

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 17, 1976


The Speaker of the  
House of Representatives

Sir:

I ask the Congress to consider a proposed supplemental appropriation for the transition quarter in the amount of \$242,000 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. I concur with his comments and observations.

Respectfully,

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



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

September 17, 1976

The President

The White House

Sir:

I have the honor to submit for your consideration a proposed supplemental appropriation for the transition quarter in the amount of \$242,000 for the Department of Justice. Details of this proposal are contained in the enclosure to this letter.

I have carefully reviewed this budget request and am satisfied that it is necessary at this time. I recommend, therefore, that this proposal be submitted to the Congress.

Respectfully,

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

James T. Lynn  
Director

Enclosure

ENCLOSURE

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

LEGAL ACTIVITIES

Salaries and Expenses, General Legal Activities

For an additional amount for "Salaries and expenses, general legal activities," for the period July 1, 1976, through September 30, 1976, \$242,000.

This supplemental appropriation is required to cover costs that are being incurred in maintaining litigative and legal defense programs at fiscal year 1976 levels. The appropriation faces an end-of-period deficit as a result of an underestimation of requirements peculiar to the transition quarter and unanticipated increases in the cost of base programs.