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THE DIRECTOR

June 17, 2026

The Honorable Mike Johnson
Speaker of the House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Speaker:

On behalf of the President, I ask the Congress to consider the enclosed Fiscal Year (FY) 2027 Budget amendments for the Departments of Agriculture, Education, Health and Human Services, Homeland Security, Labor, State, and War as well as the Small Business Administration and the District of Columbia. These amendments are necessary to correctly reflect policies assumed in the FY 2027 Budget.

In addition, provided for your consideration are three amendments for the Department of War (DOW) that would shift costs to pay for two E-7 Wedgetail prototype aircraft and two additional DOW amendments that would shift costs to pay for nuclear facility enhancements. Also included for your consideration is an amendment to increase the number of political staff the Department of Transportation may hire to support Federal Aviation Administration Air Traffic Control modernization efforts.

Taken together, these amendments would not affect the overall net discretionary base budget authority in the FY 2027 Budget request.

In addition, I wish to reiterate the President's promise to wind down the Department of Education and return authority over education to the States, including by transferring its programs to other agencies that can deliver better results. The Administration is doing what it can under current law to make good on this promise, taking actions on a wide range of programs in partnership with other departments that are better equipped to run these programs. The Administration expects the Congress to take its own action to make permanent changes to reduce Federal bureaucracy, ease administrative burdens, and ensure these programs better serve students and families.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "R. Vought".

Russell T. Vought
Director

Enclosure

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Bureau: FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE
Heading: Food Safety and Inspection Service
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 89
FY 2027 Pending Request: —
Proposed Amendment: Language
Revised Request: —

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, after "system" insert and the State Meat and Poultry Inspection Programs, and after "expended" insert : Provided further, That of the funds made available under this heading, up to \$7,280,000 shall remain available until expended for the recruitment and retention of public health veterinarians, including scholarships and incentive payments.)

This amendment would correct the period of availability for the State Meat and Poultry Inspection programs to provide no-year funding for the program, which was inadvertently excluded from the FY 2027 Budget request. In addition, this amendment would authorize the Service to use funding provided within the account for recruitment and retention of public health veterinarians, which was also inadvertently excluded from the FY 2027 Budget request.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this technical amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Heading: Title VII--GENERAL PROVISIONS

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FY 2027
Pending Request: \$0

Proposed Amendment: -\$250,000,000

Revised Request: -\$250,000,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new section after section 746:)

Sec. 747. Of the unobligated balances made available for carrying out section 2105(a)(3) of the Social Security Act, \$250,000,000 are hereby permanently cancelled.

This amendment would increase the proposed cancellation of amounts from the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) within the Department of Health and Human Services to include an additional \$250 million from the CHIP Performance Bonus Fund. This amendment is necessary to correctly reflect the policies included in the FY 2027 Budget request.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this technical amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF WAR
Bureau: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE
Heading: Operation and Maintenance, Defense-Wide
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 254
FY 2027 Pending Request: \$64,251,581,000
Proposed Amendment: -\$182,650,000
Revised Request: \$64,068,931,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "\$64,251,581,000" and substitute \$64,068,931,000.)

This amendment would decrease the amount of funding proposed in the Department of War's Operation and Maintenance, Defense-Wide account by \$183 million in order to pay for modernization and enhancement of nuclear ground test facilities in the Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation, Defense-Wide (RDT&E, D-W) account.

Taken together with the proposed amendment to the RDT&E, D-W account, the FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF WAR
Bureau: PROCUREMENT
Heading: Aircraft Procurement, Navy
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 280
FY 2027 Pending Request: \$26,947,023,000
Proposed Amendment: -\$650,549,000
Revised Request: \$26,296,474,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "\$26,947,023,000" and substitute \$26,296,474,000.)

This amendment would decrease the amount of funding proposed in the Department of War's (DOW) Aircraft Procurement, Navy account by \$651 million in order to fund a DOW priority requirement to deliver two E-7 Wedgetail prototype aircraft and continue Engineering Manufacturing and Development activities for a program of record.

Taken together with the proposed amendments in the Other Procurement, Air Force and Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force accounts, the FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF WAR
Bureau: PROCUREMENT
Heading: Other Procurement, Air Force
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 291
FY 2027 Pending Request: \$39,199,963,000
Proposed Amendment: -\$898,549,000
Revised Request: \$38,301,414,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "\$39,199,963,000" and substitute \$38,301,414,000.)

This amendment would decrease the amount of funding proposed in the Department of War's (DOW) Other Procurement, Air Force account by \$899 million. This amendment is necessary to fund a DOW priority requirement to deliver two E-7 Wedgetail prototype aircraft and continue Engineering Manufacturing and Development activities for a program of record.

Taken together with the proposed amendments in the Aircraft Procurement, Navy and Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force accounts, the FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF WAR
Bureau: RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST, AND EVALUATION
Heading: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 300
FY 2027 Pending Request: \$73,075,614,000
Proposed Amendment: \$1,549,098,000
Revised Request: \$74,624,712,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "\$73,075,614,000" and substitute \$74,624,712,000.)

This amendment would increase the amount of funding proposed in the Department of War's (DOW) Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force account by \$1.5 billion in order to fund a DOW priority requirement to deliver two E-7 Wedgetail prototype aircraft and continue Engineering Manufacturing and Development activities for a program of record.

Taken together with the proposed amendments in the Other Procurement, Air Force and Aircraft Procurement, Navy accounts, the FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF WAR
Bureau: RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST, AND EVALUATION
Heading: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Defense-Wide
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 304
FY 2027 Pending Request: \$55,736,724,000
Proposed Amendment: \$182,650,000
Revised Request: \$55,919,374,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "\$55,736,724,000" and substitute \$55,919,374,000.)

This amendment would increase the amount of funding proposed in the Department of War's Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation, Defense-Wide account by \$183 million for modernization and enhancement of nuclear ground test facilities.

Taken together with the proposed amendment to the Operation and Maintenance, Defense-Wide account, the FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF WAR

Heading: Title VIII--GENERAL PROVISIONS

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FY 2027
Pending Request: —

Proposed Amendment: Language

Revised Request: —

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete section 8075 and renumber the subsequent sections accordingly.)

This amendment would delete section 8075 of the general provisions for the Department of War (DOW), which was inadvertently included in the appropriations language. This amendment is necessary to reflect correctly the policies assumed in the FY 2027 Budget.

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, insert the following new sections after section 8067 and renumber subsequent sections accordingly:)

Sec. 8068. Funds appropriated in title III of this Act may be used for multiyear procurement contracts for the following systems and components (e.g., fuzes, engines, motors, launchers), items, services, logistics, supply and Fleet support associated with those systems: Guided Multiple Launch Rocket System (“GMLRS”), 6.8mm ammunition, Advanced Precision Kill Weapon System (APKWS) (AGR-20 A/B), II / Fixed-Wing, Air Launched, Counter-Unmanned [Aircraft Systems] Ordnance (FALCO) (AGR-20F), Lower Tier Air and Missile Defense Sensor (“LTAMDS”), Small Diameter Bomb II (“SDB II”), Air Intercept Missile-9X (“AIM-9X”), Patriot Guidance Enhanced Missile-Tactical (“GEM-T”), Integrated Battle Command System (“IBCS”), Air-Launched Rapid Response Weapon Increment 1 (“ARRW Inc. 1”), Army/Navy Transportable Radar Surveillance (“TPY-2”), Javelin Command Launch Unit (“CLU”), FGM-148 Javelin, Coyote Block 2C, Sonobuoys (SSQ-36, SSQ-53, SSQ-62, SSQ-101, SSQ-125), RIM-162 Evolved Sea Sparrow Missile (“ESSM”), RIM-116 Rolling Airframe Missile (“RAM”), V-22 Nacelle Improvement (“NI”), KC-46A Pegasus, Remote Modular Terminal (“RMT”), Counter Communications System (“CCS”), and additional classified systems [data will be provided at the appropriate classification level].

Sec. 8069. Funds appropriated in title III of this Act may be used for multiyear procurement contracts for the F-15EX Eagle II.

Sec. 8070. Funds appropriated in title III of this Act may be used for multiyear procurement contracts for the F-35 Lightning II.

This amendment would add three new sections to the general provisions for DOW in order to authorize the use of multiyear procurement contracts for additional DOW programs.

The 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected as a result of these amendments.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Bureau: OFFICE OF FEDERAL STUDENT AID
Heading: Student Aid Administration
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 357
FY 2027 Pending Request: —
Proposed Amendment: Language
Revised Request: —

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "2027" and substitute 2028.)

This amendment would correct the period of availability inadvertently retained from the FY 2026 enacted language for the Student Aid Administration account. The amendment would provide that all amounts within the account would be available for two years and would reflect correctly the policy assumed in the FY 2027 Budget.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this technical amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Bureau: ADMINISTRATION FOR A HEALTHY AMERICA

Heading: Mental and Behavioral Health
(Legislative proposal, not subject to PAYGO)

FY 2027 Appendix Page: 431

FY 2027 Pending Request: \$6,769,387,000

Proposed Amendment: -\$102,239,000

Revised Request: \$6,667,148,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "\$6,769,387,000" and substitute \$6,667,148,000, and delete "\$385,000,000" and substitute \$385,500,000.)

This amendment would correct the account total requested in the legislative proposal for the Mental and Behavioral Health account to reduce amounts inadvertently double-counted from funds derived from section 241 of the Public Health Service Act. The FY 2027 Budget database, however, provides the correct account total. In addition, this amendment would correct amounts proposed for grants to certain communities and community organizations from within the account total, which was inadvertently underestimated by \$500 thousand. These amendments would reflect correctly the policies assumed in the FY 2027 Budget.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this technical amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
Bureau: NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH
Heading: National Institutes of Health
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 453
FY 2027 Pending Request: —
Proposed Amendment: Language
Revised Request: —

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, in the National Eye Institute subheading, delete "\$833,000" and insert \$833,000,000.)

This amendment would correct the request level for the National Eye Institute from \$833 thousand to \$833 million, correcting an inadvertent error. The amended amount would reflect correctly the requested program level in the FY 2027 Budget.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this technical amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Bureau: ADMINISTRATION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
 Heading: Children and Families Services Programs
 FY 2027 Appendix Page: 480
 FY 2027 Pending Request: —
 Proposed Amendment: Language
 Revised Request: —

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete “\$12,271,820,000” and substitute \$12,356,820,000, delete “\$8,000,000” and substitute \$10,000,000, and delete “\$240,000,000” and substitute \$245,000,000.)

This amendment would correct the request level for three programs within the Children and Family Services account: for making payments under the Head Start Act; the Tribal Colleges and Universities Head Start Partnership Program; and funding to carry out section 303(a) of the Family Violence Prevention and Services Act, which were inadvertently understated by \$85 million, \$2 million, and \$5 million, respectively. The amended amounts would reflect correctly the policies assumed in the FY 2027 Budget.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this technical amendment.

Agency:	DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
Bureau:	U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION
Heading:	Operations and Support
FY 2027 Appendix Page:	510
FY 2027 Pending Request:	\$17,853,182,000
Proposed Amendment:	\$0
Revised Request:	\$17,853,182,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "\$17,444,780,000" and substitute \$17,575,806,000.)

This amendment would correct amounts appropriated to the Operations and Support account of U.S. Customs and Border Protection from the Customs User Fee Account. The FAST Act (Public Law 114-94) provided adjustments for inflation of fees for certain customs services. The Budget erroneously accounted for these inflationary adjustments to fees collected under the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA) instead of as a separate amount deposited directly into the Customs User Fee Account, which the Budget appropriates to the Operations and Support account. The amendment would increase the discretionary total appropriated to Operations and Support to account for this error. The estimate of fees provided under COBRA would correspondingly decrease.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this technical amendment, as it is offset by the change in estimated fee revenue made available by section 203 of the Department of Homeland Security General Provisions.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
Bureau: U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT
Heading: Operations and Support
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 519
FY 2027 Pending Request: —
Proposed Amendment: Language
Revised Request: —

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "\$10,042,062" and substitute \$10,042,062,000.)

This amendment would revise the program level for Immigration and Customs Enforcement from \$10 million to \$10 billion, correcting an inadvertent error. The amended amount would reflect correctly the requested program level assumed in the FY 2027 Budget.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this technical amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
Bureau: FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY
Heading: Disaster Relief Fund
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 542
FY 2027 Pending Request: \$28,379,000,000
Proposed Amendment: \$10,000,000
Revised Request: \$28,389,000,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "\$28,379,000,000" and substitute \$28,389,000,000.)

This amendment would revise the amount requested for the Disaster Relief Fund for major disasters declared pursuant to the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, which is designated as being available for disaster relief pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(D) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (BBEDCA). Section 251(b)(2)(D) of BBEDCA authorizes an adjustment to the caps for appropriations that are designated by the Congress as being for disaster relief, which is generally determined by the total average funding provided for disaster relief over the past 10 years. The amount transmitted in the FY 2027 Budget request for this account omitted a small additional appropriation in the calculation. This amendment revises the request to account for this miscalculation.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Bureau: EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION
Heading: Job Corps
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 746
FY 2027 Pending Request: —
Proposed Amendment: Language
Revised Request: —

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete ": Provided, That in addition" and substitute , of which, and delete "further" at the first instance.)

This amendment would correct the appropriations language for Job Corps to specify that the funding made available for program operations, construction and related closure costs, and necessary expenses of Job Corps are provided from within the account total, rather than as additional amounts. This amendment is necessary to reflect correctly the policies assumed in the FY 2027 Budget.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this technical amendment.

Agency:	DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Heading:	Title V--GENERAL PROVISIONS
FY 2027 Appendix Page:	777
FY 2027 Pending Request:	-\$350,000,000
Proposed Amendment:	-\$60,000,000
Revised Request:	-\$410,000,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading in section 525, delete "\$350,000,000" and substitute \$410,000,000.)

This amendment would increase the proposed cancellation of amounts from the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) within the Department of Health and Human Services to include an additional \$60 million from the CHIP Performance Bonus Fund. This amendment is necessary to reflect correctly the policies assumed in the FY 2027 Budget.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would decrease by \$60 million as a result of this technical amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Bureau: OTHER
Heading: Center for Middle Eastern-Western Dialogue Trust Fund
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 805
FY 2027 Pending Request: —
Proposed Amendment: Language
Revised Request: —

(Delete the appropriations language under the above heading and substitute the following:)

For "Center for Middle Eastern-Western Dialogue Trust Fund," there is appropriated all balances in the Center for Middle Eastern-Western Dialogue Trust Fund, including the total amount of the interest and earnings accruing to such Fund on or before the date of enactment of this Act: Provided, That all unobligated balances made available under this heading in this and prior Acts are hereby permanently cancelled.

This amendment would correct the proposed language to cancel unobligated balances in the Center for Middle Eastern-Western Dialogue Trust Fund. This amendment is necessary to reflect correctly the policies assumed in the FY 2027 Budget.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected as a result of this technical amendment.

Agency: DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Heading: GENERAL PROVISIONS--DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 932
FY 2027 Pending Request: —
Proposed Amendment: Language
Revised Request: —

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, in section 193, delete "125" and substitute 131.)

This amendment would amend section 193 of the general provisions for the Department of Transportation to increase the number of political and Presidential appointees in the Department of Transportation.

This FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected as a result of this amendment.

Agency: SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Heading: Business Loans Program Account
(Legislative proposal, not subject to PAYGO)
FY 2027 Appendix Page: 1144
FY 2027 Pending Request: —
Proposed Amendment: Language
Revised Request: —

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "authorized by section 7(a) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 636(a))").

This amendment would correct the legislative proposal that would provide authority for the Small Business Administration's (SBA) Business Loans Program Account to collect user fees on lenders participating in the agency's loan guarantee programs. This amendment removes language, which was inadvertently retained from the FY 2026 Budget, which limited the user fees to only the 7(a) loan program. The FY 2027 Budget proposed to authorize fees for all SBA loan programs.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would not be affected by this technical amendment.

Agency:	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Heading:	Federal Payment for Emergency Planning and Security Costs in the District of Columbia
FY 2027 Appendix Page:	1183
FY 2027 Pending Request:	\$30,000,000
Proposed Amendment:	\$60,000,000
Revised Request:	\$90,000,000

(In the appropriations language under the above heading, delete "\$30,000,000" and substitute \$90,000,000.)

This amendment would increase the amount of funding proposed in the District of Columbia's (D.C.) Federal Payment for Emergency Planning and Security Costs account by \$60 million to support the safety and security of D.C. This amendment is necessary to reflect correctly the policies assumed in the FY 2027 Budget.

The FY 2027 net budget authority totals would increase by \$60 million as a result of this technical amendment.