

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 12, 1976

The Speaker of the
House of Representatives

Sir:

I ask the Congress to consider amendments to the request for appropriations transmitted in the budget for fiscal year 1977 in the amount of \$4,100,000 for the Department of Labor.

The details of these proposals are set forth in the enclosed letter from the Director of the Office of Management and Budget. I concur with his comments and observations.

Respectfully,



Enclosure



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

April 12, 1976

The President

The White House

Sir:

I have the honor to submit for your consideration amendments to the request for appropriations transmitted in the budget for the fiscal year 1977 involving an increase of \$4,100,000 for the Department of Labor. The details of these proposals are included in the enclosure to this letter.

I have carefully reviewed the proposal for appropriations contained in this document and am satisfied that this request is necessary at this time. I recommend, therefore, that this proposal be transmitted to the Congress.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James T. Lynn".

James T. Lynn
Director

Enclosure

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

1977 budget appendix page	Heading	1977 budget, request	1977 proposed amendment	1977 revised request
EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS ADMINISTRATION				
520	Expenses and salaries	\$92,445,000	\$830,000	\$93,275,000
<p>The proposed budget amendment would provide for additional funds to process an increased claims workload resulting from amendments to the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act. Funds would also be provided for an automated management information system.</p>				
OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION				
523	Expenses and salaries	\$127,970,000	\$2,850,000	\$130,820,000
DEPARTMENTAL MANAGEMENT				
527	Expenses and salaries	\$49,176,000	\$420,000	\$49,596,000

These proposals would provide for the full year cost of positions added to the 1976 budget for occupational safety and health activities by Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare Appropriations Act, 1976.