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Making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 19, 2019

Mr. HOEVEN, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following original bill; which was read twice and placed on the calendar

A BILL

Making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any
4 money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for Ag-
5 riculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administra-
6 tion, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year

1 ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes,
2 namely:

3 TITLE I

4 AGRICULTURAL PROGRAMS

5 PROCESSING, RESEARCH, AND MARKETING

6 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

7 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

8 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Secretary,
9 \$46,782,000, of which not to exceed \$6,030,000 shall be
10 available for the immediate Office of the Secretary: *Pro-*
11 *vided*, That funds made available by this Act to an agency
12 in the Rural Development mission area for salaries and
13 expenses are available to fund up to one administrative
14 support staff for the Office; not to exceed \$1,496,000 shall
15 be available for the Office of Homeland Security; not to
16 exceed \$4,711,000 shall be available for the Office of Part-
17 nerships and Public Engagement; not to exceed
18 \$23,176,000 shall be available for the Office of the Assist-
19 ant Secretary for Administration, of which \$22,301,000
20 shall be available for Departmental Administration to pro-
21 vide for necessary expenses for management support serv-
22 ices to offices of the Department and for general adminis-
23 tration, security, repairs and alterations, and other mis-
24 cellaneous supplies and expenses not otherwise provided
25 for and necessary for the practical and efficient work of

1 the Department: *Provided further*, That funds made avail-
2 able by this Act to an agency in the Administration mis-
3 sion area for salaries and expenses are available to fund
4 up to one administrative support staff for the Office; not
5 to exceed \$3,869,000 shall be available for the Office of
6 Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations to carry
7 out the programs funded by this Act, including programs
8 involving intergovernmental affairs and liaison within the
9 executive branch; and not to exceed \$7,500,000 shall be
10 available for the Office of Communications: *Provided fur-*
11 *ther*, That the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to
12 transfer funds appropriated for any office of the Office
13 of the Secretary to any other office of the Office of the
14 Secretary: *Provided further*, That no appropriation for any
15 office shall be increased or decreased by more than 5 per-
16 cent: *Provided further*, That not to exceed \$22,000 of the
17 amount made available under this paragraph for the im-
18 mediate Office of the Secretary shall be available for offi-
19 cial reception and representation expenses, not otherwise
20 provided for, as determined by the Secretary: *Provided*
21 *further*, That the amount made available under this head-
22 ing for Departmental Administration shall be reimbursed
23 from applicable appropriations in this Act for travel ex-
24 penses incident to the holding of hearings as required by
25 5 U.S.C. 551–558: *Provided further*, That funds made

1 available under this heading for the Office of the Assistant
2 Secretary for Congressional Relations may be transferred
3 to agencies of the Department of Agriculture funded by
4 this Act to maintain personnel at the agency level: *Pro-*
5 *vided further*, That no funds made available under this
6 heading for the Office of Assistant Secretary for Congres-
7 sional Relations may be obligated after 30 days from the
8 date of enactment of this Act, unless the Secretary has
9 notified the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses
10 of Congress on the allocation of these funds by USDA
11 agency.

12 EXECUTIVE OPERATIONS

13 OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ECONOMIST

14 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Chief
15 Economist, \$24,286,000, of which \$8,000,000 shall be for
16 grants or cooperative agreements for policy research under
17 7 U.S.C. 3155.

18 OFFICE OF HEARINGS AND APPEALS

19 For necessary expenses of the Office of Hearings and
20 Appeals, \$15,222,000.

21 OFFICE OF BUDGET AND PROGRAM ANALYSIS

22 For necessary expenses of the Office of Budget and
23 Program Analysis, \$9,525,000.

1 OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER

2 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Chief In-
 3 formation Officer, \$101,400,000, of which not less than
 4 \$48,950,000 is for cybersecurity requirements of the de-
 5 partment.

6 OFFICE OF THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

7 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Chief Fi-
 8 nancial Officer, \$13,500,000.

9 OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR CIVIL
 10 RIGHTS

11 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Assistant
 12 Secretary for Civil Rights, \$901,000: *Provided*, That
 13 funds made available by this Act to an agency in the Civil
 14 Rights mission area for salaries and expenses are available
 15 to fund up to one administrative support staff for the Of-
 16 fice.

17 OFFICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS

18 For necessary expenses of the Office of Civil Rights,
 19 \$24,206,000.

20 AGRICULTURE BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

21 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

22 For payment of space rental and related costs pursu-
 23 ant to Public Law 92–313, including authorities pursuant
 24 to the 1984 delegation of authority from the Adminis-
 25 trator of General Services to the Department of Agri-

1 culture under 40 U.S.C. 121, for programs and activities
2 of the Department which are included in this Act, and for
3 alterations and other actions needed for the Department
4 and its agencies to consolidate unneeded space into con-
5 figurations suitable for release to the Administrator of
6 General Services, and for the operation, maintenance, im-
7 provement, and repair of Agriculture buildings and facili-
8 ties, and for related costs, \$331,114,000, to remain avail-
9 able until expended.

10 HAZARDOUS MATERIALS MANAGEMENT

11 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

12 For necessary expenses of the Department of Agri-
13 culture, to comply with the Comprehensive Environmental
14 Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (42 U.S.C.
15 9601 et seq.) and the Solid Waste Disposal Act (42 U.S.C.
16 6901 et seq.), \$3,503,000, to remain available until ex-
17 pended: *Provided*, That appropriations and funds available
18 herein to the Department for Hazardous Materials Man-
19 agement may be transferred to any agency of the Depart-
20 ment for its use in meeting all requirements pursuant to
21 the above Acts on Federal and non-Federal lands.

22 OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

23 For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector
24 General, including employment pursuant to the Inspector
25 General Act of 1978 (Public Law 95-452; 5 U.S.C. App.),

1 \$98,208,000, including such sums as may be necessary for
2 contracting and other arrangements with public agencies
3 and private persons pursuant to section 6(a)(9) of the In-
4 spector General Act of 1978 (Public Law 95-452; 5
5 U.S.C. App.), and including not to exceed \$125,000 for
6 certain confidential operational expenses, including the
7 payment of informants, to be expended under the direction
8 of the Inspector General pursuant to the Inspector Gen-
9 eral Act of 1978 (Public Law 95-452; 5 U.S.C. App.) and
10 section 1337 of the Agriculture and Food Act of 1981
11 (Public Law 97-98).

12 OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

13 For necessary expenses of the Office of the General
14 Counsel, \$45,146,000.

15 OFFICE OF ETHICS

16 For necessary expenses of the Office of Ethics,
17 \$4,136,000.

18 OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR RESEARCH,

19 EDUCATION, AND ECONOMICS

20 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
21 Secretary for Research, Education, and Economics,
22 \$800,000: *Provided*, That funds made available by this
23 Act to an agency in the Research, Education, and Eco-
24 nomics mission area for salaries and expenses are avail-

1 able to fund up to one administrative support staff for
2 the Office.

3 ECONOMIC RESEARCH SERVICE

4 For necessary expenses of the Economic Research
5 Service, \$86,757,000.

6 NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE

7 For necessary expenses of the National Agricultural
8 Statistics Service, \$175,294,000, of which up to
9 \$45,300,000 shall be available until expended for the Cen-
10 sus of Agriculture: *Provided*, That amounts made available
11 for the Census of Agriculture may be used to conduct Cur-
12 rent Industrial Report surveys subject to 7 U.S.C.
13 2204g(d) and (f).

14 AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE

15 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

16 For necessary expenses of the Agricultural Research
17 Service and for acquisition of lands by donation, exchange,
18 or purchase at a nominal cost not to exceed \$100, and
19 for land exchanges where the lands exchanged shall be of
20 equal value or shall be equalized by a payment of money
21 to the grantor which shall not exceed 25 percent of the
22 total value of the land or interests transferred out of Fed-
23 eral ownership, \$1,424,966,000, of which \$41,100,000, to
24 remain available until expended, shall be used to carry out
25 the science program at the National Bio- and Agro-de-

1 fense Facility located in Manhattan, Kansas: *Provided*,
2 That appropriations hereunder shall be available for the
3 operation and maintenance of aircraft and the purchase
4 of not to exceed one for replacement only: *Provided fur-*
5 *ther*, That appropriations hereunder shall be available pur-
6 suant to 7 U.S.C. 2250 for the construction, alteration,
7 and repair of buildings and improvements, but unless oth-
8 erwise provided, the cost of constructing any one building
9 shall not exceed \$500,000, except for headhouses or green-
10 houses which shall each be limited to \$1,800,000, except
11 for 10 buildings to be constructed or improved at a cost
12 not to exceed \$1,100,000 each, and except for two build-
13 ings to be constructed at a cost not to exceed \$3,000,000
14 each, and the cost of altering any one building during the
15 fiscal year shall not exceed 10 percent of the current re-
16 placement value of the building or \$500,000, whichever
17 is greater: *Provided further*, That appropriations here-
18 under shall be available for entering into lease agreements
19 at any Agricultural Research Service location for the con-
20 struction of a research facility by a non-Federal entity for
21 use by the Agricultural Research Service and a condition
22 of the lease shall be that any facility shall be owned, oper-
23 ated, and maintained by the non-Federal entity and shall
24 be removed upon the expiration or termination of the lease
25 agreement: *Provided further*, That the limitations on alter-

1 ations contained in this Act shall not apply to moderniza-
2 tion or replacement of existing facilities at Beltsville,
3 Maryland: *Provided further*, That appropriations here-
4 under shall be available for granting easements at the
5 Beltsville Agricultural Research Center: *Provided further*,
6 That the foregoing limitations shall not apply to replace-
7 ment of buildings needed to carry out the Act of April
8 24, 1948 (21 U.S.C. 113a): *Provided further*, That appro-
9 priations hereunder shall be available for granting ease-
10 ments at any Agricultural Research Service location for
11 the construction of a research facility by a non-Federal
12 entity for use by, and acceptable to, the Agricultural Re-
13 search Service and a condition of the easements shall be
14 that upon completion the facility shall be accepted by the
15 Secretary, subject to the availability of funds herein, if the
16 Secretary finds that acceptance of the facility is in the
17 interest of the United States: *Provided further*, That funds
18 may be received from any State, other political subdivi-
19 sion, organization, or individual for the purpose of estab-
20 lishing or operating any research facility or research
21 project of the Agricultural Research Service, as authorized
22 by law.

23 BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

24 For the acquisition of land, construction, repair, im-
25 provement, extension, alteration, and purchase of fixed

1 equipment or facilities as necessary to carry out the agri-
2 cultural research programs of the Department of Agri-
3 culture, where not otherwise provided, \$304,800,000 to re-
4 main available until expended, of which \$166,900,000
5 shall be allocated for ARS facilities co-located with univer-
6 sity partners.

7 NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

8 RESEARCH AND EDUCATION ACTIVITIES

9 For payments to agricultural experiment stations, for
10 cooperative forestry and other research, for facilities, and
11 for other expenses, \$937,649,000, which shall be for the
12 purposes, and in the amounts, specified in the table titled
13 “National Institute of Food and Agriculture, Research
14 and Education Activities” in the report accompanying this
15 Act: *Provided*, That funds for research grants for 1994
16 institutions, education grants for 1890 institutions, capac-
17 ity building for non-land-grant colleges of agriculture, the
18 agriculture and food research initiative, veterinary medi-
19 cine loan repayment, multicultural scholars, graduate fel-
20 lowship and institution challenge grants, and grants man-
21 agement systems shall remain available until expended:
22 *Provided further*, That each institution eligible to receive
23 funds under the Evans-Allen program receives no less
24 than \$1,000,000: *Provided further*, That funds for edu-
25 cation grants for Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian-

1 serving institutions be made available to individual eligible
 2 institutions or consortia of eligible institutions with funds
 3 awarded equally to each of the States of Alaska and Ha-
 4 waii: *Provided further*, That funds for education grants for
 5 1890 institutions shall be made available to institutions
 6 eligible to receive funds under 7 U.S.C. 3221 and 3222:
 7 *Provided further*, That not more than 5 percent of the
 8 amounts made available by this or any other Act to carry
 9 out the Agriculture and Food Research Initiative under
 10 7 U.S.C. 450i(b) may be retained by the Secretary of Ag-
 11 riculture to pay administrative costs incurred by the Sec-
 12 retary in carrying out that authority.

13 NATIVE AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS ENDOWMENT FUND

14 For the Native American Institutions Endowment
 15 Fund authorized by Public Law 103–382 (7 U.S.C. 301
 16 note), \$11,880,000, to remain available until expended.

17 EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

18 For payments to States, the District of Columbia,
 19 Puerto Rico, Guam, the Virgin Islands, Micronesia, the
 20 Northern Marianas, and American Samoa, \$509,082,000,
 21 which shall be for the purposes, and in the amounts, speci-
 22 fied in the table titled “National Institute of Food and
 23 Agriculture, Extension Activities” in the report accom-
 24 panying this Act: *Provided*, That funds for facility im-
 25 provements at 1890 institutions shall remain available

1 \$901,000: *Provided*, That funds made available by this
2 Act to an agency in the Marketing and Regulatory Pro-
3 grams mission area for salaries and expenses are available
4 to fund up to one administrative support staff for the Of-
5 fice.

6 ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE

7 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

8 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

9 For necessary expenses of the Animal and Plant
10 Health Inspection Service, including up to \$30,000 for
11 representation allowances and for expenses pursuant to
12 the Foreign Service Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 4085),
13 \$1,027,916,000, of which \$470,000, to remain available
14 until expended, shall be available for the control of out-
15 breaks of insects, plant diseases, animal diseases and for
16 control of pest animals and birds (“contingency fund”) to
17 the extent necessary to meet emergency conditions; of
18 which \$11,520,000, to remain available until expended,
19 shall be used for the cotton pests program for cost share
20 purposes or for debt retirement for active eradication
21 zones; of which \$37,857,000, to remain available until ex-
22 pended, shall be for Animal Health Technical Services; of
23 which \$705,000 shall be for activities under the authority
24 of the Horse Protection Act of 1970, as amended (15
25 U.S.C. 1831); of which \$62,840,000, to remain available

1 until expended, shall be used to support avian health; of
2 which \$4,251,000, to remain available until expended,
3 shall be for information technology infrastructure; of
4 which \$186,013,000, to remain available until expended,
5 shall be for specialty crop pests; of which, \$13,826,000,
6 to remain available until expended, shall be for field crop
7 and rangeland ecosystem pests; of which \$16,523,000, to
8 remain available until expended, shall be for zoonotic dis-
9 ease management; of which \$40,966,000, to remain avail-
10 able until expended, shall be for emergency preparedness
11 and response; of which \$60,000,000, to remain available
12 until expended, shall be for tree and wood pests; of which
13 \$5,725,000, to remain available until expended, shall be
14 for the National Veterinary Stockpile; of which up to
15 \$1,500,000, to remain available until expended, shall be
16 for the scrapie program for indemnities; of which
17 \$2,500,000, to remain available until expended, shall be
18 for the wildlife damage management program for aviation
19 safety: *Provided*, That of amounts available under this
20 heading for wildlife services methods development,
21 \$1,000,000 shall remain available until expended: *Pro-*
22 *vided further*, That of amounts available under this head-
23 ing for the screwworm program, \$4,990,000 shall remain
24 available until expended; of which \$20,800,000, to remain
25 available until expended, shall be used to carry out the

1 science program at the National Bio- and Agro-defense
2 Facility located in Manhattan, Kansas: *Provided further,*
3 That no funds shall be used to formulate or administer
4 a brucellosis eradication program for the current fiscal
5 year that does not require minimum matching by the
6 States of at least 40 percent: *Provided further,* That this
7 appropriation shall be available for the operation and
8 maintenance of aircraft and the purchase of not to exceed
9 five, of which two shall be for replacement only: *Provided*
10 *further,* That in addition, in emergencies which threaten
11 any segment of the agricultural production industry of the
12 United States, the Secretary may transfer from other ap-
13 propriations or funds available to the agencies or corpora-
14 tions of the Department such sums as may be deemed nec-
15 essary, to be available only in such emergencies for the
16 arrest and eradication of contagious or infectious disease
17 or pests of animals, poultry, or plants, and for expenses
18 in accordance with sections 10411 and 10417 of the Ani-
19 mal Health Protection Act (7 U.S.C. 8310 and 8316) and
20 sections 431 and 442 of the Plant Protection Act (7
21 U.S.C. 7751 and 7772), and any unexpended balances of
22 funds transferred for such emergency purposes in the pre-
23 ceding fiscal year shall be merged with such transferred
24 amounts: *Provided further,* That appropriations hereunder
25 shall be available pursuant to law (7 U.S.C. 2250) for the

1 repair and alteration of leased buildings and improve-
2 ments, but unless otherwise provided the cost of altering
3 any one building during the fiscal year shall not exceed
4 10 percent of the current replacement value of the build-
5 ing.

6 In fiscal year 2020, the agency is authorized to collect
7 fees to cover the total costs of providing technical assist-
8 ance, goods, or services requested by States, other political
9 subdivisions, domestic and international organizations,
10 foreign governments, or individuals, provided that such
11 fees are structured such that any entity's liability for such
12 fees is reasonably based on the technical assistance, goods,
13 or services provided to the entity by the agency, and such
14 fees shall be reimbursed to this account, to remain avail-
15 able until expended, without further appropriation, for
16 providing such assistance, goods, or services.

17 BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

18 For plans, construction, repair, preventive mainte-
19 nance, environmental support, improvement, extension, al-
20 teration, and purchase of fixed equipment or facilities, as
21 authorized by 7 U.S.C. 2250, and acquisition of land as
22 authorized by 7 U.S.C. 428a, \$3,175,000, to remain avail-
23 able until expended.

1 AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE

2 MARKETING SERVICES

3 For necessary expenses of the Agricultural Marketing
4 Service, \$181,549,000, of which \$6,000,000 shall be avail-
5 able for the purposes of section 12306 of Public Law 113-
6 79: *Provided*, That this appropriation shall be available
7 pursuant to law (7 U.S.C. 2250) for the alteration and
8 repair of buildings and improvements, but the cost of al-
9 tering any one building during the fiscal year shall not
10 exceed 10 percent of the current replacement value of the
11 building: *Provided further*, That up to \$4,454,000 of this
12 appropriation may be used for United States Warehouse
13 Act activities to supplement amounts made available by
14 the United States Warehouse Act.

15 Fees may be collected for the cost of standardization
16 activities, as established by regulation pursuant to law (31
17 U.S.C. 9701).

18 LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

19 Not to exceed \$61,227,000 (from fees collected) shall
20 be obligated during the current fiscal year for administra-
21 tive expenses: *Provided*, That if crop size is understated
22 and/or other uncontrollable events occur, the agency may
23 exceed this limitation by up to 10 percent with notification
24 to the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of
25 Congress.

1 FUNDS FOR STRENGTHENING MARKETS, INCOME, AND
2 SUPPLY (SECTION 32)
3 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

4 Funds available under section 32 of the Act of Au-
5 gust 24, 1935 (7 U.S.C. 612c), shall be used only for com-
6 modity program expenses as authorized therein, and other
7 related operating expenses, except for: (1) transfers to the
8 Department of Commerce as authorized by the Fish and
9 Wildlife Act of 1956 (16 U.S.C. 742a et seq.); (2) trans-
10 fers otherwise provided in this Act; and (3) not more than
11 \$20,705,000 for formulation and administration of mar-
12 keting agreements and orders pursuant to the Agricultural
13 Marketing Agreement Act of 1937 and the Agricultural
14 Act of 1961 (Public Law 87-128).

15 PAYMENTS TO STATES AND POSSESSIONS

16 For payments to departments of agriculture, bureaus
17 and departments of markets, and similar agencies for
18 marketing activities under section 204(b) of the Agricul-
19 tural Marketing Act of 1946 (7 U.S.C. 1623(b)),
20 \$1,235,000.

21 LIMITATION ON INSPECTION AND WEIGHING SERVICES

22 EXPENSES

23 Not to exceed \$55,000,000 (from fees collected) shall
24 be obligated during the current fiscal year for inspection
25 and weighing services: *Provided*, That if grain export ac-

1 tivities require additional supervision and oversight, or
2 other uncontrollable factors occur, this limitation may be
3 exceeded by up to 10 percent with notification to the Com-
4 mittees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress.

5 OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR FOOD SAFETY

6 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
7 Secretary for Food Safety, \$800,000: *Provided*, That
8 funds made available by this Act to an agency in the Food
9 Safety mission area for salaries and expenses are available
10 to fund up to one administrative support staff for the Of-
11 fice.

12 FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE

13 For necessary expenses to carry out services author-
14 ized by the Federal Meat Inspection Act, the Poultry
15 Products Inspection Act, and the Egg Products Inspection
16 Act, including not to exceed \$10,000 for representation
17 allowances and for expenses pursuant to section 8 of the
18 Act approved August 3, 1956 (7 U.S.C. 1766),
19 \$1,054,344,000; and in addition, \$1,000,000 may be cred-
20 ited to this account from fees collected for the cost of lab-
21 oratory accreditation as authorized by section 1327 of the
22 Food, Agriculture, Conservation and Trade Act of 1990
23 (7 U.S.C. 138f): *Provided*, That funds provided for the
24 Public Health Data Communication Infrastructure system
25 shall remain available until expended: *Provided further*,

1 That no fewer than 148 full-time equivalent positions shall
2 be employed during fiscal year 2020 for purposes dedi-
3 cated solely to inspections and enforcement related to the
4 Humane Methods of Slaughter Act (7 U.S.C. 1901 et
5 seq.): *Provided further*, That the Food Safety and Inspec-
6 tion Service shall continue implementation of section
7 11016 of Public Law 110–246 as further clarified by the
8 amendments made in section 12106 of Public Law 113–
9 79: *Provided further*, That this appropriation shall be
10 available pursuant to law (7 U.S.C. 2250) for the alter-
11 ation and repair of buildings and improvements, but the
12 cost of altering any one building during the fiscal year
13 shall not exceed 10 percent of the current replacement
14 value of the building.

1 TITLE II
2 FARM PRODUCTION AND CONSERVATION
3 PROGRAMS

4 OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR FARM
5 PRODUCTION AND CONSERVATION

6 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
7 Secretary for Farm Production and Conservation,
8 \$901,000: *Provided*, That funds made available by this
9 Act to an agency in the Farm Production and Conserva-
10 tion mission area for salaries and expenses are available
11 to fund up to one administrative support staff for the Of-
12 fice.

13 FARM PRODUCTION AND CONSERVATION BUSINESS
14 CENTER

15 SALARIES AND EXPENSES
16 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

17 For necessary expenses of the Farm Production and
18 Conservation Business Center, \$206,530,000: *Provided*,
19 That \$60,228,000 of amounts appropriated for the cur-
20 rent fiscal year pursuant to section 1241(a) of the Farm
21 Security and Rural Investment Act of 1985 (16 U.S.C.
22 3841(a)) shall be transferred to and merged with this ac-
23 count.

1 FARM SERVICE AGENCY
2 SALARIES AND EXPENSES
3 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

4 For necessary expenses of the Farm Service Agency,
5 \$1,127,837,000, of which not less than \$20,000,000 shall
6 be for the hiring of new employees to fill vacancies at
7 Farm Service Agency county offices and farm loan officers
8 and shall be available until September 30, 2021: *Provided*,
9 That not more than 50 percent of the funding made avail-
10 able under this heading for information technology related
11 to farm program delivery may be obligated until the Sec-
12 retary submits to the Committees on Appropriations of
13 both Houses of Congress, and receives written or elec-
14 tronic notification of receipt from such Committees of, a
15 plan for expenditure that (1) identifies for each project/
16 investment over \$25,000 (a) the functional and perform-
17 ance capabilities to be delivered and the mission benefits
18 to be realized, (b) the estimated lifecycle cost for the en-
19 tirety of the project/investment, including estimates for
20 development as well as maintenance and operations, and
21 (c) key milestones to be met; (2) demonstrates that each
22 project/investment is, (a) consistent with the Farm Service
23 Agency Information Technology Roadmap, (b) being man-
24 aged in accordance with applicable lifecycle management
25 policies and guidance, and (c) subject to the applicable De-

1 department's capital planning and investment control re-
2 quirements; and (3) has been reviewed by the Government
3 Accountability Office and approved by the Committees on
4 Appropriations of both Houses of Congress: *Provided fur-*
5 *ther*, That the agency shall submit a report by the end
6 of the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2020 to the Commit-
7 tees on Appropriations and the Government Accountability
8 Office, that identifies for each project/investment that is
9 operational (a) current performance against key indicators
10 of customer satisfaction, (b) current performance of serv-
11 ice level agreements or other technical metrics, (c) current
12 performance against a pre-established cost baseline, (d) a
13 detailed breakdown of current and planned spending on
14 operational enhancements or upgrades, and (e) an assess-
15 ment of whether the investment continues to meet busi-
16 ness needs as intended as well as alternatives to the invest-
17 ment: *Provided further*, That the Secretary is authorized
18 to use the services, facilities, and authorities (but not the
19 funds) of the Commodity Credit Corporation to make pro-
20 gram payments for all programs administered by the
21 Agency: *Provided further*, That other funds made available
22 to the Agency for authorized activities may be advanced
23 to and merged with this account: *Provided further*, That
24 funds made available to county committees shall remain
25 available until expended: *Provided further*, That none of

1 the funds available to the Farm Service Agency shall be
 2 used to close Farm Service Agency county offices: *Pro-*
 3 *vided further*, That none of the funds available to the
 4 Farm Service Agency shall be used to permanently relo-
 5 cate county based employees that would result in an office
 6 with two or fewer employees without prior notification and
 7 approval of the Committees on Appropriations of both
 8 Houses of Congress.

9 STATE MEDIATION GRANTS

10 For grants pursuant to section 502(b) of the Agricul-
 11 tural Credit Act of 1987, as amended (7 U.S.C. 5101–
 12 5106), \$5,545,000.

13 GRASSROOTS SOURCE WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM

14 For necessary expenses to carry out wellhead or
 15 groundwater protection activities under section 12400 of
 16 the Food Security Act of 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3839bb–2),
 17 \$6,500,000, to remain available until expended.

18 DAIRY INDEMNITY PROGRAM

19 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

20 For necessary expenses involved in making indemnity
 21 payments to dairy farmers and manufacturers of dairy
 22 products under a dairy indemnity program, such sums as
 23 may be necessary, to remain available until expended: *Pro-*
 24 *vided*, That such program is carried out by the Secretary
 25 in the same manner as the dairy indemnity program de-

1 scribed in the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and
 2 Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropria-
 3 tions Act, 2001 (Public Law 106–387, 114 Stat. 1549A–
 4 12).

5 AGRICULTURAL CREDIT INSURANCE FUND PROGRAM

6 ACCOUNT

7 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

8 For gross obligations for the principal amount of di-
 9 rect and guaranteed farm ownership (7 U.S.C. 1922 et
 10 seq.) and operating (7 U.S.C. 1941 et seq.) loans, emer-
 11 gency loans (7 U.S.C. 1961 et seq.), Indian tribe land ac-
 12 quisition loans (25 U.S.C. 488), boll weevil loans (7
 13 U.S.C. 1989), guaranteed conservation loans (7 U.S.C.
 14 1924 et seq.), and Indian highly fractionated land loans
 15 (25 U.S.C. 488) to be available from funds in the Agricul-
 16 tural Credit Insurance Fund, as follows: \$2,750,000,000
 17 for guaranteed farm ownership loans and \$1,500,000,000
 18 for farm ownership direct loans; \$1,960,000,000 for un-
 19 subsidized guaranteed operating loans and
 20 \$1,550,133,000 for direct operating loans; emergency
 21 loans, \$37,668,000; Indian tribe land acquisition loans,
 22 \$20,000,000; guaranteed conservation loans,
 23 \$150,000,000; Indian highly fractionated land loans,
 24 \$10,000,000; and for boll weevil eradication program
 25 loans, \$60,000,000: *Provided*, That the Secretary shall

1 deem the pink bollworm to be a boll weevil for the purpose
2 of boll weevil eradication program loans.

3 For the cost of direct and guaranteed loans and
4 grants, including the cost of modifying loans as defined
5 in section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974,
6 as follows: farm operating loans, \$58,440,000 for direct
7 operating loans, \$20,972,000 for unsubsidized guaranteed
8 operating loans, emergency loans, \$2,023,000 and
9 \$2,745,000 for Indian highly fractionated land loans, and
10 \$60,000 for boll weevil eradication loans, to remain avail-
11 able until expended.

12 In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to
13 carry out the direct and guaranteed loan programs,
14 \$319,762,000: *Provided*, That of this amount,
15 \$294,114,000 shall be transferred to and merged with the
16 appropriation for “Farm Service Agency, Salaries and Ex-
17 penses”: *Provided further*, That of this amount
18 \$16,081,000 shall be transferred to and merged with the
19 appropriation for “Farm Production and Conservation
20 Business Center, Salaries and Expenses”.

21 Funds appropriated by this Act to the Agricultural
22 Credit Insurance Program Account for farm ownership,
23 operating and conservation direct loans and guaranteed
24 loans may be transferred among these programs: *Pro-*
25 *vided*, That the Committees on Appropriations of both

1 Houses of Congress are notified at least 15 days in ad-
2 vance of any transfer.

3 RISK MANAGEMENT AGENCY

4 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

5 For necessary expenses of the Risk Management
6 Agency, \$58,361,000: *Provided*, That \$2,000,000 shall be
7 available for compliance and integrity activities required
8 under section 516(b)(2)(C) of the Federal Crop Insurance
9 Act of 1938 (7 U.S.C. 1516(b)(2)(C)) in addition to other
10 amounts provided: *Provided further*, That not to exceed
11 \$1,000 shall be available for official reception and rep-
12 resentation expenses, as authorized by 7 U.S.C. 1506(i).

13 NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE

14 CONSERVATION OPERATIONS

15 For necessary expenses for carrying out the provi-
16 sions of the Act of April 27, 1935 (16 U.S.C. 590a–f),
17 including preparation of conservation plans and establish-
18 ment of measures to conserve soil and water (including
19 farm irrigation and land drainage and such special meas-
20 ures for soil and water management as may be necessary
21 to prevent floods and the siltation of reservoirs and to con-
22 trol agricultural related pollutants); operation of conserva-
23 tion plant materials centers; classification and mapping of
24 soil; dissemination of information; acquisition of lands,
25 water, and interests therein for use in the plant materials

1 program by donation, exchange, or purchase at a nominal
2 cost not to exceed \$100 pursuant to the Act of August
3 3, 1956 (7 U.S.C. 428a); purchase and erection or alter-
4 ation or improvement of permanent and temporary build-
5 ings; and operation and maintenance of aircraft,
6 \$835,228,000, to remain available until September 30,
7 2021: *Provided*, That appropriations hereunder shall be
8 available pursuant to 7 U.S.C. 2250 for construction and
9 improvement of buildings and public improvements at
10 plant materials centers, except that the cost of alterations
11 and improvements to other buildings and other public im-
12 provements shall not exceed \$250,000: *Provided further*,
13 That when buildings or other structures are erected on
14 non-Federal land, that the right to use such land is ob-
15 tained as provided in 7 U.S.C. 2250a: *Provided further*,
16 That of the amounts made available under this heading,
17 \$11,200,000, shall remain available until expended for the
18 authorities under 16 U.S.C. 1001–1005 and 1007–1009
19 for authorized ongoing watershed projects with a primary
20 purpose of providing water to rural communities.

21 WATERSHED AND FLOOD PREVENTION OPERATIONS

22 For necessary expenses to carry out preventive meas-
23 ures, including but not limited to surveys and investiga-
24 tions, engineering operations, works of improvement, and
25 changes in use of land, in accordance with the Watershed

1 Protection and Flood Prevention Act (16 U.S.C. 1001–
2 1005 and 1007–1009) and in accordance with the provi-
3 sions of laws relating to the activities of the Department,
4 \$175,000,000, to remain available until expended: *Pro-*
5 *vided*, That for funds provided by this Act or any other
6 prior Act, the limitation regarding the size of the water-
7 shed or subwatershed exceeding two hundred and fifty
8 thousand acres in which such activities can be undertaken
9 shall only apply for activities undertaken for the primary
10 purpose of flood prevention (including structural and land
11 treatment measures): *Provided further*, That of the
12 amounts made available under this heading, \$70,000,000
13 shall be allocated to projects and activities that can com-
14 mence promptly following enactment; that address re-
15 gional priorities for flood prevention, agricultural water
16 management, inefficient irrigation systems, fish and wild-
17 life habitat, or watershed protection; or that address au-
18 thorized ongoing projects under the authorities of section
19 13 of the Flood Control Act of December 22, 1944 (Public
20 Law 78–534) with a primary purpose of watershed protec-
21 tion by preventing floodwater damage and stabilizing
22 stream channels, tributaries, and banks to reduce erosion
23 and sediment transport.

1 CORPORATIONS

2 The following corporations and agencies are hereby
3 authorized to make expenditures, within the limits of
4 funds and borrowing authority available to each such cor-
5 poration or agency and in accord with law, and to make
6 contracts and commitments without regard to fiscal year
7 limitations as provided by section 104 of the Government
8 Corporation Control Act as may be necessary in carrying
9 out the programs set forth in the budget for the current
10 fiscal year for such corporation or agency, except as here-
11 inafter provided.

12 FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE CORPORATION FUND

13 For payments as authorized by section 516 of the
14 Federal Crop Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. 1516), such sums
15 as may be necessary, to remain available until expended.

16 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION FUND

17 REIMBURSEMENT FOR NET REALIZED LOSSES

18 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

19 For the current fiscal year, such sums as may be nec-
20 essary to reimburse the Commodity Credit Corporation for
21 net realized losses sustained, but not previously reim-
22 bursed, pursuant to section 2 of the Act of August 17,
23 1961 (15 U.S.C. 713a–11): *Provided*, That of the funds
24 available to the Commodity Credit Corporation under sec-
25 tion 11 of the Commodity Credit Corporation Charter Act

1 (15 U.S.C. 714i) for the conduct of its business with the
2 Foreign Agricultural Service, up to \$5,000,000 may be
3 transferred to and used by the Foreign Agricultural Serv-
4 ice for information resource management activities of the
5 Foreign Agricultural Service that are not related to Com-
6 modity Credit Corporation business.

7 HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT

8 (LIMITATION ON EXPENSES)

9 For the current fiscal year, the Commodity Credit
10 Corporation shall not expend more than \$5,000,000 for
11 site investigation and cleanup expenses, and operations
12 and maintenance expenses to comply with the requirement
13 of section 107(g) of the Comprehensive Environmental
14 Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (42 U.S.C.
15 9607(g)), and section 6001 of the Solid Waste Disposal
16 Act (42 U.S.C. 6961).

1 TITLE III
2 RURAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS
3 OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR RURAL
4 DEVELOPMENT

5 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
6 Secretary for Rural Development, \$800,000.

7 RURAL DEVELOPMENT
8 SALARIES AND EXPENSES
9 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

10 For necessary expenses for carrying out the adminis-
11 tration and implementation of Rural Development pro-
12 grams, including activities with institutions concerning the
13 development and operation of agricultural cooperatives;
14 and for cooperative agreements; \$242,005,000: *Provided*,
15 That notwithstanding any other provision of law, funds
16 appropriated under this heading may be used for adver-
17 tising and promotional activities that support Rural Del-
18 opment programs: *Provided further*, That in addition to
19 any other funds appropriated for purposes authorized by
20 section 502(i) of the Housing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C.
21 1472(i)), any amounts collected under such section, as
22 amended by this Act, will immediately be credited to this
23 account and will remain available until expended for such
24 purposes.

1 RURAL HOUSING SERVICE
2 RURAL HOUSING INSURANCE FUND PROGRAM ACCOUNT
3 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

4 For gross obligations for the principal amount of di-
5 rect and guaranteed loans as authorized by title V of the
6 Housing Act of 1949, to be available from funds in the
7 rural housing insurance fund, as follows: \$1,000,000,000
8 shall be for direct loans and \$24,000,000,000 shall be for
9 unsubsidized guaranteed loans; \$28,000,000 for section
10 504 housing repair loans; \$40,000,000 for section 515
11 rental housing; \$230,000,000 for section 538 guaranteed
12 multi-family housing loans; \$10,000,000 for credit sales
13 of single family housing acquired property; \$5,000,000 for
14 section 523 self-help housing land development loans; and
15 \$5,000,000 for section 524 site development loans.

16 For the cost of direct and guaranteed loans, including
17 the cost of modifying loans, as defined in section 502 of
18 the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, as follows: section
19 502 loans, \$90,000,000 shall be for direct loans; section
20 504 housing repair loans, \$4,679,000; section 523 self-
21 help housing land development loans, \$577,000; section
22 524 site development loans, \$546,000; and repair, reha-
23 bilitation, and new construction of section 515 rental
24 housing, \$12,144,000: *Provided*, That to support the loan
25 program level for section 538 guaranteed loans made

1 available under this heading the Secretary may charge or
2 adjust any fees to cover the projected cost of such loan
3 guarantees pursuant to the provisions of the Credit Re-
4 form Act of 1990 (2 U.S.C. 661 et seq.), and the interest
5 on such loans may not be subsidized: *Provided further,*
6 That applicants in communities that have a current rural
7 area waiver under section 541 of the Housing Act of 1949
8 (42 U.S.C. 1490q) shall be treated as living in a rural
9 area for purposes of section 502 guaranteed loans pro-
10 vided under this heading: *Provided further,* That of the
11 amounts available under this paragraph for section 502
12 direct loans, no less than \$5,000,000 shall be available for
13 direct loans for individuals whose homes will be built pur-
14 suant to a program funded with a mutual and self-help
15 housing grant authorized by section 523 of the Housing
16 Act of 1949 until June 1, 2020: *Provided further,* That
17 the Secretary shall implement provisions to provide incen-
18 tives to nonprofit organizations and public housing au-
19 thorities to facilitate the acquisition of Rural Housing
20 Service (RHS) multifamily housing properties by such
21 nonprofit organizations and public housing authorities
22 that commit to keep such properties in the RHS multi-
23 family housing program for a period of time as determined
24 by the Secretary, with such incentives to include, but not
25 be limited to, the following: allow such nonprofit entities

1 and public housing authorities to earn a Return on Invest-
2 ment on their own resources to include proceeds from low
3 income housing tax credit syndication, own contributions,
4 grants, and developer loans at favorable rates and terms,
5 invested in a deal; and allow reimbursement of organiza-
6 tional costs associated with owner's oversight of asset re-
7 ferred to as "Asset Management Fee" of up to \$7,500
8 per property.

9 In addition, for the cost of direct loans, grants, and
10 contracts, as authorized by sections 514 and 516 of the
11 Housing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C. 1484, 1486),
12 \$18,583,000, to remain available until expended, for direct
13 farm labor housing loans and domestic farm labor housing
14 grants and contracts: *Provided*, That any balances avail-
15 able for the Farm Labor Program Account shall be trans-
16 ferred to and merged with this account.

17 In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to
18 carry out the direct and guaranteed loan programs,
19 \$412,254,000 shall be transferred to and merged with the
20 appropriation for "Rural Development, Salaries and Ex-
21 penses".

22 RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

23 For rental assistance agreements entered into or re-
24 newed pursuant to the authority under section 521(a)(2)
25 of the Housing Act of 1949 or agreements entered into

1 in lieu of debt forgiveness or payments for eligible house-
2 holds as authorized by section 502(c)(5)(D) of the Hous-
3 ing Act of 1949, \$1,375,000,000, of which \$40,000,000
4 shall be available until September 30, 2021; and in addi-
5 tion such sums as may be necessary, as authorized by sec-
6 tion 521(c) of the Act, to liquidate debt incurred prior to
7 fiscal year 1992 to carry out the rental assistance program
8 under section 521(a)(2) of the Act: *Provided*, That rental
9 assistance agreements entered into or renewed during the
10 current fiscal year shall be funded for a one-year period:
11 *Provided further*, That any unexpended balances remain-
12 ing at the end of such one-year agreements may be trans-
13 ferred and used for purposes of any debt reduction; main-
14 tenance, repair, or rehabilitation of any existing projects;
15 preservation; and rental assistance activities authorized
16 under title V of the Act: *Provided further*, That rental as-
17 sistance provided under agreements entered into prior to
18 fiscal year 2020 for a farm labor multi-family housing
19 project financed under section 514 or 516 of the Act may
20 not be recaptured for use in another project until such
21 assistance has remained unused for a period of 12 con-
22 secutive months, if such project has a waiting list of ten-
23 ants seeking such assistance or the project has rental as-
24 sistance eligible tenants who are not receiving such assist-
25 ance: *Provided further*, That such recaptured rental assist-

1 ance shall, to the extent practicable, be applied to another
 2 farm labor multi-family housing project financed under
 3 section 514 or 516 of the Act: *Provided further*, That ex-
 4 cept as provided in the third proviso under this heading
 5 and notwithstanding any other provision of the Act, the
 6 Secretary may recapture rental assistance provided under
 7 agreements entered into prior to fiscal year 2020 for a
 8 project that the Secretary determines no longer needs
 9 rental assistance and use such recaptured funds for cur-
 10 rent needs.

11 MULTI-FAMILY HOUSING REVITALIZATION PROGRAM

12 ACCOUNT

13 For the rural housing voucher program as authorized
 14 under section 542 of the Housing Act of 1949, but not-
 15 withstanding subsection (b) of such section, and for addi-
 16 tional costs to conduct a demonstration program for the
 17 preservation and revitalization of multi-family rental hous-
 18 ing properties described in this paragraph, \$56,500,000,
 19 to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That of the
 20 funds made available under this heading, \$32,000,000,
 21 shall be available for rural housing vouchers to any low-
 22 income household (including those not receiving rental as-
 23 sistance) residing in a property financed with a section
 24 515 loan which has been prepaid after September 30,
 25 2005: *Provided further*, That the amount of such voucher

1 shall be the difference between comparable market rent
2 for the section 515 unit and the tenant paid rent for such
3 unit: *Provided further*, That funds made available for such
4 vouchers shall be subject to the availability of annual ap-
5 propriations: *Provided further*, That the Secretary shall,
6 to the maximum extent practicable, administer such
7 vouchers with current regulations and administrative guid-
8 ance applicable to section 8 housing vouchers administered
9 by the Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban
10 Development: *Provided further*, That if the Secretary de-
11 termines that the amount made available for vouchers in
12 this or any other Act is not needed for vouchers, the Sec-
13 retary may use such funds for the demonstration program
14 for the preservation and revitalization of multi-family
15 rental housing properties described in this paragraph: *Pro-*
16 *vided further*, That of the funds made available under this
17 heading, \$24,500,000 shall be available for a demonstra-
18 tion program for the preservation and revitalization of the
19 sections 514, 515, and 516 multi-family rental housing
20 properties to restructure existing USDA multi-family
21 housing loans, as the Secretary deems appropriate, ex-
22 pressly for the purposes of ensuring the project has suffi-
23 cient resources to preserve the project for the purpose of
24 providing safe and affordable housing for low-income resi-
25 dents and farm laborers including reducing or eliminating

1 interest; deferring loan payments, subordinating, reducing
2 or reamortizing loan debt; and other financial assistance
3 including advances, payments and incentives (including
4 the ability of owners to obtain reasonable returns on in-
5 vestment) required by the Secretary: *Provided further*,
6 That the Secretary shall as part of the preservation and
7 revitalization agreement obtain a restrictive use agreement
8 consistent with the terms of the restructuring: *Provided*
9 *further*, That if the Secretary determines that additional
10 funds for vouchers described in this paragraph are needed,
11 funds for the preservation and revitalization demonstra-
12 tion program may be used for such vouchers: *Provided fur-*
13 *ther*, That if Congress enacts legislation to permanently
14 authorize a multi-family rental housing loan restructuring
15 program similar to the demonstration program described
16 herein, the Secretary may use funds made available for
17 the demonstration program under this heading to carry
18 out such legislation with the prior approval of the Commit-
19 tees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress: *Pro-*
20 *vided further*, That in addition to any other available
21 funds, the Secretary may expend not more than
22 \$1,000,000 total, from the program funds made available
23 under this heading, for administrative expenses for activi-
24 ties funded under this heading.

1 MUTUAL AND SELF-HELP HOUSING GRANTS

2 For grants and contracts pursuant to section
3 523(b)(1)(A) of the Housing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C.
4 1490c), \$30,000,000, to remain available until expended.

5 RURAL HOUSING ASSISTANCE GRANTS

6 For grants for very low-income housing repair and
7 rural housing preservation made by the Rural Housing
8 Service, as authorized by 42 U.S.C. 1474, and 1490m,
9 \$45,000,000, to remain available until expended.

10 RURAL COMMUNITY FACILITIES PROGRAM ACCOUNT

11 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

12 For gross obligations for the principal amount of di-
13 rect and guaranteed loans as authorized by section 306
14 and described in section 381E(d)(1) of the Consolidated
15 Farm and Rural Development Act, \$2,800,000,000 for di-
16 rect loans and \$500,000,000 for guaranteed loans.

17 For the cost of grants for rural community facilities
18 programs as authorized by section 306 and described in
19 section 381E(d)(1) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural
20 Development Act, \$45,778,000, to remain available until
21 expended: *Provided*, That \$6,000,000 of the amount ap-
22 propriated under this heading shall be available for a
23 Rural Community Development Initiative: *Provided fur-*
24 *ther*, That such funds shall be used solely to develop the
25 capacity and ability of private, nonprofit community-based

1 housing and community development organizations, low-
2 income rural communities, and Federally Recognized Na-
3 tive American Tribes to undertake projects to improve
4 housing, community facilities, community and economic
5 development projects in rural areas: *Provided further*,
6 That such funds shall be made available to qualified pri-
7 vate, nonprofit and public intermediary organizations pro-
8 posing to carry out a program of financial and technical
9 assistance: *Provided further*, That such intermediary orga-
10 nizations shall provide matching funds from other sources,
11 including Federal funds for related activities, in an
12 amount not less than funds provided: *Provided further*,
13 That \$5,778,000 of the amount appropriated under this
14 heading shall be to provide grants for facilities in rural
15 communities with extreme unemployment and severe eco-
16 nomic depression (Public Law 106–387), with up to 5 per-
17 cent for administration and capacity building in the State
18 rural development offices: *Provided further*, That
19 \$4,000,000 of the amount appropriated under this head-
20 ing shall be available for community facilities grants to
21 tribal colleges, as authorized by section 306(a)(19) of such
22 Act: *Provided further*, That sections 381E–H and 381N
23 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act are
24 not applicable to the funds made available under this
25 heading.

1 RURAL BUSINESS—COOPERATIVE SERVICE
2 RURAL BUSINESS PROGRAM ACCOUNT
3 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

4 For the cost of loan guarantees and grants, for the
5 rural business development programs authorized by sec-
6 tion 310B and described in subsections (a), (c), (f) and
7 (g) of section 310B of the Consolidated Farm and Rural
8 Development Act, \$65,475,000, to remain available until
9 expended: *Provided*, That of the amount appropriated
10 under this heading, not to exceed \$500,000 shall be made
11 available for one grant to a qualified national organization
12 to provide technical assistance for rural transportation in
13 order to promote economic development and \$9,000,000
14 shall be for grants to the Delta Regional Authority (7
15 U.S.C. 2009aa et seq.), the Northern Border Regional
16 Commission (40 U.S.C. 15101 et seq.), and the Appa-
17 lachian Regional Commission (40 U.S.C. 14101 et seq.)
18 for any Rural Community Advancement Program purpose
19 as described in section 381E(d) of the Consolidated Farm
20 and Rural Development Act, of which not more than 5
21 percent may be used for administrative expenses: *Provided*
22 *further*, That \$4,000,000 of the amount appropriated
23 under this heading shall be for business grants to benefit
24 Federally Recognized Native American Tribes, including
25 \$250,000 for a grant to a qualified national organization

1 to provide technical assistance for rural transportation in
2 order to promote economic development: *Provided further*,
3 That sections 381E–H and 381N of the Consolidated
4 Farm and Rural Development Act are not applicable to
5 funds made available under this heading.

6 INTERMEDIARY RELENDING PROGRAM FUND ACCOUNT

7 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

8 For the principal amount of direct loans, as author-
9 ized by the Intermediary Relending Program Fund Ac-
10 count (7 U.S.C. 1936b), \$18,889,000.

11 For the cost of direct loans, \$5,219,000, as author-
12 ized by the Intermediary Relending Program Fund Ac-
13 count (7 U.S.C. 1936b), of which \$557,000 shall be avail-
14 able through June 30, 2020, for Federally Recognized Na-
15 tive American Tribes; and of which \$1,072,000 shall be
16 available through June 30, 2020, for Mississippi Delta Re-
17 gion counties (as determined in accordance with Public
18 Law 100–460): *Provided*, That such costs, including the
19 cost of modifying such loans, shall be as defined in section
20 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974.

21 In addition, for administrative expenses to carry out
22 the direct loan programs, \$4,468,000 shall be transferred
23 to and merged with the appropriation for “Rural Develop-
24 ment, Salaries and Expenses”.

1 RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LOANS PROGRAM
2 ACCOUNT

3 For the principal amount of direct loans, as author-
4 ized under section 313B(a) of the Rural Electrification
5 Act, for the purpose of promoting rural economic develop-
6 ment and job creation projects, \$50,000,000.

7 The cost of grants authorized under section 313B(a)
8 of the Rural Electrification Act, for the purpose of pro-
9 moting rural economic development and job creation
10 projects shall not exceed \$10,000,000.

11 RURAL COOPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT GRANTS

12 For rural cooperative development grants authorized
13 under section 310B(e) of the Consolidated Farm and
14 Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C. 1932), \$15,600,000, of
15 which \$2,800,000 shall be for cooperative agreements for
16 the appropriate technology transfer for rural areas pro-
17 gram: *Provided*, That not to exceed \$3,000,000 shall be
18 for grants for cooperative development centers, individual
19 cooperatives, or groups of cooperatives that serve socially
20 disadvantaged groups and a majority of the boards of di-
21 rectors or governing boards of which are comprised of in-
22 dividuals who are members of socially disadvantaged
23 groups; and of which \$3,000,000, to remain available until
24 expended, shall be for Agriculture Innovation Centers au-
25 thorized pursuant to section 6402 of Public Law 107–171.

1 RURAL ENERGY FOR AMERICA PROGRAM

2 For the cost of a program of loan guarantees, under
3 the same terms and conditions as authorized by section
4 9007 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of
5 2002 (7 U.S.C. 8107), \$706,000: *Provided*, That the cost
6 of loan guarantees, including the cost of modifying such
7 loans, shall be as defined in section 502 of the Congres-
8 sional Budget Act of 1974.

9 RURAL UTILITIES SERVICE

10 RURAL WATER AND WASTE DISPOSAL PROGRAM ACCOUNT

11 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

12 For the cost of direct loans, loan guarantees and
13 grants for rural water, waste water, waste disposal, and
14 solid waste management programs authorized by sections
15 306, 306A, 306C, 306D, 306E, and 310B and described
16 in sections 306C(a)(2), 306D, 306E, and 381E(d)(2) of
17 the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act,
18 \$484,980,000, to remain available until expended, of
19 which not to exceed \$1,000,000 shall be available for the
20 rural utilities program described in section 306(a)(2)(B)
21 of such Act, and of which not to exceed \$1,500,000 shall
22 be available for the rural utilities program described in
23 section 306E of such Act: *Provided*, That not to exceed
24 \$15,000,000 of the amount appropriated under this head-
25 ing shall be for grants authorized by section 306A(i)(2)

1 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act in
2 addition to funding authorized by section 306A(i)(1) of
3 such Act: *Provided further*, That \$68,000,000 of the
4 amount appropriated under this heading shall be for loans
5 and grants including water and waste disposal systems
6 grants authorized by section 306C(a)(2)(B) and section
7 306D of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development
8 Act, and Federally Recognized Native American Tribes
9 authorized by 306C(a)(1) of such Act: *Provided further*,
10 That funding provided for section 306D of the Consoli-
11 dated Farm and Rural Development Act may be provided
12 to a consortium formed pursuant to section 325 of Public
13 Law 105–83: *Provided further*, That not more than 2 per-
14 cent of the funding provided for section 306D of the Con-
15 solidated Farm and Rural Development Act may be used
16 by the State of Alaska for training and technical assist-
17 ance programs and not more than 2 percent of the funding
18 provided for section 306D of the Consolidated Farm and
19 Rural Development Act may be used by a consortium
20 formed pursuant to section 325 of Public Law 105–83 for
21 training and technical assistance programs: *Provided fur-*
22 *ther*, That not to exceed \$30,000,000 of the amount ap-
23 propriated under this heading shall be for technical assist-
24 ance grants for rural water and waste systems pursuant
25 to section 306(a)(14) of such Act, unless the Secretary

1 makes a determination of extreme need, of which
2 \$8,000,000 shall be made available for a grant to a quali-
3 fied nonprofit multi-State regional technical assistance or-
4 ganization, with experience in working with small commu-
5 nities on water and waste water problems, the principal
6 purpose of such grant shall be to assist rural communities
7 with populations of 3,300 or less, in improving the plan-
8 ning, financing, development, operation, and management
9 of water and waste water systems, and of which not less
10 than \$800,000 shall be for a qualified national Native
11 American organization to provide technical assistance for
12 rural water systems for tribal communities: *Provided fur-*
13 *ther,* That not to exceed \$19,570,000 of the amount ap-
14 propriated under this heading shall be for contracting with
15 qualified national organizations for a circuit rider program
16 to provide technical assistance for rural water systems:
17 *Provided further,* That not to exceed \$4,000,000 shall be
18 for solid waste management grants: *Provided further,* That
19 \$10,000,000 of the amount appropriated under this head-
20 ing shall be transferred to, and merged with, the Rural
21 Utilities Service, High Energy Cost Grants Account to
22 provide grants authorized under section 19 of the Rural
23 Electrification Act of 1936 (7 U.S.C. 918a): *Provided fur-*
24 *ther,* That any prior year balances for high-energy cost
25 grants authorized by section 19 of the Rural Electrifica-

1 tion Act of 1936 (7 U.S.C. 918a) shall be transferred to
 2 and merged with the Rural Utilities Service, High Energy
 3 Cost Grants Account: *Provided further*, That sections
 4 381E–H and 381N of the Consolidated Farm and Rural
 5 Development Act are not applicable to the funds made
 6 available under this heading.

7 RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS
 8 LOANS PROGRAM ACCOUNT
 9 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

10 The principal amount of direct and guaranteed loans
 11 as authorized by sections 305, 306, and 317 of the Rural
 12 Electrification Act of 1936 (7 U.S.C. 935, 936, and 940g)
 13 shall be made as follows: loans made pursuant to sections
 14 305, 306, and 317, notwithstanding 317(c), of that Act,
 15 rural electric, \$5,500,000,000; guaranteed underwriting
 16 loans pursuant to section 313A, \$750,000,000; 5 percent
 17 rural telecommunications loans, cost of money rural tele-
 18 communications loans, and for loans made pursuant to
 19 section 306 of that Act, rural telecommunications loans,
 20 \$690,000,000: *Provided*, That up to \$2,000,000,000 shall
 21 be used for the construction, acquisition, design and engi-
 22 neering or improvement of fossil-fueled electric generating
 23 plants (whether new or existing) that utilize carbon sub-
 24 surface utilization and storage systems.

1 For the cost of direct loans as authorized by section
2 305 of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 (7 U.S.C.
3 935), including the cost of modifying loans, as defined in
4 section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, cost
5 of money rural telecommunications loans, \$3,795,000.

6 In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to
7 carry out the direct and guaranteed loan programs,
8 \$33,270,000, which shall be transferred to and merged
9 with the appropriation for “Rural Development, Salaries
10 and Expenses”.

11 DISTANCE LEARNING, TELEMEDICINE, AND BROADBAND
12 PROGRAM

13 For the principal amount of broadband telecommuni-
14 cation loans, \$29,851,000.

15 For grants for telemedicine and distance learning
16 services in rural areas, as authorized by 7 U.S.C. 950aaa
17 et seq., \$34,000,000, to remain available until expended:
18 *Provided*, That \$3,000,000 shall be made available for
19 grants authorized by 379G of the Consolidated Farm and
20 Rural Development Act: *Provided further*, That funding
21 provided under this heading for grants under 379G of the
22 Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act may only
23 be provided to entities that meet all of the eligibility cri-
24 teria for a consortium as established by this section.

1 For the cost of broadband loans, as authorized by
2 section 601 of the Rural Electrification Act, \$5,340,000,
3 to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That the
4 cost of direct loans shall be as defined in section 502 of
5 the Congressional Budget Act of 1974.

6 In addition, \$30,000,000, to remain available until
7 expended, for a grant program to finance broadband
8 transmission in rural areas eligible for Distance Learning
9 and Telemedicine Program benefits authorized by 7
10 U.S.C. 950aaa.

1 TITLE IV
2 DOMESTIC FOOD PROGRAMS
3 OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR FOOD,
4 NUTRITION, AND CONSUMER SERVICES

5 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
6 Secretary for Food, Nutrition, and Consumer Services,
7 \$800,000: *Provided*, That funds made available by this
8 Act to an agency in the Food, Nutrition and Consumer
9 Services mission area for salaries and expenses are avail-
10 able to fund up to one administrative support staff for
11 the Office.

12 FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE
13 CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS
14 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

15 For necessary expenses to carry out the Richard B.
16 Russell National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1751 et
17 seq.), except section 21, and the Child Nutrition Act of
18 1966 (42 U.S.C. 1771 et seq.), except sections 17 and
19 21; \$23,602,569,000 to remain available through Sep-
20 tember 30, 2021, of which such sums as are made avail-
21 able under section 14222(b)(1) of the Food, Conservation,
22 and Energy Act of 2008 (Public Law 110–246), as
23 amended by this Act, shall be merged with and available
24 for the same time period and purposes as provided herein:
25 *Provided*, That of the total amount available, \$12,475,000

1 shall be available to carry out section 19 of the Child Nu-
2 trition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C. 1771 et seq.): *Provided*
3 *further*, That of the total amount available, \$30,000,000
4 shall be available to provide competitive grants to State
5 agencies for subgrants to local educational agencies and
6 schools to purchase the equipment, with a value of greater
7 than \$1,000, needed to serve healthier meals, improve food
8 safety, and to help support the establishment, mainte-
9 nance, or expansion of the school breakfast program: *Pro-*
10 *vided further*, That of the total amount available,
11 \$28,000,000 shall remain available until expended to carry
12 out section 749(g) of the Agriculture Appropriations Act
13 of 2010 (Public Law 111–80): *Provided further*, That sec-
14 tion 26(d) of the Richard B. Russell National School
15 Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1769g(d)) is amended in the first
16 sentence by striking “2010 through 2019” and inserting
17 “2010 through 2020”: *Provided further*, That section
18 9(h)(3) of the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch
19 Act (42 U.S.C. 1758(h)(3)) is amended in the first sen-
20 tence by striking “For fiscal year 2019” and inserting
21 “For fiscal year 2020”: *Provided further*, That section
22 9(h)(4) of the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch
23 Act (42 U.S.C. 1758(h)(4)) is amended in the first sen-
24 tence by striking “For fiscal year 2019” and inserting
25 “For fiscal year 2020”.

1 SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION PROGRAM FOR
2 WOMEN, INFANTS, AND CHILDREN (WIC)

3 For necessary expenses to carry out the special sup-
4 plemental nutrition program as authorized by section 17
5 of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C. 1786),
6 \$6,000,000,000, to remain available through September
7 30, 2021: *Provided*, That notwithstanding section
8 17(h)(10) of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C.
9 1786(h)(10)), not less than \$80,000,000 shall be used for
10 breastfeeding peer counselors and other related activities,
11 and \$19,000,000 shall be used for infrastructure: *Pro-*
12 *vided further*, That none of the funds provided in this ac-
13 count shall be available for the purchase of infant formula
14 except in accordance with the cost containment and com-
15 petitive bidding requirements specified in section 17 of
16 such Act: *Provided further*, That none of the funds pro-
17 vided shall be available for activities that are not fully re-
18 imbursed by other Federal Government departments or
19 agencies unless authorized by section 17 of such Act: *Pro-*
20 *vided further*, That upon termination of a federally man-
21 dated vendor moratorium and subject to terms and condi-
22 tions established by the Secretary, the Secretary may
23 waive the requirement at 7 CFR 246.12(g)(6) at the re-
24 quest of a State agency.

1 SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

2 For necessary expenses to carry out the Food and
3 Nutrition Act of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2011 et seq.),
4 \$69,163,287,000, of which \$3,000,000,000, to remain
5 available through December 31, 2021, shall be placed in
6 reserve for use only in such amounts and at such times
7 as may become necessary to carry out program operations:
8 *Provided*, That funds provided herein shall be expended
9 in accordance with section 16 of the Food and Nutrition
10 Act of 2008: *Provided further*, That of the funds made
11 available under this heading, \$998,000 may be used to
12 provide nutrition education services to State agencies and
13 Federally Recognized Tribes participating in the Food
14 Distribution Program on Indian Reservations: *Provided*
15 *further*, That this appropriation shall be subject to any
16 work registration or workfare requirements as may be re-
17 quired by law: *Provided further*, That funds made available
18 for Employment and Training under this heading shall re-
19 main available through September 30, 2021: *Provided fur-*
20 *ther*, That funds made available under this heading for
21 section 28(d)(1), section 4(b), and section 27(a) of the
22 Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 shall remain available
23 through September 30, 2021: *Provided further*, That none
24 of the funds made available under this heading may be
25 obligated or expended in contravention of section 213A of

1 the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1183A):
2 *Provided further*, That funds made available under this
3 heading may be used to enter into contracts and employ
4 staff to conduct studies, evaluations, or to conduct activi-
5 ties related to program integrity provided that such activi-
6 ties are authorized by the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008.

7 COMMODITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

8 For necessary expenses to carry out disaster assist-
9 ance and the Commodity Supplemental Food Program as
10 authorized by section 4(a) of the Agriculture and Con-
11 sumer Protection Act of 1973 (7 U.S.C. 612c note); the
12 Emergency Food Assistance Act of 1983; special assist-
13 ance for the nuclear affected islands, as authorized by sec-
14 tion 103(f)(2) of the Compact of Free Association Amend-
15 ments Act of 2003 (Public Law 108–188); and the Farm-
16 ers’ Market Nutrition Program, as authorized by section
17 17(m) of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966, \$344,248,000,
18 to remain available through September 30, 2021: *Pro-*
19 *vided*, That none of these funds shall be available to reim-
20 burse the Commodity Credit Corporation for commodities
21 donated to the program: *Provided further*, That notwith-
22 standing any other provision of law, effective with funds
23 made available in fiscal year 2020 to support the Seniors
24 Farmers’ Market Nutrition Program, as authorized by
25 section 4402 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment

1 Act of 2002, such funds shall remain available through
2 September 30, 2021: *Provided further*, That of the funds
3 made available under section 27(a) of the Food and Nutri-
4 tion Act of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2036(a)), the Secretary may
5 use up to 15 percent for costs associated with the distribu-
6 tion of commodities.

7 NUTRITION PROGRAMS ADMINISTRATION

8 For necessary administrative expenses of the Food
9 and Nutrition Service for carrying out any domestic nutri-
10 tion assistance program, \$160,891,000: *Provided*, That of
11 the funds provided herein, \$2,000,000 shall be used for
12 the purposes of section 4404 of Public Law 107–171, as
13 amended by section 4401 of Public Law 110–246.

1 TITLE V
2 FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AND RELATED
3 PROGRAMS

4 OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR TRADE AND
5 FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL AFFAIRS

6 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
7 Secretary for Trade and Foreign Agricultural Affairs,
8 \$875,000: *Provided*, That funds made available by this
9 Act to any agency in the Trade and Foreign Agricultural
10 Affairs mission area for salaries and expenses are avail-
11 able to fund up to one administrative support staff for
12 the Office.

13 OFFICE OF CODEX ALIMENTARIUS

14 For necessary expenses of the Office of Codex
15 Alimentarius, \$4,775,000, including not to exceed
16 \$40,000 for official reception and representation expenses.

17 FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL SERVICE

18 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

19 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

20 For necessary expenses of the Foreign Agricultural
21 Service, including not to exceed \$250,000 for representa-
22 tion allowances and for expenses pursuant to section 8 of
23 the Act approved August 3, 1956 (7 U.S.C. 1766),
24 \$217,920,000, of which no more than 6 percent shall re-
25 main available until September 30, 2021, for overseas op-

1 erations to include the payment of locally employed staff:
 2 *Provided*, That the Service may utilize advances of funds,
 3 or reimburse this appropriation for expenditures made on
 4 behalf of Federal agencies, public and private organiza-
 5 tions and institutions under agreements executed pursu-
 6 ant to the agricultural food production assistance pro-
 7 grams (7 U.S.C. 1737) and the foreign assistance pro-
 8 grams of the United States Agency for International De-
 9 velopment: *Provided further*, That funds made available
 10 for middle-income country training programs, funds made
 11 available for the Borlaug International Agricultural
 12 Science and Technology Fellowship program, and up to
 13 \$2,000,000 of the Foreign Agricultural Service appropria-
 14 tion solely for the purpose of offsetting fluctuations in
 15 international currency exchange rates, subject to docu-
 16 mentation by the Foreign Agricultural Service, shall re-
 17 main available until expended.

18 FOOD FOR PEACE TITLE I DIRECT CREDIT AND FOOD
 19 FOR PROGRESS PROGRAM ACCOUNT
 20 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

21 For administrative expenses to carry out the credit
 22 program of title I, Food for Peace Act (Public Law 83-
 23 480) and the Food for Progress Act of 1985, \$142,000,
 24 shall be transferred to and merged with the appropriation
 25 for “Farm Service Agency, Salaries and Expenses”.

1 FOOD FOR PEACE TITLE II GRANTS

2 For expenses during the current fiscal year, not oth-
3 erwise recoverable, and unrecovered prior years' costs, in-
4 cluding interest thereon, under the Food for Peace Act
5 (Public Law 83-480), for commodities supplied in connec-
6 tion with dispositions abroad under title II of said Act,
7 \$1,716,000,000, to remain available until expended.

8 MCGOVERN-DOLE INTERNATIONAL FOOD FOR EDUCATION
9 AND CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAM GRANTS

10 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
11 of section 3107 of the Farm Security and Rural Invest-
12 ment Act of 2002 (7 U.S.C. 1736o-1), \$210,255,000, to
13 remain available until expended: *Provided*, That the Com-
14 modity Credit Corporation is authorized to provide the
15 services, facilities, and authorities for the purpose of im-
16 plementing such section, subject to reimbursement from
17 amounts provided herein: *Provided further*, That of the
18 amount made available under this heading, not more than
19 10 percent, but not less than \$15,000,000, shall remain
20 available until expended to purchase agricultural commod-
21 ities as described in subsection 3107(a)(2) of the Farm
22 Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (7 U.S.C.
23 1736o-1(a)(2)).

1 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION EXPORT (LOANS)
2 CREDIT GUARANTEE PROGRAM ACCOUNT
3 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

4 For administrative expenses to carry out the Com-
5 modity Credit Corporation's Export Guarantee Program,
6 GSM 102 and GSM 103, \$6,381,000, to cover common
7 overhead expenses as permitted by section 11 of the Com-
8 modity Credit Corporation Charter Act and in conformity
9 with the Federal Credit Reform Act of 1990, of which
10 \$6,063,000 shall be transferred to and merged with the
11 appropriation for "Foreign Agricultural Service, Salaries
12 and Expenses", and of which \$318,000 shall be trans-
13 ferred to and merged with the appropriation for "Farm
14 Service Agency, Salaries and Expenses".

1 TITLE VI
2 RELATED AGENCY AND FOOD AND DRUG
3 ADMINISTRATION
4 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
5 FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION
6 SALARIES AND EXPENSES
7 For necessary expenses of the Food and Drug Ad-
8 ministration, including hire and purchase of passenger
9 motor vehicles; for payment of space rental and related
10 costs pursuant to Public Law 92–313 for programs and
11 activities of the Food and Drug Administration which are
12 included in this Act; for rental of special purpose space
13 in the District of Columbia or elsewhere; in addition to
14 amounts appropriated to the FDA Innovation Account, for
15 carrying out the activities described in section 1002(b)(4)
16 of the 21st Century Cures Act (Public Law 114–255); for
17 miscellaneous and emergency expenses of enforcement ac-
18 tivities, authorized and approved by the Secretary and to
19 be accounted for solely on the Secretary’s certificate, not
20 to exceed \$25,000; and notwithstanding section 521 of
21 Public Law 107–188; \$5,761,442,000: *Provided*, That of
22 the amount provided under this heading, \$1,074,714,000
23 shall be derived from prescription drug user fees author-
24 ized by 21 U.S.C. 379h, and shall be credited to this ac-
25 count and remain available until expended; \$220,142,000

1 shall be derived from medical device user fees authorized
2 by 21 U.S.C. 379j, and shall be credited to this account
3 and remain available until expended; \$513,223,000 shall
4 be derived from human generic drug user fees authorized
5 by 21 U.S.C. 379j-42, and shall be credited to this ac-
6 count and remain available until expended; \$41,923,000
7 shall be derived from biosimilar biological product user
8 fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-52, and shall be cred-
9 ited to this account and remain available until expended;
10 \$30,611,000 shall be derived from animal drug user fees
11 authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-12, and shall be credited
12 to this account and remain available until expended;
13 \$20,151,000 shall be derived from generic new animal
14 drug user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-21, and shall
15 be credited to this account and remain available until ex-
16 pended; \$712,000,000 shall be derived from tobacco prod-
17 uct user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 387s, and shall be
18 credited to this account and remain available until ex-
19 pended: *Provided further*, That in addition to and notwith-
20 standing any other provision under this heading, amounts
21 collected for prescription drug user fees, medical device
22 user fees, human generic drug user fees, biosimilar biologi-
23 cal product user fees, animal drug user fees, and generic
24 new animal drug user fees that exceed the respective fiscal
25 year 2020 limitations are appropriated and shall be cred-

1 ited to this account and remain available until expended:
2 *Provided further*, That fees derived from prescription drug,
3 medical device, human generic drug, biosimilar biological
4 product, animal drug, and generic new animal drug as-
5 sessments for fiscal year 2020, including any such fees
6 collected prior to fiscal year 2020 but credited for fiscal
7 year 2020, shall be subject to the fiscal year 2020 limita-
8 tions: *Provided further*, That the Secretary may accept
9 payment during fiscal year 2020 of user fees specified
10 under this heading and authorized for fiscal year 2021,
11 prior to the due date for such fees, and that amounts of
12 such fees assessed for fiscal year 2021 for which the Sec-
13 retary accepts payment in fiscal year 2020 shall not be
14 included in amounts under this heading: *Provided further*,
15 That none of these funds shall be used to develop, estab-
16 lish, or operate any program of user fees authorized by
17 31 U.S.C. 9701: *Provided further*, That of the total
18 amount appropriated: (1) \$1,081,356,000 shall be for the
19 Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition and related
20 field activities in the Office of Regulatory Affairs, of which
21 no less than \$16,000,000 shall be used for inspections of
22 foreign seafood manufacturers and field examinations of
23 imported seafood; (2) \$1,967,193,000 shall be for the
24 Center for Drug Evaluation and Research and related
25 field activities in the Office of Regulatory Affairs; (3)

1 \$419,302,000 shall be for the Center for Biologics Evalua-
2 tion and Research and for related field activities in the
3 Office of Regulatory Affairs; (4) \$240,966,000 shall be
4 for the Center for Veterinary Medicine and for related
5 field activities in the Office of Regulatory Affairs; (5)
6 \$580,486,000 shall be for the Center for Devices and Ra-
7 diological Health and for related field activities in the Of-
8 fice of Regulatory Affairs; (6) \$66,712,000 shall be for
9 the National Center for Toxicological Research; (7)
10 \$661,739,000 shall be for the Center for Tobacco Prod-
11 ucts and for related field activities in the Office of Regu-
12 latory Affairs; (8) \$189,634,000 shall be for Rent and Re-
13 lated activities, of which \$54,889,000 is for White Oak
14 Consolidation, other than the amounts paid to the General
15 Services Administration for rent; (9) \$239,382,000 shall
16 be for payments to the General Services Administration
17 for rent; and (10) \$314,672,000 shall be for other activi-
18 ties, including the Office of the Commissioner of Food and
19 Drugs, the Office of Foods and Veterinary Medicine, the
20 Office of Medical and Tobacco Products, the Office of
21 Global and Regulatory Policy, the Office of Operations,
22 the Office of the Chief Scientist, and central services for
23 these offices: *Provided further*, That not to exceed \$25,000
24 of this amount shall be for official reception and represen-
25 tation expenses, not otherwise provided for, as determined

1 by the Commissioner: *Provided further*, That any transfer
2 of funds pursuant to section 770(n) of the Federal Food,
3 Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 379dd(n)) shall only
4 be from amounts made available under this heading for
5 other activities: *Provided further*, That of the amounts
6 that are made available under this heading for “other ac-
7 tivities”, and that are not derived from user fees,
8 \$1,500,000 shall be transferred to and merged with the
9 appropriation for “Department of Health and Human
10 Services—Office of Inspector General” for oversight of the
11 programs and operations of the Food and Drug Adminis-
12 tration and shall be in addition to funds otherwise made
13 available for oversight of the Food and Drug Administra-
14 tion: *Provided further*, That funds may be transferred
15 from one specified activity to another with the prior ap-
16 proval of the Committees on Appropriations of both
17 Houses of Congress.

18 In addition, mammography user fees authorized by
19 42 U.S.C. 263b, export certification user fees authorized
20 by 21 U.S.C. 381, priority review user fees authorized by
21 21 U.S.C. 360n and 360ff, food and feed recall fees, food
22 reinspection fees, and voluntary qualified importer pro-
23 gram fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j–31, outsourcing
24 facility fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j–62, prescription
25 drug wholesale distributor licensing and inspection fees

1 authorized by 21 U.S.C. 353(e)(3), third-party logistics
2 provider licensing and inspection fees authorized by 21
3 U.S.C. 360eee–3(c)(1), third-party auditor fees authorized
4 by 21 U.S.C. 384d(c)(8), and medical countermeasure pri-
5 ority review voucher user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C.
6 360bbb–4a, and, contingent upon the enactment of the
7 Over-the-Counter Monograph User Fee Act of 2019, fees
8 relating to over-the-counter monograph drugs authorized
9 by part 10 of subchapter C of Chapter VII of the Federal
10 Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act shall be credited to this ac-
11 count, to remain available until expended.

12 BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

13 For plans, construction, repair, improvement, exten-
14 sion, alteration, demolition, and purchase of fixed equip-
15 ment or facilities of or used by the Food and Drug Admin-
16 istration, where not otherwise provided, \$11,788,000, to
17 remain available until expended.

18 FDA INNOVATION ACCOUNT, CURES ACT

19 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

20 For necessary expenses to carry out the purposes de-
21 scribed under section 1002(b)(4) of the 21st Century
22 Cures Act, in addition to amounts available for such pur-
23 poses under the heading “Salaries and Expenses”,
24 \$75,000,000, to remain available until expended: *Pro-*
25 *vided*, That amounts appropriated in this paragraph are

1 appropriated pursuant to section 1002(b)(3) of the 21st
2 Century Cures Act, are to be derived from amounts trans-
3 ferred under section 1002(b)(2)(A) of such Act, and may
4 be transferred by the Commissioner of Food and Drugs
5 to the appropriation for “Department of Health and
6 Human Services Food and Drug Administration Salaries
7 and Expenses” solely for the purposes provided in such
8 Act: *Provided further*, That upon a determination by the
9 Commissioner that funds transferred pursuant to the pre-
10 vious proviso are not necessary for the purposes provided,
11 such amounts may be transferred back to the account:
12 *Provided further*, That such transfer authority is in addi-
13 tion to any other transfer authority provided by law.

14 INDEPENDENT AGENCY

15 FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION

16 LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

17 Not to exceed \$77,000,000 (from assessments col-
18 lected from farm credit institutions, including the Federal
19 Agricultural Mortgage Corporation) shall be obligated
20 during the current fiscal year for administrative expenses
21 as authorized under 12 U.S.C. 2249: *Provided*, That this
22 limitation shall not apply to expenses associated with re-
23 ceiverships: *Provided further*, That the agency may exceed
24 this limitation by up to 10 percent with notification to the

1 Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Con-
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TITLE VII

GENERAL PROVISIONS

(INCLUDING RESCISSIONS AND TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

SEC. 701. Within the unit limit of cost fixed by law, appropriations and authorizations made for the Department of Agriculture for the current fiscal year under this Act shall be available for the purchase, in addition to those specifically provided for, of not to exceed 71 passenger motor vehicles of which 68 shall be for replacement only, and for the hire of such vehicles: *Provided*, That notwithstanding this section, the only purchase of new passenger vehicles shall be for those determined by the Secretary to be necessary for transportation safety, to reduce operational costs, and for the protection of life, property, and public safety.

SEC. 702. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture may transfer unobligated balances of discretionary funds appropriated by this Act or any other available unobligated discretionary balances that are remaining available of the Department of Agriculture to the Working Capital Fund for the acquisition of plant and capital equipment necessary for the delivery of financial, administrative, and information technology services of primary benefit to the agencies of the Department of Agriculture, such transferred funds to re-

1 main available until expended: *Provided*, That none of the
2 funds made available by this Act or any other Act shall
3 be transferred to the Working Capital Fund without the
4 prior approval of the agency administrator: *Provided fur-*
5 *ther*, That none of the funds transferred to the Working
6 Capital Fund pursuant to this section shall be available
7 for obligation without written notification to and the prior
8 approval of the Committees on Appropriations of both
9 Houses of Congress: *Provided further*, That none of the
10 funds appropriated by this Act or made available to the
11 Department's Working Capital Fund shall be available for
12 obligation or expenditure to make any changes to the De-
13 partment's National Finance Center without written noti-
14 fication to and prior approval of the Committees on Ap-
15 propriations of both Houses of Congress as required by
16 section 716 of this Act: *Provided further*, That none of
17 the funds appropriated by this Act or made available to
18 the Department's Working Capital Fund shall be available
19 for obligation or expenditure to initiate, plan, develop, im-
20 plement, or make any changes to remove or relocate any
21 systems, missions, or functions of the offices of the Chief
22 Financial Officer or any personnel from the National Fi-
23 nance Center prior to written notification to and prior ap-
24 proval of the Committee on Appropriations of both Houses
25 of Congress and in accordance with the requirements of

1 section 716 of this Act: *Provided further*, That the Sec-
2 retary of Agriculture and the offices of the Chief Financial
3 Officer shall actively market to existing and new Depart-
4 ments and other government agencies National Finance
5 Center shared services including, but not limited to, pay-
6 roll, financial management, and human capital shared
7 services and allow the National Finance Center to perform
8 technology upgrades: *Provided further*, That of annual in-
9 come amounts in the Working Capital Fund of the De-
10 partment of Agriculture attributable to the amounts in ex-
11 cess of the true costs of the shared services provided by
12 the National Finance Center and budgeted for the Na-
13 tional Finance Center, the Secretary shall reserve not
14 more than 4 percent for the replacement or acquisition
15 of capital equipment, including equipment for the improve-
16 ment, delivery, and implementation of financial, adminis-
17 trative, and information technology services, and other
18 systems of the National Finance Center or to pay any un-
19 foreseen, extraordinary cost of the National Finance Cen-
20 ter: *Provided further*, That none of the amounts reserved
21 shall be available for obligation unless the Secretary sub-
22 mits written notification of the obligation to the Commit-
23 tees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress: *Pro-*
24 *vided further*, That the limitations on the obligation of
25 funds pending notification to Congressional Committees

1 shall not apply to any obligation that, as determined by
2 the Secretary, is necessary to respond to a declared state
3 of emergency that significantly impacts the operations of
4 the National Finance Center; or to evacuate employees of
5 the National Finance Center to a safe haven to continue
6 operations of the National Finance Center.

7 SEC. 703. No part of any appropriation contained in
8 this Act shall remain available for obligation beyond the
9 current fiscal year unless expressly so provided herein.

10 SEC. 704. No funds appropriated by this Act may be
11 used to pay negotiated indirect cost rates on cooperative
12 agreements or similar arrangements between the United
13 States Department of Agriculture and nonprofit institu-
14 tions in excess of 10 percent of the total direct cost of
15 the agreement when the purpose of such cooperative ar-
16 rangements is to carry out programs of mutual interest
17 between the two parties. This does not preclude appro-
18 priate payment of indirect costs on grants and contracts
19 with such institutions when such indirect costs are com-
20 puted on a similar basis for all agencies for which appro-
21 priations are provided in this Act.

22 SEC. 705. Appropriations to the Department of Agri-
23 culture for the cost of direct and guaranteed loans made
24 available in the current fiscal year shall remain available
25 until expended to disburse obligations made in the current

1 fiscal year for the following accounts: the Rural Develop-
2 ment Loan Fund program account, the Rural Electrifica-
3 tion and Telecommunication Loans program account, and
4 the Rural Housing Insurance Fund program account.

5 SEC. 706. None of the funds made available to the
6 Department of Agriculture by this Act may be used to ac-
7 quire new information technology systems or significant
8 upgrades, as determined by the Office of the Chief Infor-
9 mation Officer, without the approval of the Chief Informa-
10 tion Officer and the concurrence of the Executive Informa-
11 tion Technology Investment Review Board: *Provided*, That
12 notwithstanding any other provision of law, none of the
13 funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this
14 Act may be transferred to the Office of the Chief Informa-
15 tion Officer without written notification to and the prior
16 approval of the Committees on Appropriations of both
17 Houses of Congress: *Provided further*, That, notwith-
18 standing section 11319 of title 40, United States Code,
19 none of the funds available to the Department of Agri-
20 culture for information technology shall be obligated for
21 projects, contracts, or other agreements over \$25,000
22 prior to receipt of written approval by the Chief Informa-
23 tion Officer: *Provided further*, That the Chief Information
24 Officer may authorize an agency to obligate funds without
25 written approval from the Chief Information Officer for

1 projects, contracts, or other agreements up to \$250,000
2 based upon the performance of an agency measured
3 against the performance plan requirements described in
4 the explanatory statement accompanying Public Law 113–
5 235.

6 SEC. 707. Funds made available under section 524(b)
7 of the Federal Crop Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. 1524(b)) in
8 the current fiscal year shall remain available until ex-
9 pended to disburse obligations made in the current fiscal
10 year.

11 SEC. 708. Notwithstanding any other provision of
12 law, any former RUS borrower that has repaid or prepaid
13 an insured, direct or guaranteed loan under the Rural
14 Electrification Act of 1936, or any not-for-profit utility
15 that is eligible to receive an insured or direct loan under
16 such Act, shall be eligible for assistance under section
17 313B(a) of such Act in the same manner as a borrower
18 under such Act.

19 SEC. 709. Except as otherwise specifically provided
20 by law, not more than \$20,000,000 in unobligated bal-
21 ances from appropriations made available for salaries and
22 expenses in this Act for the Farm Service Agency shall
23 remain available through September 30, 2021, for infor-
24 mation technology expenses: *Provided*, That except as oth-
25 erwise specifically provided by law, unobligated balances

1 from appropriations made available for salaries and ex-
2 penses in this Act for the Rural Development mission area
3 shall remain available through September 30, 2021, for
4 information technology expenses.

5 SEC. 710. None of the funds appropriated or other-
6 wise made available by this Act may be used for first-class
7 travel by the employees of agencies funded by this Act in
8 contravention of sections 301–10.122 through 301–10.124
9 of title 41, Code of Federal Regulations.

10 SEC. 711. In the case of each program established
11 or amended by the Agricultural Act of 2014 (Public Law
12 113–79) or by a successor to that Act, other than by title
13 I or subtitle A of title III of such Act, or programs for
14 which indefinite amounts were provided in that Act, that
15 is authorized or required to be carried out using funds
16 of the Commodity Credit Corporation—

17 (1) such funds shall be available for salaries
18 and related administrative expenses, including tech-
19 nical assistance, associated with the implementation
20 of the program, without regard to the limitation on
21 the total amount of allotments and fund transfers
22 contained in section 11 of the Commodity Credit
23 Corporation Charter Act (15 U.S.C. 714i); and

24 (2) the use of such funds for such purpose shall
25 not be considered to be a fund transfer or allotment

1 for purposes of applying the limitation on the total
2 amount of allotments and fund transfers contained
3 in such section.

4 SEC. 712. Of the funds made available by this Act,
5 not more than \$2,900,000 shall be used to cover necessary
6 expenses of activities related to all advisory committees,
7 panels, commissions, and task forces of the Department
8 of Agriculture, except for panels used to comply with nego-
9 tiated rule makings and panels used to evaluate competi-
10 tively awarded grants.

11 SEC. 713. (a) None of the funds made available in
12 this Act may be used to maintain or establish a computer
13 network unless such network blocks the viewing,
14 downloading, and exchanging of pornography.

15 (b) Nothing in subsection (a) shall limit the use of
16 funds necessary for any Federal, State, tribal, or local law
17 enforcement agency or any other entity carrying out crimi-
18 nal investigations, prosecution, or adjudication activities.

19 SEC. 714. Notwithstanding subsection (b) of section
20 14222 of Public Law 110–246 (7 U.S.C. 612c–6; in this
21 section referred to as “section 14222”), none of the funds
22 appropriated or otherwise made available by this or any
23 other Act shall be used to pay the salaries and expenses
24 of personnel to carry out a program under section 32 of
25 the Act of August 24, 1935 (7 U.S.C. 612c; in this section

1 referred to as “section 32”) in excess of \$1,331,784,000
2 (exclusive of carryover appropriations from prior fiscal
3 years), as follows: Child Nutrition Programs Entitlement
4 Commodities—\$485,000,000; State Option Contracts—
5 \$5,000,000; Removal of Defective Commodities—
6 \$2,500,000; Administration of Section 32 Commodity
7 Purchases—\$35,853,000: *Provided*, That of the total
8 funds made available in the matter preceding this proviso
9 that remain unobligated on October 1, 2020, such unobli-
10 gated balances shall carryover into fiscal year 2021 and
11 shall remain available until expended for any of the pur-
12 poses of section 32, except that any such carryover funds
13 used in accordance with clause (3) of section 32 may not
14 exceed \$350,000,000 and may not be obligated until the
15 Secretary of Agriculture provides written notification of
16 the expenditures to the Committees on Appropriations of
17 both Houses of Congress at least two weeks in advance:
18 *Provided further*, That, with the exception of any available
19 carryover funds authorized in any prior appropriations Act
20 to be used for the purposes of clause (3) of section 32,
21 none of the funds appropriated or otherwise made avail-
22 able by this or any other Act shall be used to pay the
23 salaries or expenses of any employee of the Department
24 of Agriculture to carry out clause (3) of section 32.

1 SEC. 715. None of the funds appropriated by this or
2 any other Act shall be used to pay the salaries and ex-
3 penses of personnel who prepare or submit appropriations
4 language as part of the President's budget submission to
5 the Congress for programs under the jurisdiction of the
6 Appropriations Subcommittees on Agriculture, Rural De-
7 velopment, Food and Drug Administration, and Related
8 Agencies that assumes revenues or reflects a reduction
9 from the previous year due to user fees proposals that
10 have not been enacted into law prior to the submission
11 of the budget unless such budget submission identifies
12 which additional spending reductions should occur in the
13 event the user fees proposals are not enacted prior to the
14 date of the convening of a committee of conference for
15 the fiscal year 2021 appropriations Act.

16 SEC. 716. (a) None of the funds provided by this Act,
17 or provided by previous appropriations Acts to the agen-
18 cies funded by this Act that remain available for obligation
19 or expenditure in the current fiscal year, or provided from
20 any accounts in the Treasury derived by the collection of
21 fees available to the agencies funded by this Act, shall be
22 available for obligation or expenditure through a re-
23 programming, transfer of funds, or reimbursements as au-
24 thorized by the Economy Act, or in the case of the Depart-
25 ment of Agriculture, through use of the authority provided

1 by section 702(b) of the Department of Agriculture Or-
2 ganic Act of 1944 (7 U.S.C. 2257) or section 8 of Public
3 Law 89–106 (7 U.S.C. 2263), that—

4 (1) creates new programs;

5 (2) eliminates a program, project, or activity;

6 (3) increases funds or personnel by any means
7 for any project or activity for which funds have been
8 denied or restricted;

9 (4) relocates an office or employees;

10 (5) reorganizes offices, programs, or activities;

11 or

12 (6) contracts out or privatizes any functions or
13 activities presently performed by Federal employees;

14 unless the Secretary of Agriculture, or the Secretary of
15 Health and Human Services (as the case may be) notifies
16 in writing and receives approval from the Committees on
17 Appropriations of both Houses of Congress at least 30
18 days in advance of the reprogramming of such funds or
19 the use of such authority.

20 (b) None of the funds provided by this Act, or pro-
21 vided by previous Appropriations Acts to the agencies
22 funded by this Act that remain available for obligation or
23 expenditure in the current fiscal year, or provided from
24 any accounts in the Treasury derived by the collection of
25 fees available to the agencies funded by this Act, shall be

1 available for obligation or expenditure for activities, pro-
2 grams, or projects through a reprogramming or use of the
3 authorities referred to in subsection (a) involving funds
4 in excess of \$500,000 or 10 percent, whichever is less,
5 that—

6 (1) augments existing programs, projects, or ac-
7 tivities;

8 (2) reduces by 10 percent funding for any exist-
9 ing program, project, or activity, or numbers of per-
10 sonnel by 10 percent as approved by Congress; or

11 (3) results from any general savings from a re-
12 duction in personnel which would result in a change
13 in existing programs, activities, or projects as ap-
14 proved by Congress; unless the Secretary of Agri-
15 culture or the Secretary of Health and Human Serv-
16 ices (as the case may be) notifies in writing and re-
17 ceives approval from the Committees on Appropria-
18 tions of both Houses of Congress at least 30 days
19 in advance of the reprogramming or transfer of such
20 funds or the use of such authority.

21 (c) The Secretary of Agriculture or the Secretary of
22 Health and Human Services shall notify in writing and
23 receive approval from the Committees on Appropriations
24 of both Houses of Congress before implementing any pro-
25 gram or activity not carried out during the previous fiscal

1 year unless the program or activity is funded by this Act
2 or specifically funded by any other Act.

3 (d) None of the funds provided by this Act, or pro-
4 vided by previous Appropriations Acts to the agencies
5 funded by this Act that remain available for obligation or
6 expenditure in the current fiscal year, or provided from
7 any accounts in the Treasury derived by the collection of
8 fees available to the agencies funded by this Act, shall be
9 available for—

10 (1) modifying major capital investments fund-
11 ing levels, including information technology systems,
12 that involves increasing or decreasing funds in the
13 current fiscal year for the individual investment in
14 excess of \$500,000 or 10 percent of the total cost,
15 whichever is less;

16 (2) realigning or reorganizing new, current, or
17 vacant positions or agency activities or functions to
18 establish a center, office, branch, or similar entity
19 with five or more personnel; or

20 (3) carrying out activities or functions that
21 were not described in the budget request; unless the
22 agencies funded by this Act notify, in writing, the
23 Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of
24 Congress at least 30 days in advance of using the
25 funds for these purposes.

1 (e) As described in this section, no funds may be used
2 for any activities unless the Secretary of Agriculture or
3 the Secretary of Health and Human Services receives from
4 the Committee on Appropriations of both Houses of Con-
5 gress written or electronic mail confirmation of receipt of
6 the notification as required in this section.

7 SEC. 717. Notwithstanding section 310B(g)(5) of the
8 Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C.
9 1932(g)(5)), the Secretary may assess a one-time fee for
10 any guaranteed business and industry loan in an amount
11 that does not exceed 3 percent of the guaranteed principal
12 portion of the loan.

13 SEC. 718. None of the funds appropriated or other-
14 wise made available to the Department of Agriculture, the
15 Food and Drug Administration, or the Farm Credit Ad-
16 ministration shall be used to transmit or otherwise make
17 available reports, questions, or responses to questions that
18 are a result of information requested for the appropria-
19 tions hearing process to any non-Department of Agri-
20 culture, non-Department of Health and Human Services,
21 or non-Farm Credit Administration employee.

22 SEC. 719. Unless otherwise authorized by existing
23 law, none of the funds provided in this Act, may be used
24 by an executive branch agency to produce any pre-
25 packaged news story intended for broadcast or distribution

1 in the United States unless the story includes a clear noti-
2 fication within the text or audio of the prepackaged news
3 story that the prepackaged news story was prepared or
4 funded by that executive branch agency.

5 SEC. 720. No employee of the Department of Agri-
6 culture may be detailed or assigned from an agency or
7 office funded by this Act or any other Act to any other
8 agency or office of the Department for more than 60 days
9 in a fiscal year unless the individual's employing agency
10 or office is fully reimbursed by the receiving agency or
11 office for the salary and expenses of the employee for the
12 period of assignment.

13 SEC. 721. Not later than 30 days after the date of
14 enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture, the
15 Commissioner of the Food and Drug Administration, and
16 the Chairman of the Farm Credit Administration shall
17 submit to the Committees on Appropriations of both
18 Houses of Congress a detailed spending plan by program,
19 project, and activity for all the funds made available under
20 this Act including appropriated user fees, as defined in
21 the report accompanying this Act.

22 SEC. 722. Of the unobligated balances from amounts
23 made available for the supplemental nutrition program as
24 authorized by section 17 of the Child Nutrition Act of

1 1966 (42 U.S.C. 1786), \$800,000,000 are hereby re-
2 scinded.

3 SEC. 723. The Secretary shall continue an inter-
4 mediary loan packaging program based on the pilot pro-
5 gram in effect for fiscal year 2013 for packaging and re-
6 viewing section 502 single family direct loans. The Sec-
7 retary shall continue agreements with current inter-
8 mediary organizations and with additional qualified inter-
9 mediary organizations. The Secretary shall work with
10 these organizations to increase effectiveness of the section
11 502 single family direct loan program in rural commu-
12 nities and shall set aside and make available from the na-
13 tional reserve section 502 loans an amount necessary to
14 support the work of such intermediaries and provide a pri-
15 ority for review of such loans.

16 SEC. 724. For loans and loan guarantees that do not
17 require budget authority and the program level has been
18 established in this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture may
19 increase the program level for such loans and loan guaran-
20 tees by not more than 25 percent: *Provided*, That prior
21 to the Secretary implementing such an increase, the Sec-
22 retary notifies, in writing, the Committees on Appropria-
23 tions of both Houses of Congress at least 15 days in ad-
24 vance.

1 SEC. 725. None of the credit card refunds or rebates
2 transferred to the Working Capital Fund pursuant to sec-
3 tion 729 of the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and
4 Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropria-
5 tions Act, 2002 (7 U.S.C. 2235a; Public Law 107–76)
6 shall be available for obligation without written notifica-
7 tion to, and the prior approval of, the Committees on Ap-
8 propriations of both Houses of Congress: *Provided*, That
9 the refunds or rebates so transferred shall be available for
10 obligation only for the acquisition of plant and capital
11 equipment necessary for the delivery of financial, adminis-
12 trative, and information technology services, including
13 cloud adoption and migration, of primary benefit to the
14 agencies of the Department of Agriculture.

15 SEC. 726. None of the funds made available by this
16 Act may be used to implement, administer, or enforce the
17 “variety” requirements of the final rule entitled “Enhanc-
18 ing Retailer Standards in the Supplemental Nutrition As-
19 sistance Program (SNAP)” published by the Department
20 of Agriculture in the Federal Register on December 15,
21 2016 (81 Fed. Reg. 90675) until the Secretary of Agri-
22 culture amends the definition of the term “variety” as de-
23 fined in section 278.1(b)(1)(ii)(C) of title 7, Code of Fed-
24 eral Regulations, and “variety” as applied in the definition
25 of the term “staple food” as defined in section 271.2 of

1 title 7, Code of Federal Regulations, to increase the num-
2 ber of items that qualify as acceptable varieties in each
3 staple food category so that the total number of such items
4 in each staple food category exceeds the number of such
5 items in each staple food category included in the final
6 rule as published on December 15, 2016: *Provided*, That
7 until the Secretary promulgates such regulatory amend-
8 ments, the Secretary shall apply the requirements regard-
9 ing acceptable varieties and breadth of stock to Supple-
10 mental Nutrition Assistance Program retailers that were
11 in effect on the day before the date of the enactment of
12 the Agricultural Act of 2014 (Public Law 113–79).

13 SEC. 727. None of the funds made available by this
14 Act or any other Act may be used—

15 (1) in contravention of section 7606 of the Ag-
16 ricultural Act of 2014 (7 U.S.C. 5940), subtitle G
17 of the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946, or sec-
18 tion 10114 of the Agriculture Improvement Act of
19 2018; or

20 (2) to prohibit the transportation, processing,
21 sale, or use of hemp, or seeds of such plant, that is
22 grown or cultivated in accordance with subsection
23 section 7606 of the Agricultural Act of 2014 or Sub-
24 title G of the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946,

1 within or outside the State in which the hemp is
2 grown or cultivated.

3 SEC. 728. In carrying out subsection (h) of section
4 502 of the Housing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C. 1472), the
5 Secretary of Agriculture shall have the same authority
6 with respect to loans guaranteed under such section and
7 eligible lenders for such loans as the Secretary has under
8 subsections (h) and (j) of section 538 of such Act (42
9 U.S.C. 1490p-2) with respect to loans guaranteed under
10 such section 538 and eligible lenders for such loans.

11 SEC. 729. None of the funds made available by this
12 Act may be used to propose, promulgate, or implement
13 any rule, or take any other action with respect to, allowing
14 or requiring information intended for a prescribing health
15 care professional, in the case of a drug or biological prod-
16 uct subject to section 503(b)(1) of the Federal Food,
17 Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 353(b)(1)), to be dis-
18 tributed to such professional electronically (in lieu of in
19 paper form) unless and until a Federal law is enacted to
20 allow or require such distribution.

21 SEC. 730. None of the funds made available by this
22 Act may be used to notify a sponsor or otherwise acknowl-
23 edge receipt of a submission for an exemption for inves-
24 tigational use of a drug or biological product under section
25 505(i) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21

1 U.S.C. 355(i)) or section 351(a)(3) of the Public Health
2 Service Act (42 U.S.C. 262(a)(3)) in research in which
3 a human embryo is intentionally created or modified to
4 include a heritable genetic modification. Any such submis-
5 sion shall be deemed to have not been received by the Sec-
6 retary, and the exemption may not go into effect.

7 SEC. 731. None of the funds made available by this
8 or any other Act may be used to carry out the final rule
9 promulgated by the Food and Drug Administration and
10 put into effect November 16, 2015, in regards to the haz-
11 ard analysis and risk-based preventive control require-
12 ments of the current good manufacturing practice, hazard
13 analysis, and risk-based preventive controls for food for
14 animals rule with respect to the regulation of the produc-
15 tion, distribution, sale, or receipt of dried spent grain by-
16 products of the alcoholic beverage production process.

17 SEC. 732. There is hereby appropriated \$10,000,000,
18 to remain available until expended, to carry out section
19 6407 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of
20 2002 (7 U.S.C. 8107a): *Provided*, That the Secretary may
21 allow eligible entities, or comparable entities that provide
22 energy efficiency services using their own billing mecha-
23 nism to offer loans to customers in any part of their serv-
24 ice territory and to offer loans to replace a manufactured

1 housing unit with another manufactured housing unit, if
2 replacement would be more cost effective in saving energy.

3 SEC. 733. (a) The Secretary of Agriculture shall—

4 (1) conduct audits in a manner that evaluates
5 the following factors in the country or region being
6 audited, as applicable—

7 (A) veterinary control and oversight;

8 (B) disease history and vaccination prac-
9 tices;

10 (C) livestock demographics and
11 traceability;

12 (D) epidemiological separation from poten-
13 tial sources of infection;

14 (E) surveillance practices;

15 (F) diagnostic laboratory capabilities; and

16 (G) emergency preparedness and response;

17 and

18 (2) promptly make publicly available the final
19 reports of any audits or reviews conducted pursuant
20 to subsection (1).

21 (b) This section shall be applied in a manner con-
22 sistent with United States obligations under its inter-
23 national trade agreements.

24 SEC. 734. No food that bears or contains partially
25 hydrogenated oils (as defined in the order published by

1 the Food and Drug Administration in the Federal Reg-
2 ister on June 17, 2015 (80 Fed. Reg. 34650 et seq.)) shall
3 be considered to be adulterated within the meaning of sub-
4 section (a)(1) or (a)(2)(C)(i) of section 402 of the Federal
5 Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 342(a)) because
6 such food contains such partially hydrogenated oils until
7 the applicable compliance dates specified by FDA in the
8 Federal Register on May 21, 2018 (83 Fed. Reg. 23358
9 et seq.).

10 SEC. 735. The National Bio and Agro-Defense Facil-
11 ity shall be transferred without reimbursement from the
12 Secretary of Homeland Security to the Secretary of Agri-
13 culture.

14 SEC. 736. There is hereby appropriated \$1,000,000
15 for the Secretary to carry out a pilot program that pro-
16 vides forestry inventory analysis, forest management and
17 economic outcomes modelling for certain currently en-
18 rolled Conservation Reserve Program participants. The
19 Secretary shall allow the Commodity Credit Corporation
20 to enter into agreements with and provide grants to quali-
21 fied non-profit organizations dedicated to conservation,
22 forestry and wildlife habitats, that also have experience in
23 conducting accurate forest inventory analysis through the
24 use of advanced, cost-effective technology. The Secretary
25 shall focus the analysis on lands enrolled for at least eight

1 years and located in areas with a substantial concentration
2 of acres enrolled under conservation practices devoted to
3 multiple bottomland hardwood tree species including
4 CP03, CP03A, CP11, CP22, CP31 and CP40.

5 SEC. 737. In addition to amounts otherwise made
6 available by this Act and notwithstanding the last sentence
7 of 16 U.S.C. 1310, there is appropriated \$4,000,000, to
8 remain available until expended, to implement non-renew-
9 able agreements on eligible lands, including flooded agri-
10 cultural lands, as determined by the Secretary, under the
11 Water Bank Act (16 U.S.C. 1301–1311).

12 SEC. 738. There is hereby appropriated \$2,000,000
13 to carry out section 1621 of Public Law 110–246.

14 SEC. 739. None of the funds made available by this
15 Act may be used to carry out any activities or incur any
16 expense related to the issuance of licenses under section
17 3 of the Animal Welfare Act (7 U.S.C. 2133), or the re-
18 newal of such licenses, to class B dealers who sell dogs
19 and cats for use in research, experiments, teaching, or
20 testing.

21 SEC. 740. (a)(1) No Federal funds made available for
22 this fiscal year for the rural water, waste water, waste dis-
23 posal, and solid waste management programs authorized
24 by sections 306, 306A, 306C, 306D, 306E, and 310B of
25 the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (7

1 U.S.C. 1926 et seq.) shall be used for a project for the
2 construction, alteration, maintenance, or repair of a public
3 water or wastewater system unless all of the iron and steel
4 products used in the project are produced in the United
5 States.

6 (2) In this section, the term “iron and steel products”
7 means the following products made primarily of iron or
8 steel: lined or unlined pipes and fittings, manhole covers
9 and other municipal castings, hydrants, tanks, flanges,
10 pipe clamps and restraints, valves, structural steel, rein-
11 forced precast concrete, and construction materials.

12 (b) Subsection (a) shall not apply in any case or cat-
13 egory of cases in which the Secretary of Agriculture (in
14 this section referred to as the “Secretary”) or the designee
15 of the Secretary finds that—

16 (1) applying subsection (a) would be incon-
17 sistent with the public interest;

18 (2) iron and steel products are not produced in
19 the United States in sufficient and reasonably avail-
20 able quantities or of a satisfactory quality; or

21 (3) inclusion of iron and steel products pro-
22 duced in the United States will increase the cost of
23 the overall project by more than 25 percent.

24 (c) If the Secretary or the designee receives a request
25 for a waiver under this section, the Secretary or the des-

1 ignee shall make available to the public on an informal
2 basis a copy of the request and information available to
3 the Secretary or the designee concerning the request, and
4 shall allow for informal public input on the request for
5 at least 15 days prior to making a finding based on the
6 request. The Secretary or the designee shall make the re-
7 quest and accompanying information available by elec-
8 tronic means, including on the official public Internet Web
9 site of the Department.

10 (d) This section shall be applied in a manner con-
11 sistent with United States obligations under international
12 agreements.

13 (e) The Secretary may retain up to 0.25 percent of
14 the funds appropriated in this Act for “Rural Utilities
15 Service—Rural Water and Waste Disposal Program Ac-
16 count” for carrying out the provisions described in sub-
17 section (a)(1) for management and oversight of the re-
18 quirements of this section.

19 (f) Subsection (a) shall not apply with respect to a
20 project for which the engineering plans and specifications
21 include use of iron and steel products otherwise prohibited
22 by such subsection if the plans and specifications have re-
23 ceived required approvals from State agencies prior to the
24 date of enactment of this Act.

1 (g) For purposes of this section, the terms “United
2 States” and “State” shall include each of the several
3 States, the District of Columbia, and each federally recog-
4 nized Indian tribe.

5 SEC. 741. The Secretary shall set aside for Rural
6 Economic Area Partnership (REAP) Zones, until August
7 15, 2020, an amount of funds made available in title III
8 under the headings of Rural Housing Insurance Fund
9 Program Account, Mutual and Self-Help Housing Grants,
10 Rural Housing Assistance Grants, Rural Community Fa-
11 cilities Program Account, Rural Business Program Ac-
12 count, Rural Development Loan Fund Program Account,
13 and Rural Water and Waste Disposal Program Account,
14 equal to the amount obligated in REAP Zones with re-
15 spect to funds provided under such headings in the most
16 recent fiscal year any such funds were obligated under
17 such headings for REAP Zones.

18 SEC. 742. There is hereby appropriated \$1,000,000,
19 to remain available until expended, for a pilot program
20 for the Secretary to provide grants to qualified non-profit
21 organizations and public housing authorities to provide
22 technical assistance, including financial and legal services,
23 to RHS multi-family housing borrowers to facilitate the
24 acquisition of RHS multi-family housing properties in
25 areas where the Secretary determines a risk of loss of af-

1 affordable housing, by non-profit housing organizations and
2 public housing authorities as authorized by law that com-
3 mit to keep such properties in the RHS multi-family hous-
4 ing program for a period of time as determined by the
5 Secretary.

6 SEC. 743. None of the funds appropriated by this Act
7 may be used in any way, directly or indirectly, to influence
8 congressional action on any legislation or appropriation
9 matters pending before Congress, other than to commu-
10 nicate to Members of Congress as described in 18 U.S.C.
11 1913.

12 SEC. 744. In response to an eligible community where
13 the drinking water supplies are inadequate due to a nat-
14 ural disaster, as determined by the Secretary, including
15 drought or severe weather, the Secretary may provide po-
16 table water through the Emergency Community Water As-
17 sistance Grant Program for an additional period of time
18 not to exceed 120 days beyond the established period pro-
19 vided under the Program in order to protect public health.

20 SEC. 745. Of the total amounts made available by
21 this Act for direct loans and grants in the following head-
22 ings: “Rural Housing Service—Rural Housing Insurance
23 Fund Program Account”; “Rural Housing Service—Mu-
24 tual and Self-Help Housing Grants”; “Rural Housing
25 Service—Rural Housing Assistance Grants”; “Rural

1 Housing Service—Rural Community Facilities Program
2 Account”; “Rural Business-Cooperative Service—Rural
3 Business Program Account”; “Rural Business-Coopera-
4 tive Service—Rural Economic Development Loans Pro-
5 gram Account”; “Rural Business-Cooperative Service—
6 Rural Cooperative Development Grants”; “Rural Utilities
7 Service—Rural Water and Waste Disposal Program Ac-
8 count”; “Rural Utilities Service—Rural Electrification
9 and Telecommunications Loans Program Account”; and
10 “Rural Utilities Service—Distance Learning, Telemedi-
11 cine, and Broadband Program”, to the maximum extent
12 feasible, at least 10 percent of the funds shall be allocated
13 for assistance in persistent poverty counties under this
14 section, including, notwithstanding any other provision re-
15 garding population limits, any county seat of such a per-
16 sistent poverty county that has a population that does not
17 exceed the authorized population limit by more than 10
18 percent: *Provided*, That for purposes of this section, the
19 term “persistent poverty counties” means any county that
20 has had 20 percent or more of its population living in pov-
21 erty over the past 30 years, as measured by the 1980,
22 1990, and 2000 decennial censuses, and 2007–2011
23 American Community Survey 5-year average: *Provided*
24 *further*, That with respect to specific activities for which
25 program levels have been made available by this Act that

1 are not supported by budget authority, the requirements
2 of this section shall be applied to such program level.

3 SEC. 746. In addition to any other funds made avail-
4 able in this Act or any other Act, there is appropriated
5 \$5,000,000 to carry out section 18(g)(8) of the Richard
6 B. Russell National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C.
7 1769(g)), to remain available until expended.

8 SEC. 747. There is hereby appropriated \$2,000,000,
9 to remain available until September 30, 2021, for the cost
10 of loans and grants that is consistent with section 4206
11 of the Agricultural Act of 2014, for necessary expenses
12 of the Secretary to support projects that provide access
13 to healthy food in underserved areas, to create and pre-
14 serve quality jobs, and to revitalize low-income commu-
15 nities.

16 SEC. 748. For an additional amount for “Animal and
17 Plant Health Inspection Service—Salaries and Expenses”,
18 \$8,500,000, to remain available until September 30, 2021,
19 for one-time control and management and associated ac-
20 tivities directly related to the multiple-agency response to
21 citrus greening.

22 SEC. 749. None of the funds made available by this
23 or any other Act may be used to enforce the final rule
24 promulgated by the Food and Drug Administration enti-
25 tled “Standards for the Growing, Harvesting, Packing,

1 and Holding of Produce for Human Consumption,” and
2 published on November 27, 2015, with respect to the regu-
3 lation of the production, distribution, sale, or receipt of
4 grape varieties that are grown, harvested and used solely
5 for wine and receive commercial processing that ade-
6 quately reduces the presence of microorganisms of public
7 health significance.

8 SEC. 750. There is hereby appropriated \$5,000,000,
9 to remain available until September 30, 2021, for a pilot
10 program for the National Institute of Food and Agri-
11 culture to provide grants to nonprofit organizations for
12 programs and services to establish and enhance farming
13 and ranching opportunities for military veterans.

14 SEC. 751. For school year 2019–2020, none of the
15 funds made available by this Act may be used to imple-
16 ment or enforce the matter following the first comma in
17 the second sentence of footnote (c) of section 220.8(c) of
18 title 7, Code of Federal Regulations, with respect to the
19 substitution of vegetables for fruits under the school
20 breakfast program established under section 4 of the Child
21 Nutrition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C. 1773).

22 SEC. 752. Not later than 180 days after the date of
23 enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture shall
24 issue a final rule based on the proposed rule entitled “Na-
25 tional Organic Program; Origin of Livestock,” published

1 in the Federal Register on April 28, 2015 (80 Fed. Reg.
2 23455): *Provided*, That the final rule shall incorporate
3 public comments submitted in response to the proposed
4 rule.

5 SEC. 753. There is hereby appropriated \$20,000,000,
6 to remain available until expended, to carry out section
7 12513 of Public Law 115–334: *Provided*, That the Sec-
8 retary shall take measures to ensure an equal distribution
9 of funds between the three regional innovation initiatives.

10 SEC. 754. There is hereby appropriated \$5,000,000,
11 to remain available until September 30, 2021, to carry out
12 section 2103 of Public Law 115-334.

13 SEC. 755. There is hereby appropriated \$1,000,000,
14 to remain available until September 30, 2021, to carry out
15 section 4208 of Public Law 115-334.

16 SEC. 756. There is hereby appropriated \$2,000,000
17 to carry out section 4206 of Public Law 115–334.

18 SEC. 757. There is hereby appropriated \$20,000,000,
19 for an additional amount for “Department of Health and
20 Human Services—Food and Drug Administration—
21 Buildings and Facilities” to remain available until ex-
22 pended and in addition to amounts otherwise made avail-
23 able for such purposes, for necessary expenses of plans,
24 construction, repair, improvement, extension, alteration,

1 demolition and purchase of fixed equipment or facilities
2 of or used by FDA.

3 SEC. 758. There is hereby appropriated \$5,000,000
4 to carry out section 6424 of Public Law 115-334.

5 SEC. 759. Of the unobligated balances from amounts
6 made available to carry out section 749 of Division A of
7 Public Law 115–31 and section 739 of Division A of Pub-
8 lic Law 115–141, \$15,073,000 are rescinded.

9 SEC. 760. In addition to amounts otherwise made
10 available by this or any other Act, there is hereby appro-
11 priated \$5,000,000, to remain available until expended,
12 under the heading “Rural Water Technical Assistance
13 Grant Program Account” for the cost of a pilot program
14 in coordination with a regional research university Consor-
15 tium for research and direct services to address challenges
16 facing traditional rural wastewater systems needs: *Pro-*
17 *vided*, That the pilot should address the wastewater needs
18 of historically impoverished communities that have had
19 difficult soil conditions for traditional wastewater treat-
20 ment systems.

21 SEC. 761. (a) Section 313(b) of the Rural Electrifica-
22 tion Act of 1936, as amended (7 U.S.C. 940c(b)), shall
23 be applied for fiscal year 2020 and each fiscal year there-
24 after until the specified funding has been expended as if
25 the following were inserted after the final period in sub-

1 section (b)(2): “In addition, the Secretary shall use
2 \$425,000,000 of funds available in this subaccount in fis-
3 cal year 2019 for an additional amount for the same pur-
4 pose and under the same terms and conditions as funds
5 appropriated by Sec. 779 of Public Law 115–141 and
6 shall use \$128,000,000 of funds available in this sub-
7 account in fiscal year 2020 for an additional amount for
8 the same purpose and under the same terms and condi-
9 tions as funds appropriated for water and waste disposal
10 grants under section 306(a)(2) of the Consolidated Farm
11 and Rural Development Act.”: *Provided*, That any use of
12 such funds shall be treated as a reprogramming of funds
13 under section 716 of this Act.

14 (b) Section 762(b) of division B of Public Law 116-
15 6 shall no longer apply.

16 SEC. 762. In addition to amounts otherwise made
17 available by this or any other Act, there is hereby appro-
18 priated \$9,500,000, to remain available until expended,
19 under the heading “National Institute of Food and Agri-
20 culture—Research and Education Activities” and
21 \$15,500,000, to remain available until expended, under
22 the heading “Economic Research Service” for salaries and
23 expenses, including for relocation expenses, the costs of
24 alteration and repair of leased buildings and improve-
25 ments pursuant to 7 U.S.C. 2250, and other transition

1 costs, for the relocation of employees and certain oper-
2 ations to the Kansas City metropolitan area, as directed
3 by the decision of the Secretary of Agriculture dated June
4 13, 2019.

5 SEC. 763. No food containing genetically engineered
6 salmon shall be permitted to be introduced, or delivered
7 for introduction, into interstate commerce until the con-
8 clusion and transmittal to Congress of a consumer study
9 of the efficacy of the Department of Agriculture’s Na-
10 tional Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard for in-
11 forming consumers of the genetically engineered content
12 of salmon products, as set forth in 21 CFR 528.1092: *Pro-*
13 *vided*, That the study shall be performed by a commission
14 constituted jointly by the United States Department of
15 Agriculture and the Food and Drug Administration under
16 the Federal Advisory Committee Act and shall commence
17 no later than 180 days after the enactment of this Act.

18 SEC. 764. (a) Title I of the Additional Supplemental
19 Appropriations for Disaster Relief Act, 2019 (Public Law
20 116–20) is amended in the matter under the heading “De-
21 partment of Agriculture—Office of the Secretary” by in-
22 serting “to cooperative processors for reduced quantity
23 and quality sugar beets,” after “planting in 2019,”: *Pro-*
24 *vided*, That amounts repurposed under this section that
25 were previously designated by the Congress as an emer-

1 agency requirement pursuant to the Balanced Budget and
2 Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 are designated by
3 the Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to
4 section 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Balanced Budget and
5 Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 and shall be avail-
6 able only if the President subsequently so designates all
7 such amounts and transmits such designations to the Con-
8 gress.

9 (b) This section shall become effective immediately
10 upon enactment of this Act.

11 SEC. 765. None of the funds made available by this
12 Act may be used to pay the salaries or expenses of per-
13 sonnel—

14 (1) to inspect horses under section 3 of the
15 Federal Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 603);

16 (2) to inspect horses under section 903 of the
17 Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of
18 1996 (7 U.S.C. 1901 note; Public Law 104–127); or

19 (3) to implement or enforce section 352.19 of
20 title 9, Code of Federal Regulations (or a successor
21 regulation).

22 SEC. 766. Section 9(i)(2) of the Food and Nutrition
23 Act of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2018(i)(2)) is amended by striking
24 “for a period” and all that follows through “2018” and
25 inserting “prior to December 31, 2020”.

1 SEC. 767. Not later than 60 days after enactment
2 of this Act, the Commissioner of the Food and Drug Ad-
3 ministration shall issue a request for information to deter-
4 mine the next steps that will address the recent pulmonary
5 illnesses reported to be associated with the use of e-ciga-
6 rettes and vaping products. As part of such request for
7 information, the Commissioner shall request public com-
8 ment on product design and how to prevent consumers
9 from modifying or adding any substances to these prod-
10 ucts that are not intended by the manufacturer: *Provided,*
11 That the Food and Drug Administration shall provide an
12 update to the Committee on Appropriations on a quarterly
13 basis.

14 This Act may be cited as the “Agriculture, Rural De-
15 velopment, Food and Drug Administration, and Related
16 Agencies Appropriations Act, 2020”.

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