Statement from Acting OMB Director Shalanda Young

Budgetary Impact Analysis for Executive Order Entitled
“Designation to Exercise Authority over the National Defense Stockpile”

This executive order delegates the “special disposal” authority under the Strategic and Critical Minerals Stock Piling Act of 1979 to the Department of Defense from the President. This allows the Department of Defense to make releases from the National Defense Stockpile for minerals and materials without permission from the White House. Implementing this executive order would have no impact on costs and revenues to the Federal Government. The benefits of this executive order include faster response times to shortages. Implementing this executive order would have no impact on mandatory and discretionary obligations and outlays, as well as on revenues to the Federal Government, in the 5-year fiscal period beginning in fiscal year 2022. The agencies anticipated to be impacted by this executive order include the Department of Defense.