

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 21, 1975

The President of the Senate

Sir:

I ask the Congress to consider proposed supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year 1975 in the amount of \$11,056,000 for the Department of State and the United States Information Agency.

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

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Gerald R. Ford". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the typed name "Gerald R. Ford".



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

April 21, 1975

The President

The White House

Sir:

I have the honor to submit for your consideration proposed supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year 1975 in the amount of \$11,056,000 for the Department of State and the United States Information Agency, as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ADMINISTRATION OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Salaries and Expenses

For an additional amount for "Salaries and Expenses," \$9,227,000.

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND CONFERENCES

Missions to International Organizations

For an additional amount for "Missions to international organizations," \$300,000.

OTHER INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

THE UNITED STATES INFORMATION AGENCY

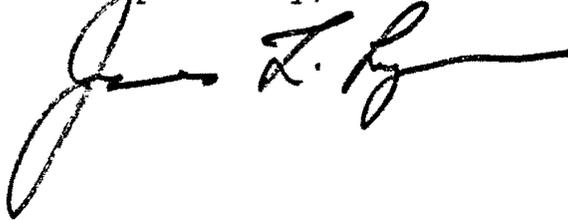
Salaries and Expenses

For an additional amount for "Salaries and Expenses," \$1,529,000.

These proposed supplemental appropriations are required by unanticipated increases in overseas price levels and in the salaries of foreign national employees, and by a decline in the exchange rate of the dollar in certain countries.

I have carefully reviewed the proposals for appropriations contained in this document and am satisfied that these requests are necessary at this time. I recommend, therefore, that these proposals be transmitted to the Congress.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James L. Byrd". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke at the end.