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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 28, 1975

The President

of the Senate

Sir:

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I ask the Congress to consider a proposed request for transfer authority in the amount of \$3,935,000 for the fiscal year 1975 for the Department of Justice.

The details of this proposal 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,

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Enclosure

94th Congress, 1st Session



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

April 28, 1975

The President

The White House

Sir:

I have the honor to submit for your consideration proposed requests for transfer authority for fiscal year 1975 in the amount of \$3,935,000 for the Department of Justice. The details of these proposals are contained in the enclosure to this letter.

I have carefully reviewed these proposed appropriation language changes and am satisfied that they are necessary at this time. I recommend, therefore, that these proposals be transmitted to the Congress.

Sincerely, James T. Lynn Director

Enclosure

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Legal Activities and General Administration

For an additional amount for "Salaries and expenses, General Administration", \$129,000 to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Salaries and expenses", Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, 1975.

Federal Prison System

For an additional amount for "Support of United States prisoners", \$2,900,000 to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Salaries and expenses", Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, 1975.

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| 1976 Budget Appendix Pages | Heading | 1975 Pending Request | 1975 Proposed Amendment | 1975 Revised Request |
| 596 and 1034 | Legal Activities and General Administration: Salaries and expenses, Anti- trust Division | \$77,000 transfer authority | \$906,000 transfer authority | \$983,000 transfer authority |

These transfers are necessary to meet unanticipated and unbudgeted expenses associated with trial litigation, support of Federal prisoners in local detention facilities and operation of the parole system.

The expenses for these activities have been greater than originally anticipated because of uncontrollable increases imposed by the Courts, inflationary increases in care and custody costs of State and local jails, and because of unanticipated increases in the caseload of the Board of Parole requiring additional manpower.