H.J. Res. 547 (Skubitz, et al) on 7/9/75, and S. J. Res. 107 (Jackson/Fannin, by request) on 7/16/75
- House passed (voice) H.J. Res. 549 (Burton, et al) on 7/21/75
- S. Interior Cte reported H.J. Res. 549 on 10/23/75 and bill then referred for a period not to extend beyond 12/3, jointly to S. Foreign Relations Cte for review of any foreign policy implications, and to S. Armed Services Cte for review of any military implications (on 11/20 time extended from 12/3/75 to 1/27/75)
- S. Foreign Relations Cte hearings on H.J. Res. 549 held on 11/5/75; Cte began consideration of H.J. Res. 549 on 11/20 but did not complete action and recessed subject to call
- S. Armed Services subcte held hearings on H.J. Res. 549 on 11/17/75; considered on 12/16 but did not complete action and recessed subject to call

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**JUSTICE**  
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Compensation/emoluments, Office of the Attorney General,  
repeal limitations

- Justice draft cleared i/a on 1/27/75
- referred to H. Post Office and Civil Service Cte on 2/5/75
- S. 58 (Scott, Pa.) introduced on 1/15/75 implements this recommendation
- P.L. 94-2, signed 2/18/75 (S. 58)

Voting Rights Act Amendments (SU) (PC 1/27/75) (PC 7/18/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 1/27/75
- referred to Judiciary Ctes on 1/27/75
- introduced as S. 407 (Griffin, et al) on 1/27/75, and H.R. 2148 (Hutchinson, et al) on 1/27/75
- P.L. 94-73, signed 8/6/75 (H.R. 6219) extends Act for 7 years

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Antitrust Civil Process Act Amendments

- Justice draft cleared i/a on 1/20/75
- referred to H. Judiciary Cte on 2/17/75; to S. Judiciary Cte on 2/25/75
- S. Judiciary subcte on 7/28/75 ordered reported w/an amendment in the nature of a substitute and w/o recommendation S. 1284 (Hart/Scott)

Criminal Justice Reform Act (SPH 6/19/75)

- President on 6/19/75 endorsed the kind of comprehensive reform embodied in S. 1 and proposed certain amendments to the bill
- S. 1 (McClellan, et al) introduced on 1/15/75
- Justice proposed amendments to S. 1 cleared i/a on 7/3/75
- Amendment #820 (Fong) submitted on 7/26/75 implements proposed amendments to S. 1

JUSTICE (Continued)  
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Crime Control Act (extend LEAA program for 5 years)

- Justice draft cleared i/a on 6/20/75
- referred to H.Judiciary Cte on 7/28/75; to S.Judiciary Cte on 7/29/75
- introduced as H.R.8967 (Rodino, by request) on 7/28/75, and S.2212 (Hruska/McClellan) on 7/29/75
- S.Judiciary subcte hearings on S.2212 and related Senate bills began on 10/2/75; continued on 10/8; 10/9; 10/22; 10/23; 11/4; continued and resessed subject to call on 12/4

Gun control "Saturday Night Special" (SpM 6/19/75)

- Justice/Treasury joint draft cleared i/a on 7/21/75
- introduced as S.2186 (Pong, by request) on 7/26/75, and H.R.9022 (McClory) on 7/29/75
- H.Judiciary subcte approved a clean bill to provide more effective gun control on 11/20/75
- S.Judiciary subcte approved an original bill to strengthen laws re firearms on 12/1/75

Aircraft Sabotage/Piracy Act

- Justice draft cleared c/w on 9/2/75

Psychotropic Substances Act

- Justice draft cleared c/w on 2/27/75
- referred to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 3/17/75; to S.Judiciary Cte on 3/18/75
- introduced as S.1266 (Hruska, et al) on 3/20/75, and H.R.5359 (Staggers/Devine) on 3/21/75

Appointment of US marshals by the Attorney General

- Justice draft cleared c/w on 2/13/75

Garnishment of Federal payments

- Justice draft cleared c/w on 9/16/75
- referred to H.Ways and Means Cte on 10/29/75; to S.Finance Cte on 10/30/75

**JUSTICE (Continued)**  
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- Bankruptcy Act amendment (re debts of major municipalities)  
 (Presidential address and communication 10/29/75)
- President transmitted draft to Congress on 10/29/75
  - referred to H.Judiciary Cte on 10/29/75; to S.Judiciary Cte on 10/30/75
  - introduced as S.2597 (Burdick, et al) on 10/30/75, and H.R.10457 (Butler, et al) on 10/30/75
  - H.Judiciary subcte on 11/6/75 approved a clean bill to amend chapter 9 of Bankruptcy Act
  - S.Judiciary Cte reported S.2597 w/amendments on 11/18/75
  - House passed (373-29) H.R.10624 (Rodino, et al) on 12/9/75 (Bankruptcy Act Amendments)--agreed to Cte amendments
  - Senate on 12/10/75 passed (79-2) H.R.10624 amended to contain language of S.2597 as amended; asked House for conference
  - House on 12/16/75 agreed to conference asked by Senate

- Intergovernmental Emergency Assistance Act (New York City Seasonal Financing Act) H.R.10481 (Ashley, et al)  
 introduced on 10/31/75
- P.L.94-143, signed 12/9/75 (H.R.10481)

**LABOR**  
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- Emergency Unemployment Compensation Act amendments  
 (Presidential statement 4/4/75)
- Labor draft cleared i/a on 4/28/75
  - referred jointly to S.Finance and S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 5/1/75; to H.Ways and Means Cte on 5/5/75
  - introduced as H.R.6504 (Steiger, et al) on 4/29/75, and S.1810 (Javits, by request) on 5/22/75
  - P.L.94-45, signed 6/30/75 (H.R.6900)

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- \* Common situs picketing (TV interview 8/25/75)
  - President on 8/25/75 endorsed H.R.5900 and S.1479, if amended
  - H.R.5900 (Thompson, et al) introduced on 4/10/75; S.1479 (Williams, et al) introduced on 4/18/75
  - H.R.5900 vetoed by the President on 1/2/76
  
- \* Construction Industry Collective Bargaining Act (TV interview 8/25/75)
  - Labor draft cleared c/w on 9/5/75
  - referred to H.Education and Labor Cte on 9/8/75; to S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 9/10/75
  - introduced as S.2305 (Williams, et al) on 9/9/75, H.R.9486 (Thompson/Quie) on 9/9/75, and H.R.9500 (Thompson/Quie) on 9/10/75
  - H.R.5900 (preceding item) incorporates this recommendation (Title II)
  
- Unemployment Compensation amendments
  - Labor draft cleared i/a on 7/14/75
  - referred to S.Finance Cte on 7/16/75
  - introduced as H.R.8614 (Steiger) on 7/14/75
  - clean bill introduced on 10/20/75 as H.R.10210 (Corman, et al)
  - H.Ways and Means Cte reported w/technical amendments H.R.10210 on 12/16/75

- Limit cost-of-living increases under Federal Employees' Compensation Act for a specified period of time (B) (PC 3/19/75)
  - part of a nine-bill package transmitted to Congress by the President on 3/19/75
  - referred jointly to H.Post Office and Civil Service Cte, H.Armed Services Cte, H.Armed Services Cte, H.International Relations Cte, H.Ways and Means Cte, H.Agriculture Cte, and H.Education and Labor Cte on 3/20/75; to S.Post Office and Civil Service Cte on 3/21/75
  - introduced as H.R.6386 (Esch, by request) on 4/24/75

## NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

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Appropriation authorization, fiscal 1976 (B)

- NASA draft cleared i/a on 1/30/75
- referred to H.Science and Technology Cte on 2/4/75; to S.Aeronautical and Space Sciences Cte on 2/7/75
- introduced as S.573 (Moss/Goldwater, by request) on 2/5/75, and H.R.2931 (Teague/Mosher, by request) on 2/5/75
- clean bill in lieu of H.R.2931 introduced on 3/12/75 as H.R.4700 (Teague/Mosher)
- P.L.94-39, signed 6/19/75 (H.R.4700)

## NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

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Appropriation authorization, transition quarter and fiscal 1977 through fiscal 1979 (B)

- NFAH draft cleared i/a on 5/16/75
- referred to H.Education and Labor Cte on 5/19/75; to S.Labor and Public Works Cte on 5/22/75
- introduced as S.1809 (Javits/Pell) on 5/22/75, and H.R.7490 (Bell) on 5/22/75

## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

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Appropriation authorization, fiscal 1976 and 1977 (B)

- NSF draft cleared i/a on 2/4/75
- referred to H.Science and Technology Cte on 2/6/75; to S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 2/11/75
- introduced as H.R.3562 (Teague/Mosher, by request) on 2/21/75, and S.1478 (Javits) on 4/18/75
- P.L.94-86, signed 8/9/75 (H.R.4723) appropriation authorization for fiscal 1976

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
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Supplemental appropriation authorization, fiscal 1975 (B)

- NRC draft cleared i/a on 1/31/75
- introduced as S.1717 (Pastore/Baker, by request) on 5/12/75
- referred to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte (House side) on 2/5/75; to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte (Senate side) on 2/11/75
- introduced as S.674 (Pastore, by request) on 2/12/75, and H.R.4224 (Price) on 3/4/75
- P.L. 94-18, signed 4/22/75 (S.994)

Appropriation authorization, fiscal 1976 and 1977 (B)

- NRC draft cleared i/a on 1/31/75
- referred to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte (House side) on 2/5/75; to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte (Senate side) on 2/11/75
- introduced as S.675 (Pastore, by request) on 2/12/75, and H.R.3274 (Price) on 2/19/75
- P.L. 94-79, signed 8/9/75 (S.1716) authorizes funds through 9/30/76

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Nuclear powerplant siting and licensing procedures  
(SPM 1/30/75)

- NRC draft cleared i/a on 5/5/75
- referred to Jt. Atomic Energy Cte (Senate side) on 5/13/75
- introduced as S.1717 (Pastore/Baker, by request) on 5/12/75, and H.R.7002 (Price, by request) on 5/14/75
- Jt. Atomic Energy Cte hearings on S.1717 and H.R.7002 held on 6/25/75; resumed and recessed subject to call on 11/11

Authorize NRC to collect user fees

- NRC draft cleared c/w on 12/12/75

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- Government wide appropriation authorization  
for fiscal year transition quarter (PC 2/20/75)
- President transmitted draft to Congress on 2/20/75
  - referred to H.Government Operations Cte on 2/20/75; to  
S.Government Operations Cte on 2/22/75
  - introduced as S.1874 (Percy, et al) on 6/4/75
  - P.L.94-144, signed 12/9/75 (H.B.6692)

- Price Reduction Act (repeal of fair trade laws)
- OMB draft transmitted to House on 1/28/75
  - referred jointly to H.Judiciary Cte and to H.Interstate  
and Foreign Commerce Cte on 1/29/75
  - introduced as H.R.2390 (McClory) on 1/29/75; S.408  
(Brooke, et al) introduced on 1/27/75, implements on  
5/12
  - P.L.94-145, signed 12/12/75 (H.B.6971)

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- Fiscal Year Transition Act
- OMB transmitted draft to Congress on 7/16/75
  - referred to H.Government Operations Cte on 7/16/75;  
jointly to S.Appropriations Cte, S.Budget Cte,  
S.Finance Cte, S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte,  
S.Agriculture Cte, S.Foreign Relations Cte, S.Public  
Works Cte, S.Judiciary Cte, S.Post Office and Civil  
Service Cte, S.Armed Services Cte, S.District of  
Columbia Cte, and S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte  
on 7/22/75
  - amendments to proposed Act transmitted to Government  
Operations Ctes on 9/29/75
  - introduced as S.2444 (Percy, et al) on 10/1/75
  - Senate on 12/1/75 passed S.2444 amended

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET (Continued)  
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Fiscal Year Adjustment Act

- OMB transmitted draft to Congress on 7/16/75
- referred to H.Government Operations Cte on 7/16/75; jointly to S.Appropriations Cte, S.Budget Cte, S.Finance Cte, S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte, S.Agriculture Cte, S.Foreign Relations Cte, S.Public Works Cte, S.Judiciary Cte, S.Post Office and Civil Service Cte, S.Armed Services Cte, S.District of Columbia Cte, and S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 7/22/75
- amendments to proposed Act transmitted to Government Operations Cte on 9/29/75
- introduced as S.2445 (Percy, et al) on 10/1/75
- Senate on 12/1/75 passed S.2445 amended (voice)

Reorganization Act extension (SPM 9/12/74) (PC 4/9/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 4/9/75
- referred to H.Government Operations Cte on 4/9/75; to S.Government Operations Cte on 4/10/75

Employment Act of 1946, amend to make price stability a goal of the Act

- OMB draft transmitted to Congress on 1/30/75
- referred to H.Government Operations Cte on 2/5/75; to S.Banking Cte on 2/11/75

National Commission on Regulatory Reform, create (SPM 10/8/74)

- OMB draft transmitted to Congress on 1/31/75
- referred jointly to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte, H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte, and H.Public Works Cte on 2/3/75; jointly to S.Banking Cte, S.Commerce Cte, and S.Government Operations Cte on 2/5/75
- S.Government Operations Cte hearings on problems of Federal regulation and the need for regulatory reform began on 10/29/75; continued on 10/30 and 11/7; 12/5; 12/19 and recessed subject to call
- S.Commerce Cte and S.Government Operations Cte on 11/6/75 held joint hearings w/H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce subcte to discuss major issues affecting regulatory reform

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET (Continued)  
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Commodity Futures Trading Commission Act, amend  
(eliminate three legislative encroachments in P.L. 93-463)  
(SPM 11/17/74)

- OMB draft transmitted to Congress on 2/5/75
- referred to H. Agriculture Cte on 2/6/75; to  
S. Agriculture and Forestry Cte on 2/11/75
- introduced as S. 1642 (Dole, by request) on 5/6/75

Remedial legislation to repeal two legislative  
encroachments in P.L. 93-495 (legislative bypass and  
Senate confirmation of non-Presidential appointee)

- OMB draft transmitted to Congress on 2/5/75
- referred to H. Banking Cte on 2/6/75; to S. Banking Cte on  
2/11/75

Federal Procurement Act

- OMB draft transmitted to Congress on 8/5/75
- referred to H. Government Operations Cte on 9/3/75; to  
S. Government Operations Cte on 9/4/75
- introduced as S. 2309 (Percy, by request) on 9/9/75

White House Office Personnel Act (PC 3/26/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 3/26/75
- referred jointly to H. Post Office and Civil Service Cte  
and H. Government Operations Cte on 3/26/75; to S. Post  
Office and Civil Service Cte on 4/9/75
- introduced as H. R. 5747 (Henderson, et al) on 4/8/75,  
S. 1697 (Fong) on 5/8/75
- H. Post Office subcte on 4/30/75 approved a clean bill,  
to be introduced, in lieu of H. R. 5747
- clean bill introduced as H. R. 6706 (Henderson, et al) on  
5/6/75
- H. Post Office Cte reported H. R. 6706 amended on 5/20/75
- Rule reported on 6/4/75
- House passed amended H. R. 6706 (voice) on 7/9/75



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Recreate Presidential Science Adviser (PC 6/9/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 6/9/75
- referred jointly to H.Science and Technology Cte and H.Government Operations Cte on 6/9/75; jointly to S.Aeronautical and Space Sciences Cte, S.Commerce Cte, and S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte on 6/10/75
- introduced as H.R.7830 (Teague/Mosher, by request) on 6/11/75, and S.1987 (Moss/Goldwater, by request) on 6/20/75
- H.Science and Technology Cte hearings on H.R.4461 (Teague/Mosher) and H.R.7830 began on 6/10/75; concluded on 6/23/75
- H.R.9058 (Teague/Mosher) introduced on 7/30/75 is a combination of H.R.4461 and H.R.7830
- H.Science and Technology Cte on 10/9/75 ordered reported a clean bill in lieu of H.R.9058
- clean bill introduced on 10/20/75 as H.R.10230 (Teague, et al)
- H.Science and Technology Cte reported H.R.10230 on 10/29/75
- S.Labor and Public Welfare subcte hearings on S.1987 began on 10/28/75; will continue on 11/4
- Rule for House consideration of H.R.10230 reported on 10/30/75
- House on 11/6/75 passed (362-28) H.R.10230 amended
- S.Commerce Cte on 11/4/75 held joint hearings w/S.Aeronautical and Space Sciences Cte and S.Labor and Public Welfare Cte; continued and recessed subject to call on 11/12

OFFICE OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS POLICY

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\* Public Broadcasting Financing Act

- OTP draft cleared i/a on 2/11/75
- referred to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 2/17/75; to S.Commerce Cte on 2/27/75
- introduced as S.893 (Magnuson, et al) on 2/28/75, H.R.4563 (Staggers/Devine) on 3/10/75
- P.L.94-192, signed 12/31/75 (H.E.6461)

OFFICE OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS POLICY (Continued)  
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International Satellite Communications Act

- OTP draft cleared c/w on 4/4/75
- referred to S.Commerce Cte on 4/29/75
- introduced as H.R.6809 (Staggers/Devine) on 5/7/75, and S.1693 (Magnuson/Fearson, by request) on 5/8/75

PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION  
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Appropriation authorization through fiscal 1980 (B)

- PADC draft cleared i/a on 4/7/75
- referred to H.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 4/9/75; to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 4/18/75
- introduced as S.1689 (Jackson/Pannin, by request) on 5/8/75, and H.R.7743 (Skubitz, by request) on 6/9/75
- H.Interior subcte approved H.R.7743 on 9/19/75
- Senate passed (voice) S.1689 w/an amendment on 12/18/75

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SBA loan interest rates (B)

- SBA draft cleared i/a on 2/27/75
- referred to H.Small Business Cte on 4/1/75

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Indochina Migration and Refugee Assistance Act (PC 5/6/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 5/6/75
- referred to S.Foreign Relations Cte and to H.Judiciary Cte on 5/6/75
- introduced as S.1661 (Sparkman, et al) on 5/6/75, and H.R.6755 (Rodino) on 5/7/75
- P.L.94-23, signed 5/23/75 (H.R.6755)

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United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East,  
U.S. payments

- State draft cleared i/a on 2/10/75
- referred to H. Foreign Affairs Cte on 2/13/75; to S. Foreign Relations Cte on 2/17/75
- introduced as S. 818 (Sparkman, by request) on 2/24/75, and H. R. 5457 (Fraser, et al) on 3/25/75
- P.L. 94-37, signed 6/19/75 (S. 818)

Lift arms embargo against Turkey (Presidential address to Congress 4/10/75) (PC 7/9/75) (PC 7/28/75)

- President on 4/10/75 endorsed S. 846 introduced on 2/26/75 by Scott/Mansfield, et al
- P.L. 94-104, signed 10/6/75 (S. 2230)

Early Warning System in the Sinai (PC 9/2/75) (PC 9/29/75)

- President transmitted text of proposal to the Congress on 9/2/75
- referred to S. Foreign Relations Cte on 9/3/75
- Presidential communication of 9/29/75 to the Speaker of the House, et al urged Congressional approval
- introduced as H. J. Res. 683 (Morgan/Bromfield) on 10/2/75, and S. J. Res. 138 (Sparkman) on 10/7/75
- P.L. 94-110, signed 10/13/75 (H. J. Res. 683)

State Department Authorization Act (B)

- State draft cleared i/a on 2/14/75
- referred to H. Foreign Affairs Cte on 2/4/75; to S. Agriculture and Forestry Cte on 2/5/75
- introduced as S. 904 (Sparkman, by request) on 3/3/75
- P.L. 94-141, signed 11/29/75 (S. 1517)

\* Foreign Assistance Act (B) (SpM 10/30/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 5/15/75
- referred to S. Foreign Relations Cte on 5/22/75
- introduced as S. 1816 (Sparkman, by request) on 5/22/75
- Cte bill introduced as H. R. 9005 (Morgan, et al) on 7/29/75
- P.L. 94-161, signed 12/20/75 (H. R. 9005)

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- \* Security assistance program (B) (SPM 10/30/75) (SPM 10/30/75)
  - President on 10/30/75 transmitted to Congress proposed revisions to provisions of 5/15/75 draft legislation relating to security assistance program
  - referred to H. International Affairs Cte on 10/30/75; to S. Foreign Relations Cte on 11/3/75
  - introduced as H.R. 10594 (Morgan/Broomfield, by request) on 11/6/75
  - H. International Relations Cte mark up of security assistance legislation began on 11/13/75; ran through 12/18 and adjourned until next session
  - S. Foreign Relations subcte approved S. 2662 (Humphrey) on 12/18/75; full Cte considered S. 2662 on 12/19, but did not complete action and recessed subject to call
  
- Authorize waiver of certain Trade Act restrictions on granting trade preferences (Presidential address to Congress 4/10/75)
  - President on 4/10/75 endorsed H.R. 5897 introduced by Green, et al on 4/10/75
  - pending in H. Ways and Means Cte
  - H. Ways and Means subcte hearings on H.R. 5897 began on 5/13; continued and concluded on 5/19/75
  
- UNESCO Convention; implement (illicit trade, cultural property)
  - State draft cleared c/w on 7/26/75
  - referred to H. Ways and Means Cte on 8/1/75; to S. Finance Cte on 9/4/75
  
- United Nations Forces in Cyprus, U.S. payment (B)
  - State draft cleared i/a on 3/18/75
  - referred to H. International Cte on 3/21/75; to S. Foreign Relations Cte on 3/26/75
  - introduced as S. 1413 (Sparkman, by request) on 4/10/75
  - S. Foreign Relations Cte held a hearing on S. 1413 on 4/21/75

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## Amend PL 480, Food for Peace program

- Agriculture draft cleared i/a cn 1/29/75
- referred to H.Foreign Affairs Cte on 2/4/75; to S.Agriculture and Forestry Cte on 2/5/75
- introduced as H.R.3033 (Morgan, by request) on 2/6/75, and S.1641 (Dole, by request) cn 5/6/75
- S.Agriculture Cte considered P.L.480 cn 2/18/75 in connection w/hearings cn proposed revision of farm program

## Benefits for American civil internees in Southeast Asia

- State draft cleared c/w on 2/19/75
- referred to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 3/6/75; to S.Judiciary Cte on 3/11/75
- introduced as H.R.5360 (Staggers/Devine) on 3/21/75
- House passed (voice) H.R.5360 on 10/6/75

## Limit cost-of-living adjustments of annuities under Foreign Service Retirement System for a specified period of time (B) (FC 3/19/75)

- part of a nine-bill package transmitted to Congress by the President on 3/19/75
- referred jointly to H.Post Office and Civil Service Cte, H.Armed Services Cte, H.International Relations Cte, H.Ways and Means Cte, H.Agriculture Cte, and H.Education and Labor Cte on 3/20/75; to S.Foreign Relations Cte on 3/21/75
- introduced as S.1369 (Sparkman, by request) on 4/7/75

**TRANSPORTATION**  
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**Regional Rail Reorganization Act Amendments**

- DOT draft cleared i/a on 1/17/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 1/20/75; to S. Commerce Cte on 1/23/75
- introduced as S. 281 (Hartke/Pearson, by request) on 1/21/75, and H. B. 2051 (Staggers/Devine) on 1/23/75
- P.L. 94-5, signed 2/28/75 (S. 281)

**AMTBAK supplemental, fiscal 1975**

- DOT draft cleared i/a on 2/3/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 2/13/75; to Commerce Cte on 2/17/75
- introduced as H. R. 3282 (Staggers/Devine) on 2/19/75, and S. 852 (Hartke/Pearson) on 2/26/75
- P.L. 94-25, signed 5/26/75 (H. R. 4975)

**AMTBAK Improvement Act (B)**

- DOT draft cleared i/a on 3/10/75
- referred to S. Commerce Cte on 3/26/75
- introduced as S. 1460 (Hartke, by request) on 4/17/75
- P.L. 94-25, signed 5/26/75 (H. R. 4975)

**Coast Guard appropriation authorization (B)**

- DOT draft cleared i/a on 3/7/75
- referred to H. Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 3/18/75; to S. Commerce Cte on 3/18/75
- introduced as H. R. 5217 (Mrs. Sullivan, et al) on 3/19/75, and S. 1487 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 4/21/75
- P.L. 94-54, signed 7/7/75 (H. R. 5217) authorization for fiscal 1976 and transition period

**\* Railroad Revitalization Act (SPh 5/19/75)**

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 5/19/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 5/19/75
- introduced as S. 1876 (Hartke/Pearson, by request) on 6/5/75, and H. R. 7681 (Staggers, by request) on 6/5/75
- S. 2718 awaits Presidential action

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- \* Comprehensive Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act (SPM 7/9/75)
  - President transmitted draft to the Congress on 7/9/75
  - referred jointly to S.Commerce Cte, S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte, and S.Public Works Cte; to H.Public Works Cte, H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte, and H.Interantional Relaticns Cte on 7/9/75
  - introduced as S.2162 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 7/22/75, and H.R.9294 (Mrs.Sullivan/Ruppe) on 8/1/75
  - H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries subcte hearings on H.R.9294 began on 10/29/75; continued on 11/4; 11/12; 11/18; 12/2; continued on H.R.9294 and H.R.10756 (Studds, et al) on 12/4; 12/16

Intervention on the High Seas Act amendment  
(pollution by substances other than oil)

- DOT draft cleared c/w on 9/19/75
- referred to H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 10/2/75; to S.Commerce Cte on 10/6/75
- introduced as S.2549 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 10/22/75

Federal Boat Safety Act (B)

- DOT draft cleared c/w on 7/31/75
- referred to H.Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 9/3/75; to S.Commerce Cte on 9/4/75
- introduced as H.R.9375 (Mrs. Sullivan, et al) on 9/4/75, and S.2383 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 9/19/75
- H.Merchant Marine Cte reported amended H.R.5630 (Sullivan) on 11/13/75
- House passed (voice) H.R.5630 amended on 11/17/75

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Documentation of vessels, revise and improve laws

- DOT draft cleared c/w on 11/7/75
- referred to H. Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 11/19/75; to S. Commerce Cte on 11/20/75

Documentation of seamen, revise and improve laws

- DOT draft cleared c/w on 11/7/75
- referred to H. Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 11/19/75; to S. Commerce Cte on 11/20/75

Tonnage measurement certain vessels, simplify

- DOT draft cleared c/w on 11/7/75
- referred to H. Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 11/19/75; to S. Commerce Cte on 11/20/75

Pleasure vessels, eliminate Federal documentation

- DOT draft cleared c/w on 11/7/75
- referred to H. Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cte on 11/19/75; to S. Commerce Cte on 11/20/75

Airport and Airway Development Act (B) (SpM 3/17/75)

- (see K-1 Watch List)
- President transmitted draft to Congress on 3/17/75
  - referred to H. Public Works and Transportation Cte and to S. Commerce Cte on 3/17/75
  - introduced as H.R. 5017 (Jones, Ala./Harsha, by request) on 3/17/75
  - H. Public Works and Transportation subcte hearings on airport development and program began on 3/17/75; continued through 3/20/75
  - S. Commerce subcte hearings scheduled for 4/16 through 4/18 postponed
  - H. Science and Technology subcte on 6/11/75 approved the research and development portion of legislation
  - H. Public Works and Transportation Cte reported amended H.R. 9771 (Jones, Ala., et al) on 10/29/75
  - H. Rules Cte on 11/6/75 held a hearing but took no final action on H.R. 9771
  - H. Ways and Means Cte met on 12/11 and acted favorably on Title III of H.R. 9771 re trust fund
  - House passed (368-16) H.R. 9771 amended on 12/18/75 (agreed to trust fund amendment)

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Airport and Airway Revenue Act (B) (SPM 3/17/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 3/17/75
- referred to S.Finance Cte and to H.Ways and Means Cte on 3/17/75
- introduced as S.1455 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 4/17/75
- S.Commerce subcte approved S.1455 w/amendments on 12/3/75; full Cte discussed S.1455 on 12/10

Aviation Act (SPM 10/8/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 10/8/75
- referred to S.Commerce Cte and to H.Public Works and Transportation Cte on 10/8/75
- introduced as H.R.10261 (Jones, Ala. et al, by request) on 10/21/75, and S.2551 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 10/22/75

Local Rail Service Amendments

- DOT draft cleared i/a on 10/1/75
- referred to S.Commerce Cte on 10/6/75
- introduced as S.2520 (Hartke/Pearson, by request) on 10/9/75, and H.R.10184 (Staggers, by request) on 10/9/75
- S.Commerce subcte hearings began on 10/20; concluded on 10/30/75

Northeast corridor rail passenger service

- DOT draft cleared i/a on 10/31/75
- referred to H.Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 11/5/75; to S.Commerce Cte on 11/10/75
- introduced as H.R.10769 (Staggers/Devine, by request) on 11/14/75
- H.Public Works and Transportation subcte held hearings on 11/13/75 on H.R.10631 (Howard) and H.R.10632 (Howard)
- H.Public Works and Transportation Cte reported H.R.10631 on 12/15/75

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Federal-Aid Highway Act (SpM 7/7/75)

- DCT draft cleared i/a on 6/24/75
- President transmitted draft to Congress on 7/7/75
- referred jointly to S.Finance and S.Public Works Cte on 7/7/75; to H.Public Works and to H.Ways and Means Cte on 7/8/75
- introduced as H.R.8430 (Jones, Ala./Harsha, by request) on 7/8/75, and S.2078 (Baker/Stafford, by request) on 7/10/75
- S.Public Works Cte ordered reported an original bill authorizing funds through fiscal 1978 for construction of certain highways on 11/13/75
- original bill introduced as S.2711 (Pentsen) on 11/20/75
- S.Public Works Cte reported S.2711 on 11/20/75
- H.Public Works Cte reported H.R.8235 (Howard/Shuster) on 12/11/75
- H.Ways and Means Cte met on 12/11/75 and acted favorably on adding a Title III (extension of the Highway Trust Fund) to H.R.8235
- S.Finance Cte on 12/11/75 approved a 2-year extension of Highway Trust Fund
- Senate passed (86-1) S.2711 amended on 12/12/75 (includes 2-year extension of Highway Trust fund)
- House passed (410-7) H.R.8235 amended on 12/18/75 (includes 2-year extension of Highway Trust Fund)

Highway Safety Act

- DOT draft cleared c/w on 7/21/75
- referred to H.Public Works Cte on 7/22/75; to S.Public Works Cte on 7/26/75
- introduced as S.2176 (Baker/Randolph) on 7/24/75, and H.R.8944 (Jones, Ala./Harsha, by request) on 7/25/75

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### Motor Carrier Reform Act (SPH 11/13/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 11/13/75
- referred to H. Public Works and Transportation Cte and to S. Commerce Cte on 11/13/75
- introduced as H.R. 10909 (Jones, Ala., by request) on 12/1/75

### Motor Vehicle Safety Act

- DOT draft cleared c/w on 7/21/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 7/31/75; to S. Commerce Cte on 8/1/75
- introduced as H.R. 9291 (Staggers/Devine) on 8/1/75, and S. 2323 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 9/10/75
- Federal-Aid Highway Act as passed by both Houses (S. 2711-H.R. 8235) includes provisions for highway safety

### Anti-Odometer Tampering Enforcement Act

- DOT draft cleared c/w on 6/3/75
- referred to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 6/9/75
- H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte reported H.R. 10807 (Van Deerlin, et al) on 12/18/75

### Hazardous Materials Transportation Act Amendments

- DOT draft cleared c/w on 5/15/75
- referred to S. Commerce Cte on 5/22/75; to H. Interstate and Foreign Commerce Cte on 5/19/75
- introduced as S. 2024 (Magnuson/Pearson, by request) on 6/26/75
- P.L. 94-56, signed 7/19/75 (S. 1462) implements in part-- authorizes funds through 9/30/76

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## Public debt ceiling (B)

- Treasury on 1/23/75 requested a temporary debt ceiling of \$604 billion through 6/30/76 (a \$109 billion increase)
- P.L. 94-3, signed 2/19/75 (H.R.2634) provided a temporary debt ceiling of \$531 billion until 6/30/75, a \$36 billion increase

## Emergency tax reduction (SU)

- Treasury on 1/22/75 presented tax proposals at hearing before H.Ways and Means Cte
- P.L. 94-12, signed 3/29/75 (H.R.2166)

## Public debt limit increase (B)

- Treasury on 6/2/75 requested greater borrowing flexibility
- H.Ways and Means Cte on 6/3/75 agreed on a debt limit bill, to be introduced
- bill introduced as H.R.7545 (Ullman) on 6/3/75
- House on 6/16/75 failed to pass H.R.7545 (175 yeas to 225 nays)
- P.L. 94-47, signed 6/30/75 (H.R.8030) increased debt limit to \$577 billion from date of enactment through 11/15/75

TREASURY (Continued)  
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- Public debt ceiling, extend from 11/15/75 through 12/15/75
- Treasury on 9/29/75 requested extension at hearings before H.Ways and Means Cte
  - H.Ways and Means Cte on 10/6/75 authorized introduction of a bill to increase public debt limit to \$507 billion through 3/31/75
  - H.R.10049 (Ullman/Schneebeli) introduced on 10/6/75
  - House on 10/20/75 failed to pass H.R.10049 (178-217)
  - P.L.94-132, signed 11/14/75 (H.R.10585) provides a \$595 billion debt ceiling until 3/15/76

National Center for Productivity Act

- Treasury draft cleared i/a on 3/19/75
- referred to H.Banking Cte on 3/24/75; jointly to S.Government Operations Cte and S.Banking Cte on 3/26/75
- introduced as H.R.6078 (Ashley/McKinney, by request) on 4/16/75
- original bill introduced as S.2195 (Nunn, et al) on 7/28/75
- P.L.94-136, signed 11/28/75

\* Tax reduction provisions of Tax Reduction Act, extend (Veto Message 12/17/75 on H.R.5559)

- H.R.9968 (Ullman) introduced on 10/2/75 was amended to extend certain provisions of Act for 6 months; further amendment stated intent of Congress re reductions in level of Federal spending
- P.L.94-164, signed 12/23/75 (H.R.9968)

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State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act, extend and revise (SU)  
(SPM 4/25/75)

- President transmitted draft to Congress on 4/25/75
- referred to S.Finance Cte on 4/29/75; to H.Government Operations Cte on 4/28/75
- introduced as H.R.6558 (Fountain, et al) on 4/30/75, and S.1625 (Hathaway, et al) on 5/1/75
- H.Budget Task Force on Community Resources and General Government held a hearing on general revenue sharing on 9/18/75; 9/24
- H.Government Operations subcte hearings on H.R.6558 and related bills began on 9/25/75; concluded on 12/2
- H.Judiciary subcte hearings on civil rights aspects of general revenue sharing held on 10/8 and 10/9/75

**TREASURY (Continued)**  
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**Permanent tax reduction (SU) (SpM 10/6/75)**

- Treasury on 1/22/75 presented tax proposals at hearing before H.Ways and Means Cte; on 7/8/75 and 7/31/75 presented tax reform proposals
- H.Ways and Means Cte tax reform bill introduced on 11/6/75 as H.R. 10612 (Ullman)
- House passed (257-168) H.R. 10612 amended on 12/4/75
- S.Finance Cte held hearings on H.R. 10612 on 12/9/75
- on 12/12/75 further consideration of tax reform put over until next session

**Energy taxes**

- Treasury on 1/22/75 presented tax proposals at hearing before H.Ways and Means Cte

**Energy Conservation and Tax Reduction Act**

- Treasury draft cleared i/a on 3/4/75

**Non-taxpayers' Energy Rebate**

- Treasury draft cleared i/a on 3/4/75

(Certain energy taxes included in H.R. 6860  
Energy Conservation and Conversion Act)

**Electric Power Facility Construction Incentive Act**

- Treasury draft cleared i/a on 8/5/75
- referred to H.Ways and Means Cte on 9/3/75; to S.Finance Cte on 9/4/75

**\* Financial Institutions Act (SpM 11/17/74) (SpM 3/19/75)**

- Treasury draft cleared i/a on 2/12/75
- President transmitted draft to Congress on 3/19/75
- referred to S.Banking Cte and to H.Ways and Means Cte on 3/19/75
- introduced as S. 1267 (Prcxmire, et al, by request) on 3/20/75, and H.R. 5291 (Frenzel/Regula) on 3/20/75
- S.Banking Cte on 11/20/75 reported S. 1267 amended (incorporates certain provisions of S. 1475 (Prcxmire, et al) and S. 1540 (Sparkman) related bills)
- Senate on 12/11/75 passed S. 1267 amended (79-14)
- H.Banking subcte hearings on Financial Institutions and the Nation's Economy (FINE) began on 12/2/75; concluded on 12/18/75

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Inter-American Development Bank charter change

- Treasury draft cleared i/a on 6/24/75
- referred to H.Banking Cte on 7/8/75; to S.Foreign Relations Cte on 7/9/75
- introduced as S.2137 (Sparkman, by request) on 7/21/75; part of H.R.8905 (Gonzales) introduced on 7/24/75
- part of H.R.9721 (Gonzales) approved by H.Banking subcte on 9/23/75 (full Cte reported on 10/8; rule reported on 10/22)
- House passed (249-166) H.R.9721 amended on 12/9/75

Inter-American Development Bank, increased U.S.participation

- Treasury draft cleared i/a on 7/22/75
- referred to H.Banking, Currency and Housing Cte on 7/23/75; to S.Foreign Relations Cte on 7/26/75
- introduced as H.R.8905 (Gonzales) on 7/24/75, and S.2223 (Sparkman, by request) on 7/30/75
- H.Banking subcte on 9/23/75 approved H.R.9721 (Gonzales)
- H.Banking Cte reported H.R.9721 on 10/8/75
- Rule reported on 10/22/75
- House passed (249-166) H.R.9721 amended on 12/9/75

African Development Fund Act (SPM 4/24/74) (SPM 9/12/74)  
 (SPM 11/17/74)

- Treasury draft cleared i/a on 4/7/75
- referred to H.Banking Cte on 4/18/75; to S.Foreign Relations Cte on 4/22/75
- introduced as S.1512 (Sparkman, by request) on 4/23/75, and H.R.8033 (Gonzalez, by request) on 6/19/75
- H.Banking subcte on 9/23/75 approved H.R.9721 (Gonzales)
- H.Banking Cte reported H.R.9721 on 10/8/75
- Rule reported on 10/22/75
- House passed (249-166) H.R.9721 amended on 12/9/75

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- Financial Support Fund, U.S. participation (PC 6/6/75)**
- President transmitted draft to Congress on 6/6/75
  - referred to H. Banking, Currency and Housing Cte on 6/6/75; to S. Foreign Relations Cte on 6/9/75
  - introduced as S. 1907 (Sparkman, by request) on 6/10/75, and H.R. 8175 (Rees, et al, by request) on 6/24/75
  - S. Foreign Relations Cte hearings on S. 1907 began on 7/30; continued on 7/31 and recessed subject to call
  - Agreed on 7/17/75 that if and when S. Foreign Relations Cte reports S. 1907, the bill then be referred to S. Banking Cte
  - H. Banking subcte held a hearing on H.R. 8175 on 9/18/75; continued and concluded on 9/24

**National Firearms Act, eliminate formal forfeiture procedures re unregistered weapons**

- Treasury draft cleared c/w on 7/1/75
- referred to H. Ways and Means Cte on 10/8/75; to S. Judiciary Cte on 10/9/75

**Customs Modernization Act**

- Treasury draft cleared c/w on 4/23/75
- referred to S. Finance Cte on 5/13/75
- introduced as H.R. 9220 (Green/Conable) on 8/1/75

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**Appropriation authorization, fiscal 1976 and 1977 (B)**

- USIA draft cleared i/a on 2/5/75
- referred to H. Foreign Affairs Cte on 2/24/75; to S. Foreign Relations Cte on 3/5/75
- introduced as S. 1131 (Sparkman, by request) on 3/11/75
- part of S. 1517 (Foreign Relations Authorization Act) as passed by Senate but not as enrolled

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VA physicians pay incentive

- VA draft cleared i/a on 5/28/75
- referred to H.Veterans Affairs Cte on 6/2/75; to S.Veterans Affairs Cte on 6/4/75
- introduced as S.1859 (Hartke/Hansen, by request) on 6/4/75
- P.L.94-123, signed 10/22/75 (H.R.8240)

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Require reimbursement from private insurers  
for VA hospital care (B)

- VA draft cleared i/a on 2/3/75
- referred to Veterans Affairs Ctes on 2/17/75
- introduced as S.816 (Hansen/Hartke, by request) on 2/24/75, and H.R.4009 (Satterfield/Hammerschmidt, by request) on 2/27/75
- H.Veterans Affairs subcte hearings on H.R.4009 held on 7/11/75

Repeal two-year GI bill extension enacted in  
P.L.93-337 (SpM 11/26/74) (B)

- VA draft cleared i/a on 2/3/75
- referred to Veterans Affairs Ctes on 2/17/75
- introduced as S.817 (Hansen/Hartke, by request) on 2/24/75, and H.R.3702 (Teague/Hammerschmidt, by request) on 2/25/75

State veterans cemeteries (B)

- VA draft cleared i/a on 3/26/75
- referred to H.Veteran Affairs Cte on 4/7/75; to S.Veteran Affairs Cte on 4/8/75
- introduced as S.1361 (Hansen, by request) on 4/7/75, and H.R.5803 (Danielson/Hillis, by request) on 4/9/75
- H.Veteran Affairs subcte began cversight hearings on the national cemetery system on 5/12/75; continued on 5/19; subcte held a hearing, on site selection of a national cemetery in California on 6/16/75; continued re national cemetery system on 6/23

## VETERANS ADMINISTRATION (Continued)

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- Termination of veterans educational benefits (PC 5/7/75)
- President transmitted draft to Congress on 5/7/75
  - referred to Veterans Affairs Ctes on 5/7/75
  - introduced as S.1805 (Hansen, et al) on 5/22/75, and H.R.7726 (Roberts/Hammerschmidt, by request) on 6/9/75
  - H.Veterans Affairs subcte on Education held a hearing on H.R.7726 and H.R.8406 (Teague) on 7/29/75
  - H.Veterans Affairs subcte on Housing held a hearing on H.R.7726, H.R.8406 and H.R.6806 (Roberts, et al) on 7/30/75
  - H.Veterans Affairs subcte on Education approved education provisions of H.R.8406 amended on 9/10/75; subcte on Housing approved housing provisions of H.R.8406 same date
  - H.Veterans Affairs Cte ordered reported a clean bill in lieu of H.R.8406 on 9/11/75
  - clean bill introduced on 9/11/75 as H.R.9576 (Roberts, et al)
  - H.Veterans Affairs Cte reported H.R.9576 on 9/18/75
  - House passed (298-106) H.R.9576 on 10/6/75
  - S.Veterans Affairs subcte held hearings on proposed legislation on 10/1/75

## WATER RESOURCES COUNCIL

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- Continuing authorization for appropriations (B)
- WRC draft cleared c/w on 2/10/75
  - referred to H.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 2/13/75; to S.Interior and Insular Affairs Cte on 2/17/75
  - introduced as H.R.3438 (Johnson, Calif/Skubitz) on 2/20/75, and S.1596 (Jackson/Fannin, by request) on 4/29/75
  - P.L.94-112, signed 10/16/75 (H.R.5952)



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