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**DIVISION A – AGRICULTURE, RURAL DEVELOPMENT, FOOD AND DRUG  
ADMINISTRATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2017**

**CONGRESSIONAL DIRECTIVES**

The explanatory statement is silent on provisions that were in both the House Report (H.Rpt. 114-531) and Senate Report (S.Rpt. 114-259) that remain unchanged by this agreement, except as noted in this explanatory statement.

The agreement restates that executive branch wishes cannot substitute for Congress's own statements as to the best evidence of congressional intentions, which are the official reports of the Congress. The agreement further points out that funds in this Act must be used for the purposes for which appropriated, as required by section 1301 of title 31 of the United States Code, which provides: "Appropriations shall be applied only to the objects for which the appropriations were made except as otherwise provided by law."

The House and Senate report language that is not changed by the explanatory statement is approved and indicates congressional intentions. The explanatory statement, while repeating some report language for emphasis, does not intend to negate the language referred to above unless expressly provided herein.

In cases in which the House or the Senate have directed the submission of a report, such report is to be submitted to both the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations no later than 60 days after enactment of this Act, unless otherwise directed.

Hereafter, in division A of this statement, the term 'the Committees' refers to the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate.

For the appropriations provided by this Act and previous Acts, the departments and agencies funded by this agreement are reminded that the Committees use the definitions for transfer, reprogramming, and program, project, and activity as defined by the Government Accountability Office (GAO) in GAO-04-261SP Appropriations Law—Vol. I and GAO-05-734SP Budget Glossary.

A transfer is the shifting of funds between appropriations. It applies to (1) transfers from one agency to another, (2) transfers from one account to another within the same agency, and (3) transfers to an interagency or intra-agency working fund. In each instance, statutory authority is required.

Reprogramming is the utilization of funds in an appropriation account for purposes other than those contemplated at the time of appropriation. It is the shifting of funds from one object to another within an appropriation.

A program, project, or activity (PPA) is an element within a budget account. PPAs are identified by reference to include the most specific level of budget items identified in the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Act, 2017, accompanying Committee reports, explanatory statements, the Statement of Managers, and budget justifications. Program activity structures are intended to provide a meaningful representation of the operations financed by a specific budget account by project, activity, or organization.

For fiscal year 2017, the Committees continue to include bill language requiring advanced notification of certain agency actions. Notification will be required at least 15 days in advance of any action if (1) a major capital investment is modified; (2) an office is realigned or reorganized; and (3) activities are carried out that were not described in the budget request.

The agreement directs the Office of Budget and Program Analysis (OBPA) of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) to provide an organizational chart for each agency funded by this Act to the division and subdivision level, as appropriate, by June 1, 2017. The agreement also directs the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the Farm Credit Administration (FCA) to provide an organizational chart of each agency respectively to the division and subdivision level, as appropriate, by June 1, 2017.

Further, USDA and FDA should be mindful of Congressional authority to determine and set final funding levels for fiscal year 2018. Therefore, the agencies should not presuppose program funding outcomes and prematurely initiate action to redirect staffing prior to knowing final outcomes on fiscal year 2018 program funding. The agreement directs OBPA to provide the Committees with the number of staff years and employees on board for each agency funded by this Act on a quarterly basis.

The agreement includes the authority to spend \$8,608,000 to address expenses incurred at the National Finance Center resulting from the February 2017 tornado to ensure continuity of vital services at the existing location.

The agreement directs NIFA to study the recent infestation of oak mites and focus on suppression and eradication possibilities.

The U.S. cotton industry has experienced three years of market returns well below the cost of production without a viable safety net for producers under the current Farm Bill. Market projections for 2017 and subsequent years indicate an acute need for immediate relief and long-term program security. Within 60 days of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary is directed to issue a report detailing administrative options for financial relief and recommended legislative actions to provide the cotton industry with a viable safety net.

The Margin Protection Program for Dairy Producers, which was included in the Agricultural Act of 2014, was intended to provide a safety net for dairy producers in times of low margins. However, that program has not worked as anticipated, and dairy farmers have been hit with milk prices that have plummeted since 2014, as well as new challenges with our export markets. This has resulted in sharply reduced incomes and a significant number of dairy operations going out of business, and many more dairy producers who are struggling to keep their operations financially sound. Prompt congressional action is needed to fix the program so that it provides the support that was intended. The Secretary is encouraged to use all available methods and authorities, including the use of the Commodity Credit Corporation Charter Act, to provide immediate assistance to these producers until such time as a revised safety net program can be provided.

**TITLE I**  
**AGRICULTURAL PROGRAMS**  
**PRODUCTION, PROCESSING, AND MARKETING**  
**OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**  
**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$44,555,000 for the Office of the Secretary.

The agreement recognizes the Department has statutory authorities and programs designed to help break the multi-generational trap of poverty in rural counties and supports USDA's utilization of existing programs and funding within RD and FNS in order to assist families, create jobs, and develop a path towards self-sufficiency. Other existing resources such as the extension service and public universities can be used for coordination and outreach activities. The Committees have not received the detailed plan required to be submitted by the Secretary detailing all funding resources and bundled services to combat rural poverty.

The following table reflects the agreement:

<i>Office of the Secretary</i> (Dollars in Thousands)	
Office of the Secretary	\$5,051
Office of Tribal Relations	502
Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Coordination	1,496
Office of Advocacy and Outreach	1,209
Office of Assistant Secretary for Administration	804
Departmental Administration	24,124
Office of Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations	3,869
Office of Communications	7,500
Total, Office of the Secretary	<u>\$44,555</u>

**EXECUTIVE OPERATIONS**  
**OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ECONOMIST**

The agreement provides \$18,917,000 for the Office of the Chief Economist.

The agreement provides a one-time increase of \$2,000,000, available until the end of fiscal year 2018, to assist the OCE in acquiring economic data, policy research support, analytics, and related activities for the upcoming Farm Bill.

**OFFICE OF HEARINGS AND APPEALS**

The agreement provides \$13,399,000 for the Office of Hearings and Appeals.

**OFFICE OF BUDGET AND PROGRAM ANALYSIS**

The agreement provides \$9,525,000 for the Office of Budget and Program Analysis.

**OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER**

The agreement provides \$49,538,000 for the Office of the Chief Information Officer. This amount includes \$33,000,000 to support cybersecurity activities.

**OFFICE OF THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER**

The agreement provides \$8,028,000 for the Office of the Chief Financial Officer.

The agreement supports the work of the CFO to bring the Department into compliance with the Digital Accountability and Transparency Act (DATA) and includes an increase of \$2,000,000 for implementation of the DATA.

**OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR CIVIL RIGHTS**

The agreement provides \$901,000 for the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights.

**OFFICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS**

The agreement provides \$24,206,000 for the Office of Civil Rights.

**AGRICULTURE BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES  
(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$84,189,000 for Agriculture Buildings and Facilities.

**HAZARDOUS MATERIALS MANAGEMENT  
(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$3,633,000 for Hazardous Materials Management.

**OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL**

The agreement provides \$98,208,000 for the Office of Inspector General, an increase of \$1,370,000 for GSA rent costs and space modification and \$1,100,000 for oversight of the Department's IT investments.

**OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL**

The agreement provides \$44,697,000 for the Office of the General Counsel.

**OFFICE OF ETHICS**

The agreement provides \$4,136,000 for the Office of Ethics.

**OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR RESEARCH, EDUCATION, AND ECONOMICS**

The agreement provides \$893,000 for the Office of the Under Secretary for Research, Education, and Economics.

**ECONOMIC RESEARCH SERVICE**

The agreement provides \$86,757,000 for the Economic Research Service, including increases for cooperative agreements on groundwater modeling, drought resilience and pay costs as requested in the budget.

**NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE**

The agreement provides \$171,239,000 for the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS), including up to \$42,177,000 for the Census of Agriculture.

The agreement includes an increase of \$1,600,000 for NASS to expand its current feed cost component surveys nationally.

The agreement recognizes the importance of the pecan survey and is pleased that NASS has conducted the survey as requested.

**AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE**

**SALARIES AND EXPENSES**

The agreement provides \$1,170,235,000 for the Agricultural Research Service (ARS), Salaries and Expenses.

The agreement does not accept the President's budget request regarding the termination of research programs, redirections of research programs, or closure of research locations. The agreement expects extramural research to be funded at no less than the fiscal year 2016 levels. The agreement provides funding increases for cotton ginning, cover crops, small grains genomics, long-term agroecosystem research, the National Bio and Agro-Defense Facility, the Office of Pest Management Policy, germplasm enhancement of maize, sustainable water use, wheat and sorghum, poultry, the U.S. Wheat and Barley Scab Initiative, safe and abundant water supply, intelligent spray technologies, sage steppe restoration, and a sorghum genetic database.

ARS is directed to provide a plan within 90 days of enactment of this Act for conducting a study on the levels of sodium consumption in school-aged children. The plan shall include the methodology and timeframes necessary to conduct such a study, focusing on whether the consumption levels are within or outside the usual range of consumption, both domestically and worldwide.

## BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

For ARS Buildings and Facilities, the agreement provides an appropriation of \$99,600,000 for priorities identified in the USDA ARS Capital Investment Strategy, April 2012, including not less than \$5,100,000 for planning and design purposes for the next highest priorities identified in the USDA Capital Investment Strategy.

## NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

### RESEARCH AND EDUCATION ACTIVITIES

The agreement provides \$849,518,000 for the National Institute of Food and Agriculture's research and education activities.

The agreement provides an increase of \$25,000,000 for the Agriculture and Food Research Initiative and directs that funding should be available to all priority areas, including conventional plant and animal breeding.

The agreement continues to direct that not less than 15 percent of the competitive research grant funds be used for USDA's agricultural research enhancement awards program, including USDA-EPSCoR.

The following table reflects the amounts provided by the agreement:

#### *National Institute of Food and Agriculture*

#### *Research and Education Activities*

(Dollars in Thousands)

Hatch Act	7 U.S.C. 361a-i	\$243,701
McIntire-Stennis Cooperative Forestry Act	16 U.S.C. 582a through a-7	33,961
Research at 1890 Institutions (Evans-Allen Program)	7 U.S.C. 3222	54,185
Payments to the 1994 Institutions	7 U.S.C. 301 note	3,439
Education Grants for 1890 Institutions	7 U.S.C. 3152(b)	19,336
Education Grants for Hispanic-Serving Institutions	7 U.S.C. 3241	9,219
Education Grants for Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian-Serving Institutions	7 U.S.C. 3156	3,194
Research Grants for 1994 Institutions	7 U.S.C. 301 note	1,801
Capacity Building for Non Land-Grant Colleges of Agriculture	7 U.S.C. 3319i	5,000
Grants for Insular Areas	7 U.S.C. 3222b-2, 3362 and 3363	2,000
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative	7 U.S.C. 450i(b)	375,000
Veterinary Medicine Loan Repayment	7 U.S.C. 3151a	6,500
Veterinary Services Grant Program	7 U.S.C. 3151b	2,500
Continuing Animal Health and Disease Research Program	7 U.S.C. 3195	4,000
Supplemental and Alternative Crops	7 U.S.C. 3319d	825
Multicultural Scholars, Graduate Fellowship and Institution	7 U.S.C. 3152(b)	9,000

Challenge Grants		
Secondary and 2-year Post-Secondary Education	7 U.S.C. 3152(j)	900
Aquaculture Centers	7 U.S.C. 3322	4,000
Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education	7 U.S.C. 5811, 5812, 5831, and 5832	27,000
Farm Business Management	7 U.S.C. 5925f	1,450
Sun Grant Program	7 U.S.C. 8114	3,000
Alfalfa and Forage Research Program	7 U.S.C. 5925	2,250
Minor Crop Pest Management (IR-4)	7 U.S.C. 450i(c)	11,913
Special Research Grants:	7 U.S.C. 450i(c)	
Global Change/UV Monitoring		1,405
Potato Research		2,250
Aquaculture Research		1,350
Total, Special Research Grants		<u>5,005</u>
Necessary Expenses of Research and Education Activities:		
Grants Management System		7,830
Federal Administration—Other Necessary Expenses for Research and Education Activities		6,549
GSA Rent and DHS Security Expenses		5,960
Total, Necessary Expenses		<u>20,339</u>
Total, Research and Education Activities		<u>\$849,518</u>

**NATIVE AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS ENDOWMENT FUND**

The agreement provides \$11,880,000 for the Native American Institutions Endowment Fund.

**EXTENSION ACTIVITIES**

The agreement provides \$477,391,000 for the National Institute of Food and Agriculture's extension activities.

The agreement provides \$3,000,000 for the Rural Health and Safety Education Program to address the opioid abuse epidemic and to combat opioid abuse in rural communities.

The agreement directs the National Institute for Food and Agriculture to consult with the Farm Service Agency in developing the terms of the Notice of Funds Availability that will be used to implement the pilot program established by Section 760.

The following table reflects the amounts provided by the agreement:

<i>National Institute of Food and Agriculture</i>		
<i>Extension Activities</i>		
(Dollars in Thousands)		
Smith-Lever, Section 3(b) and (c) programs and Cooperative Extension	7 U.S.C. 343(b) and (c) and 208(c) of P.L. 93-471	\$300,000

Extension Services at 1890 Institutions	7 U.S.C. 3221	45,620
Extension Services at 1994 Institutions	7 U.S.C. 343(b)(3)	4,446
Facility Improvements at 1890 Institutions	7 U.S.C. 3222b	19,730
Renewable Resources Extension Act	16 U.S.C. 1671 et seq.	4,060
Rural Health and Safety Education Programs	7 U.S.C. 2662(i)	3,000
Food Animal Residue Avoidance Database Program	7 U.S.C. 7642	1,250
Women and Minorities in STEM Fields	7 U.S.C. 5925	400
Food Safety Outreach Program	7 U.S.C. 7625	5,000
Smith-Lever, Section 3(d):	7 U.S.C. 343(d)	
Food and Nutrition Education		67,934
Farm Safety and Youth Farm Safety Education Programs		4,610
New Technologies for Agricultural Extension		1,550
Children, Youth, and Families at Risk		8,395
Federally Recognized Tribes Extension Program		3,039
Total, Section 3(d)		<u>85,528</u>
Necessary Expenses of Extension Activities:		
Agriculture in the K-12 Classroom		552
Federal Administration—Other Necessary Expenses for Extension Activities		7,805
Total, Necessary Expenses		<u>8,357</u>
Total, Extension Activities		<u>\$477,391</u>

**INTEGRATED ACTIVITIES**

The agreement provides \$36,000,000 for the National Institute of Food and Agriculture’s integrated activities.

The agreement provides an increase of \$1,300,000 for the Food and Agriculture Defense Initiative to expand the National Animal Health Laboratory Network (NAHLN), recognizing the critical contributions that NAHLN labs, including those located at colleges of veterinary medicine, make in responding to emerging threats to American agriculture. When expanding the network, the agreement encourages NIFA to take into consideration laboratories which would enhance the capacity for surveillance, monitoring, and response; the concentration of human and animal populations that are directly at risk; geography, ecology, and climate; evidence of active collaboration with, and support of, state animal health officials; and evidence of stakeholder support and engagement.

The following table reflects the amounts provided by the agreement:

<i>National Institute of Food and Agriculture</i>		
<i>Integrated Activities</i>		
(Dollars in Thousands)		
Methyl Bromide Transition Program	7 U.S.C. 7626	\$2,000

Organic Transition Program	7 U.S.C. 7626	4,000
Regional Rural Development Centers	7 U.S.C. 450i(c)	2,000
Food and Agriculture Defense Initiative	7 U.S.C. 3351	8,000
Crop Protection/Pest Management Program	7 U.S.C. 7626	20,000
Total, Integrated Activities		<u>\$36,000</u>

**OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR MARKETING AND REGULATORY PROGRAMS**

The agreement provides \$901,000 for the Office of the Under Secretary for Marketing and Regulatory Programs.

**ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE**

**SALARIES AND EXPENSES**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$946,212,000 for the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS), Salaries and Expenses.

The agreement includes a net increase of \$51,797,000 for high priority initiatives in order to protect the plant and animal resources of the Nation from pests and diseases. Nearly half of this increase is applied to the agency's request for \$24,000,000 in new funding for Emergency Preparedness and Response. This increase stemmed from the agency's experience with the 2015 outbreak of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza that cost taxpayers nearly \$1 billion. The agreement also provides increases within the total funding level of: \$2,518,000 for Animal Health and Technical Services; \$500,000 for the Equine, Cervid, and Small Ruminant Health Program; \$1,175,000 for the National Veterinary Stockpile; \$3,000,000 for the Veterinary Diagnostics program; \$7,000,000 for the Zoonotic Disease Management program; \$1,430,000 for the Agricultural Quarantine Inspection program; \$8,500,000 for the Specialty Crop Pests program; \$2,199,000 for the Wildlife Damage Management program; \$500,000 for the Agriculture Import-Export program; and, \$400,000 for Animal Welfare in order for APHIS to provide oversight of animal research at the Agricultural Research Service.

The agreement provides a one-time increase of \$1,000,000 for the Animal Health Technical Services program to conduct a pilot program for the study of the effectiveness in improving disease traceability, cost, and durability of Ultra High Frequency (UHF) Radio-frequency identification (RFID) back tags in comparison to the other types of animal identification methods currently used by the livestock industry within USDA's Animal Disease Traceability framework.

The agreement provides \$28,810,000 for the Animal Welfare program, an increase of \$400,000, and directs APHIS to continue its inspections of ARS facilities, to post its inspection reports online, and to provide copies of the reports to the Committees.

The agreement includes funding to collect additional data that will inform policy related to the appropriate antibiotic use in all settings across agriculture and clinical medicine. The agreement provides an increase of \$7,000,000 within Zoonotic Disease Management for on-farm surveillance, data collection, sampling, surveillance, and testing to enhance the understanding of on-farm levels of antibiotic use and the impact on antimicrobial resistance levels. The information collected should clearly delineate between antibiotics used for food-producing and companion animals. Further, to avoid duplication with existing programs like the National Antimicrobial Resistance Monitoring System, the agreement expects surveys regarding on-farm usage to be limited to collecting information about the antibiotics used and should not be utilized for other regulatory purposes.

The agreement includes no less than \$3,500,000 for cervid health activities. Within the funds provided, APHIS should give consideration to indemnity payments if warranted.

The agreement provides an increase of \$24,000,000 for emergency preparedness and response to establish a more robust agency framework for addressing animal and plant disease outbreaks. The Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza outbreak of 2015 exposed a number of challenges facing the agency. Additional funds will allow APHIS to increase veterinarians and animal health technicians; health, safety and biosecurity officers; and develop resources and technologies for the early detection of foreign animal diseases and improved response options.

The agreement includes \$28,000,000 under Wildlife Damage Management for national rabies management, surveillance, and eradication efforts and \$2,000,000 for Wildlife Services education and training. The agreement also provides \$1,600,000 for combatting wildlife depredation to production aquaculture and an additional \$5,000,000 for increased feral swine surveillance.

The agreement remains concerned about the devastating impact citrus greening disease has had on our nation's citrus production. The agreement maintains increased funding for Huanglongbing Emergency Response within the Specialty Crop Pests line item and provides an additional \$5,500,000 to support the Huanglongbing Multi-Agency Coordination (HLB MAC) group. The agreement encourages APHIS to allocate sufficient resources to continue vital

management, control, and associated activities to address citrus greening and to support priorities and strategies identified by the HLB MAC group.

The agreement provides funding for NAHLN through both APHIS and NIFA at approximately \$12,000,000 and \$4,300,000, respectively, for a total investment of \$16,300,000 for fiscal year 2017.

The agreement expects that USDA will not fully implement the final rule allowing the importation of lemons from Argentina until the Operational Work Plan ensures that Argentina can meet the same phytosanitary risk standards required by the other current countries importing citrus into the United States.

The following table reflects the agreement:

*Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service*  
(Dollars in Thousands)

Animal Health Technical Services	\$37,857
Aquatic Animal Health	2,253
Avian Health	55,340
Cattle Health	91,500
Equine, Cervid & Small Ruminant Health	20,000
National Veterinary Stockpile	5,723
Swine Health	24,800
Veterinary Biologics	16,417
Veterinary Diagnostics	39,540
Zoonotic Disease Management	16,523
Subtotal, Animal Health	<u>309,953</u>
Agricultural Quarantine Inspection (Appropriated)	29,330
Cotton Pests	11,520
Field Crop & Rangeland Ecosystems Pests	8,826
Pest Detection	27,446
Plant Protection Methods Development	20,686
Specialty Crop Pests	166,500
Tree & Wood Pests	54,000
Subtotal, Plant Health	<u>318,308</u>
Wildlife Damage Management	103,376
Wildlife Services Methods Development	18,856
Subtotal, Wildlife Services	<u>122,232</u>
Animal & Plant Health Regulatory Enforcement	16,224
Biotechnology Regulatory Services	18,875
Subtotal, Regulatory Services	<u>35,099</u>
Contingency Fund	470
Emergency Preparedness & Response	40,966

Subtotal, Emergency Management	41,436
Agriculture Import/Export	15,599
Overseas Technical & Trade Operations	22,114
Subtotal, Safe Trade	<u>37,713</u>
Animal Welfare	28,810
Horse Protection	697
Subtotal, Animal Welfare	<u>29,507</u>
APHIS Information Technology Infrastructure	4,251
Physical/Operational Security	5,146
Rent and DHS Security Payments	42,567
Subtotal, Agency Management	<u>51,964</u>
Total, Direct Appropriation	<u>\$946,212</u>

**BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES**

The agreement provides \$3,175,000 for APHIS Buildings and Facilities.

**AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE**

**MARKETING SERVICES**

The agreement provides \$84,933,000 for the Agricultural Marketing Service.

The National Organic Standards Board (NOSB) has concluded its sunset review process for substances and ingredients on the National List. As USDA reviews the NOSB's recommendations, the agreement directs USDA to fully consider all currently available scientific information and stakeholder comments during the rulemaking process. Substances and ingredients should be evaluated pursuant to the criteria specified in the Organic Foods Production Act (7 U.S.C. 6517(c)(1)(A)) and the Agriculture Marketing Service implementing regulations 7 C.F.R. 205.600. The Department is reminded that the spirit of the organic program is to allow for the use of natural processes and materials to the greatest extent practicable.

The agreement directs the Department to stay within the parameters of the required study mandated by Section 293(c) of the National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard (Pub. L. 114-216).

**LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES**

The agreement includes a limitation on administrative expenses of \$61,227,000.

**FUNDS FOR STRENGTHENING MARKETS, INCOME, AND SUPPLY (SECTION 32)**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$20,705,000 for Funds for Strengthening Markets, Income, and Supply.

The following table reflects the status of this fund for fiscal year 2017:

*Estimated Total Funds Available and Balance Carried Forward*

(Dollars in Thousands)

Appropriation (30% of Customs Receipts)	\$10,929,841
Less Transfers:	
Food and Nutrition Service	-9,503,998
Commerce Department	- 145,175
<i>Total, Transfers</i>	<u>-9,649,173</u>
Prior Year Appropriation Available, Start of Year	166,333
Transfer of Prior Year Funds to FNS (F&V)	-125,000
<i>Budget Authority, Farm Bill</i>	<u>1,322,000</u>
Rescission of Current Year Funds	-231,374
Appropriations Temporarily Reduced – Sequestration	-79,626
Unavailable for Obligations (F&V Transfer to FNS)	-125,000
<i>Budget Authority, Appropriations Act</i>	<u>886,000</u>
Less Obligations:	
Child Nutrition Programs (Entitlement Commodities)	465,000
State Option Contract	5,000
Removal of Defective Commodities	2,500
Emergency Surplus Removal	---
Disaster Relief	5,000
Additional Fruits, Vegetables, and Nuts Purchases	206,000
Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program	43,000
Estimated Future Needs	103,355
<i>Total, Commodity Procurement</i>	<u>829,855</u>
Administrative Funds:	
Commodity Purchase Support	35,440
Marketing Agreements and Orders	20,705
<i>Total, Administrative Funds</i>	<u>56,145</u>
Total Obligations	<u>886,000</u>
Unavailable for Obligations (F&V Transfer to FNS)	125,000
<i>Total, End of Year Balances</i>	<u>\$125,000</u>

**PAYMENTS TO STATES AND POSSESSIONS**

The agreement provides \$1,235,000 for Payments to States and Possessions.

**GRAIN INSPECTION, PACKERS AND STOCKYARDS ADMINISTRATION**

**SALARIES AND EXPENSES**

The agreement provides \$43,482,000 for the Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration, Salaries and Expenses.

**LIMITATION ON INSPECTION AND WEIGHING SERVICES EXPENSES**

The agreement includes a limitation on inspection and weighing services expenses of \$55,000,000.

**OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR FOOD SAFETY**

The agreement provides \$819,000 for the Office of the Under Secretary for Food Safety.

**FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE**

The agreement provides \$1,032,062,000 for the Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS).

In addition to requiring the Siluriformes inspection report requested in H. Rpt. 114-531, the agreement recognizes FSIS' diligent work in preventing from entering or removing 547,928 pounds (or more than 273 tons) of adulterated or ineligible imported Siluriformes product from U.S. commerce since April 15, 2016. In light of these alarming findings, the agreement directs FSIS to reinspect all imported Siluriformes fish and fish product shipments, just as all imported meat and poultry products from equivalent countries that export product to the United States are reinspected, upon the date of enactment of this Act. The agreement also directs FSIS to complete a determination of equivalence for the Siluriformes inspection program in a foreign country exporting Siluriformes fish and fish products to the United States not later than 180 days after the end of the 18-month transition period described in the preamble of the final rule entitled "Mandatory Inspection of Fish of the Order Siluriformes and Products Derived From Such Fish" issued on December 2, 2015 (80 Fed. Reg. 75590 et seq.).

The following table reflects the agreement:

<i>Food Safety and Inspection Service</i>	
(Dollars in Thousands)	
Federal	\$915,755
State	61,568
International	16,487
Codex Alimentarius	3,672
Public Health Data Communications Infrastructure System	34,580
Total, Food Safety and Inspection Service	<u>\$1,032,062</u>

**OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR FARM AND FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL SERVICES**

The agreement provides \$901,000 for the Office of the Under Secretary for Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services.

**FARM SERVICE AGENCY**

**SALARIES AND EXPENSES**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$1,206,110,000 for the Farm Service Agency (FSA), Salaries and Expenses. The agreement includes \$5,000,000 for personnel and physical security programs across county offices; \$250,000 to establish a pilot network of mentors for beginning farmers; \$500,000 to support youth-serving organizations; and \$90,000 to support a certified training program for veteran farmers to be prequalified for direct farm ownership loans, as proposed in the budget.

The following table reflects the agreement:

(Dollars in Thousands)

Salaries and expenses	\$1,206,110
Transfer from P.L. 480	149
Transfer from export loans	2,463
Transfer from ACIF	306,998
Total, FSA Salaries and expenses	<u>\$1,515,720</u>

**STATE MEDIATION GRANTS**

The agreement provides \$3,904,000 for State Mediation Grants.

**GRASSROOTS SOURCE WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM**

The agreement provides \$6,500,000 for the Grassroots Source Water Protection Program.

**DAIRY INDEMNITY PROGRAM**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$500,000 for the Dairy Indemnity Program.

**AGRICULTURAL CREDIT INSURANCE FUND PROGRAM ACCOUNT**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement includes increased levels for Farm Operating and Ownership loans to meet demand for access to credit in the farm economy.

The following table reflects the agreement:

(Dollars in Thousands)

*Loan Authorizations:*

Farm Ownership Loans:

Direct	(\$1,500,000)
Guaranteed	(2,750,000)

Subtotal, Farm Ownership Loans	(4,250,000)
Farm Operating Loans:	
Direct	(1,530,000)
Unsubsidized Guaranteed	(1,960,000)
Subtotal, Farm Operating Loans	<u>(3,490,000)</u>
Emergency Loans	(22,576)
Indian Tribe Land Acquisition Loans	(20,000)
Conservation Loans-Guaranteed	(150,000)
Indian Highly Fractionated Land	(10,000)
Boll Weevil Eradication	(60,000)
Total, Loan Authorizations	<u>(8,002,576)</u>

*Loan Subsidies:*

Farm Operating Loan Subsidies:	
Direct	65,178
Unsubsidized Guaranteed	20,972
Subtotal, Farm Operating Subsidies	<u>86,150</u>
Emergency Loans	1,262
Indian Highly Fractionated Land	2,550
Total, Loan Subsidies	<u>89,962</u>

ACIF Expenses:

Salaries and Expenses	306,998
Administrative Expenses	10,070
Total, ACIF Expenses	<u>\$317,068</u>

**RISK MANAGEMENT AGENCY**

**SALARIES AND EXPENSES**

The agreement provides \$74,829,000 for the Risk Management Agency (RMA), Salaries and Expenses.

The agreement supports the development of insurance products that recognize and cover livestock products such as milk as 'agricultural commodities' separately and distinctly from coverage developed for 'livestock.' The statute only refers to livestock and lists types of livestock in the definition (7 U.S.C. 1523(b)), but lists no livestock products. There is no indication that Congress intended for livestock products to fall under the limitation of livestock insurance policies and this restriction has unnecessarily hindered the availability of policies for livestock products like milk. The agreement encourages RMA to present this reinterpretation to the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation board at the next scheduled meeting and develop

additional policies for milk to provide dairy farmers with more robust risk management options before the end of the year.

## **CORPORATIONS**

### **FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE CORPORATION FUND**

The agreement provides an appropriation of such sums as may be necessary for the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation Fund.

### **COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION FUND**

#### **REIMBURSEMENT FOR NET REALIZED LOSSES**

#### **(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides an appropriation of such sums as may be necessary for Reimbursement for Net Realized Losses of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

### **HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT**

#### **(LIMITATION ON EXPENSES)**

The agreement provides a limitation of \$5,000,000 for Hazardous Waste Management.

## **TITLE II**

### **CONSERVATION PROGRAMS**

#### **OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT**

The agreement provides \$901,000 for the Office of the Under Secretary for Natural Resources and Environment.

#### **NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE**

##### **CONSERVATION OPERATIONS**

The agreement provides \$864,474,000 for Conservation Operations.

The agreement provides \$9,380,000 for the Snow Survey and Water Forecasting Program; \$9,481,000 for the Plant Materials Centers; \$80,802,000 for the Soil Surveys Program; and \$759,211,000 for Conservation Technical Assistance, including an increase of \$10,600,000 for written conservation plans and conservation program delivery.

##### **WATERSHED AND FLOOD PREVENTION OPERATIONS**

The agreement provides \$150,000,000 for Watershed and Flood Prevention Operations.

The agreement recognizes the critical challenges facing rural water resource management and protection and supports needed investments in watershed operations that have been absent

since fiscal year 2010. These Federal – State – local partnerships are uniquely positioned to identify critical watershed protection and flood prevention needs in rural communities and implement projects that deliver multiple streams of benefits for homes, businesses, and transportation infrastructure and natural resources. In selecting projects for funding, the agency is expected to balance the needs of addressing the project backlog, remediation of existing structures, and new projects.

**WATERSHED REHABILITATION PROGRAM**

The agreement provides \$12,000,000 for the Watershed Rehabilitation Program.

**TITLE III**

**RURAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS**

**OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

The agreement provides \$896,000 for the Office of the Under Secretary for Rural Development.

The agreement encourages the Department to work with community development financial institutions (as defined in section 103 of the Community Development Banking and Financial Institutions Act of 1994) in operating the Rural Microenterprise Assistance Program.

**RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

**SALARIES AND EXPENSES**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$225,835,000 for Rural Development (RD), Salaries and Expenses.

The agreement includes a general provision directing that \$500,000 made available for ‘Rural Development, Salaries and Expenses’ shall be used to develop an implementation plan for increasing access to education in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) in rural communities through the Distance Learning and Telemedicine program. The agreement directs that the implementation plan also address the availability of, access to, and quality of access to STEM education in rural communities. The agreement further directs that it be developed not later than six months after the date of enactment of this Act and in close cooperation with land-grant colleges and universities.

**RURAL HOUSING SERVICE**  
**RURAL HOUSING INSURANCE FUND PROGRAM ACCOUNT**  
**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides a total subsidy of \$509,892,000 for activities under the Rural Housing Insurance Fund Program Account. This includes a transfer of \$412,254,000 to the Rural Development, Salaries and Expenses account.

The following table indicates loan, subsidy, and grant levels provided by the agreement:

(Dollars in Thousands)

Loan authorizations:

Single family housing (sec. 502)	
Direct	(\$1,000,000)
Unsubsidized guaranteed	(24,000,000)
Housing repair (sec. 504)	(26,278)
Rental housing (sec. 515)	(35,000)
Multi-family guaranteed (sec. 538)	(230,000)
Site development loans (sec. 524)	(5,000)
Credit sales of acquired property	(10,000)
Self-help housing land development (sec. 523)	(5,000)
Farm labor housing	(23,855)
Total, Loan authorizations	<u>(\$25,335,133)</u>

Loan subsidies, grants & administrative expenses:

Single family housing (sec. 502)	
Direct	\$67,700
Housing repair (sec. 504)	3,663
Rental housing (sec. 515)	10,360
Farm labor housing (sec. 514)	7,051
Site development loans (sec. 524)	111
Self-help land development (sec. 523)	417
Total, loan subsidies	<u>89,302</u>
Farm labor housing grants	8,336
Total, loan subsidies and grants	<u>97,638</u>
Administrative expenses (transfer to RD)	412,254
Total, Loan subsidies, grants, and administrative expenses	<u>\$509,892</u>

**RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

The agreement provides \$1,405,033,000 for the Rental Assistance Program.

Within 120 days of enactment of this Act, the agency is directed to provide the Committees with a detailed analysis of the accuracy of the project-based forecasting tool used to estimate rental assistance needs.

**MULTI-FAMILY HOUSING REVITALIZATION PROGRAM ACCOUNT**

The agreement provides \$41,400,000 for the Multi-Family Housing Revitalization Program Account.

**MUTUAL AND SELF-HELP HOUSING GRANTS**

The agreement provides \$30,000,000 for Mutual and Self-Help Housing Grants.

**RURAL HOUSING ASSISTANCE GRANTS**

The agreement provides \$33,701,000 for Rural Housing Assistance Grants.

The following table reflects the grant levels provided by the agreement:

(Dollars in Thousands)

Very low income housing repair grants	\$28,701
Housing preservation grants	5,000
Total, grant program	<u>\$33,701</u>

**RURAL COMMUNITY FACILITIES PROGRAM ACCOUNT**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$47,100,000 for the Rural Community Facilities Program Account.

The agreement provides \$2,600,000,000 for Community Facility direct loans to address increased demand. Given the increased demand, the agreement reiterates the program's primary objective is to assist rural municipalities, nonprofit organizations, and Federally recognized Indian tribes to finance critical and essential community facilities needed to improve the quality of life for residents. The Department is directed to keep the Committees informed of any plans to continue the Community Facilities relending program in fiscal year 2017.

The following table reflects the loan, subsidy, and grant amounts provided by the agreement:

(Dollars in Thousands)

Loan authorizations:	
CF direct loans	(\$2,600,000)
CF guaranteed loans	(148,305)
Loan subsidies and grants:	
CF guaranteed loans	3,322
CF grants	30,000
Rural Community Development Initiative	4,000
Economic Impact Initiative	5,778
Tribal college grants	4,000
Total, subsidy and grants	<u>\$47,100</u>

**RURAL BUSINESS-COOPERATIVE SERVICE**

**RURAL BUSINESS PROGRAM ACCOUNT**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$65,319,000 for the Rural Business Program Account.

The agreement provides \$24,000,000 for Rural Business Development Grants. Rural business development grants have a pivotal role in supporting the development or expansion of business in rural areas and should be awarded to applicants with sound proposals offering significant commercial potential.

The following table reflects the loan, subsidy, and grant levels provided by the agreement:

(Dollars in Thousands)

Loan level:	
Business and industry guaranteed loans	(\$919,765)
Loan subsidy and grants:	
Business and industry guaranteed loans	35,319
Rural business development grants	24,000
Delta Regional Authority and Appalachian Regional Commission	6,000
Total, Rural Business Program subsidy and grants	<u>\$65,319</u>

**INTERMEDIARY RELENDING PROGRAM FUND ACCOUNT**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$9,944,000 for the Intermediary Relending Program Fund Account. The agreement provides for a transfer of \$4,468,000 to the Rural Development, Salaries and Expenses account.

The following table reflects the loan and subsidy levels provided by the agreement:

(Dollars in Thousands)

Loan level:	
Estimated loan level	\$18,889
Subsidies and administrative expenses:	
Direct loan subsidy level	5,476
Administrative expenses	4,468
Subtotal, subsidies and administrative expenses	<u>\$9,944</u>

**RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LOANS PROGRAM ACCOUNT**

**(INCLUDING RESCISSION OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$42,213,000 for the Rural Economic Development Loans Program Account.

**RURAL COOPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT GRANTS**

The agreement provides \$26,550,000 for Rural Cooperative Development Grants.

**RURAL ENERGY FOR AMERICA PROGRAM**

The agreement provides \$352,000 for the Rural Energy for America Program.

**RURAL UTILITIES SERVICE**

**RURAL WATER AND WASTE DISPOSAL PROGRAM ACCOUNT**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$571,190,000 for the Rural Utilities Service (RUS) Rural Water and Waste Disposal Program Account.

The following table reflects the loan, subsidy, and grant levels provided by the agreement:

(Dollars in Thousands)

<i>Loan authorizations:</i>	
Water and waste direct loans	(\$1,200,000)
Water and waste guaranteed loans	(50,000)
<i>Subsidies and grants:</i>	
Direct subsidy	52,080
Guaranteed loan subsidy	240
Water and waste revolving fund	1,000
Water well system grants	993
Grants for Colonias, Native Americans and Alaska	64,000
Water and waste technical assistance grants	20,000
Circuit Rider program	16,897
Solid waste management grants	4,000
High energy cost grants	10,000
Water and waste disposal grants	391,980
306A(i)(2) grants	10,000
Total, subsidies and grants	<u>\$571,190</u>

**RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS LOANS PROGRAM ACCOUNT**

**(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$36,341,000 for activities under the Rural Electrification and Telecommunications Loans Program Account. The agreement provides for a transfer of \$33,270,000 to the Rural Development, Salaries and Expenses account.

The agreement strengthens the loan servicing tools within RUS by creating a pilot program to allow RUS to refinance existing electric loans.

The following table indicates loan levels provided by the agreement:

(Dollars in Thousands)

Loan authorizations:	
<i>Electric:</i>	
Direct, FFB	(\$5,500,000)
Guaranteed underwriting	(750,000)
Subtotal, electric	<u>(6,250,000)</u>
<i>Telecommunications:</i>	
Direct, treasury rate	345,000
Direct, FFB	345,000
Subtotal, telecommunications	(690,000)
Loan subsidy:	
Direct, treasury rate	3,071
Total, loan authorizations	<u>(6,940,000)</u>
Administrative expenses	33,270
Total, budget authority	<u>\$36,341</u>

**DISTANCE LEARNING, TELEMEDICINE, AND BROADBAND PROGRAM**

The agreement provides \$65,600,000 for the Distance Learning, Telemedicine, and Broadband Program.

The agreement directs that \$1,600,000 of the funds made available for distance learning and telemedicine grants by such appropriation be used to provide for upgrades to the equipment and facilities of ambulances (and other emergency transportation vehicles) and to medical facilities, such as hospital and community health centers, and such technical assistance as may be needed.

The following table indicates loan levels provided by the agreement:

(Dollars in Thousands)

Loan authorization:	
Broadband telecommunications	(\$27,043)
Total, loan authorization	<u>(27,043)</u>
Subsidy and grants:	
Distance learning and telemedicine grants	26,600
Broadband telecommunications program:	
Direct (treasury rate loans)	4,500
Grants	34,500
Total, subsidies and grants	<u>65,600</u>

**TITLE IV**

**DOMESTIC FOOD PROGRAMS**

**OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR FOOD, NUTRITION, AND CONSUMER SERVICES**

The agreement provides \$814,000 for the Office of the Under Secretary for Food, Nutrition, and Consumer Services.

**FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE**  
**CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS**  
**(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$22,793,982,000 for Child Nutrition Programs. Included in the total is an appropriated amount of \$13,289,984,000 and a transfer from Section 32 of \$9,503,998,000.

The agreement provides the following for Child Nutrition Programs:

*Total Obligational Authority*  
(Dollars in Thousands)

School lunch program	\$12,339,758
School breakfast program	4,470,247
Child and adult care food program	3,490,937
Summer food service program	627,095
Special milk program	9,176
State administrative expenses	279,058
Commodity procurement	1,428,089
Food safety education	2,897
Coordinated review	10,000
Computer support and processing	11,941
CACFP training and technical assistance	23,137
Child Nutrition Program studies and evaluations	21,328
Child Nutrition payment accuracy	11,147
Farm to school tactical team	4,168
Team Nutrition	15,504
Healthier US Schools Challenge	1,500
School meals equipment grants	25,000
Summer EBT demonstration	23,000
Total	<u>\$22,793,982</u>

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

The agreement provides \$6,350,000,000 for the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC). The agreement fully funds all eligible WIC participants in fiscal year 2017, and includes \$60,000,000 for breastfeeding support initiatives and \$13,600,000 for infrastructure.

USDA data shows that WIC participation rates have decreased steadily since fiscal year 2010. The President's budget request included a projection of an average monthly participation rate of 8.1 million women, infants, and children for fiscal year 2017. However, the average

monthly participation rate was 8.0 million for fiscal year 2015, and the average for fiscal year 2016 was 7.7 million.

The agreement is supportive of ensuring pregnant women are educated on the various methods for preventing exposure to the Zika virus during pregnancy. The agreement directs the Department, in consultation with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, to either continue or expand its education and outreach efforts through the WIC program to provide pregnant women with the information they need to prevent Zika.

**SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

The agreement provides \$78,480,694,000 for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). The agreement includes \$3,000,000,000 to be made available for a contingency reserve. The agreement provides a funding level for SNAP benefits as reflected in OMB’s mid-session review of the budget.

The agreement provides an increase of \$4,000,000 for Nutrition Education and Program Information.

The agreement provides the following for SNAP:

*Total Obligational Authority*  
(Dollars in Thousands)

Benefits	\$67,754,435
Contingency reserve	3,000,000
Administrative costs:	
State administrative costs	4,230,476
Nutrition Education and Obesity Prevention Grant Program	411,000
Employment and Training	456,018
Mandatory other program costs	196,726
Discretionary other program costs	998
Administrative subtotal	<u>5,295,218</u>
Nutrition Assistance for Puerto Rico (NAP)	1,949,000
American Samoa	7,893
Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations	151,000
TEFAP commodities	297,000
Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands	12,148
Community Food Projects	9,000
Program access	5,000
Subtotal	<u>2,431,041</u>
Total	<u>\$78,480,694</u>

### **COMMODITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

The agreement provides \$315,139,000 for the Commodity Assistance Program. The agreement includes \$236,120,000 for the Commodity Supplemental Food Program; \$18,548,000 for the Farmers' Market Nutrition Program; and \$59,401,000 for the Emergency Food Assistance Program.

### **NUTRITION PROGRAMS ADMINISTRATION**

The agreement provides \$170,716,000 for Nutrition Programs Administration. The agreement includes \$17,700,000, to be available until expended, for office relocation expenses; \$1,192,000 for DHS Security Payments; and \$1,000,000 for an independent study to identify the best means of consolidating and coordinating reporting requirements under Child Nutrition Programs.

## **TITLE V**

### **FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AND RELATED PROGRAMS**

#### **FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL SERVICE**

##### **SALARIES AND EXPENSES**

##### **(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement includes \$196,571,000 for the Foreign Agricultural Service, Salaries and Expenses and transfers of \$6,074,000. The agreement provides \$2,300,000 for International Cooperative Administrative Support Services; \$3,545,000 for pay costs; and \$840,000 above estimated amounts for the Country Strategy Support Fund.

#### **FOOD FOR PEACE TITLE I DIRECT CREDIT AND FOOD FOR PROGRESS PROGRAM**

##### **ACCOUNT**

##### **(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$149,000 for administrative expenses for the Food for Peace Title I Direct Credit and Food for Progress Program Account to be transferred to and merged with the appropriation for "Farm Service Agency, Salaries and Expenses".

#### **FOOD FOR PEACE TITLE II GRANTS**

The agreement provides \$1,466,000,000 for Food for Peace Title II Grants. The agreement also includes an additional one-time increase of \$134,000,000, for a total level of \$1,600,000,000.

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

The agreement provides \$201,626,000 for the McGovern-Dole International Food for Education and Child Nutrition Program.

**COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION EXPORT (LOANS)  
CREDIT GUARANTEE PROGRAM ACCOUNT  
(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

The agreement provides \$8,537,000 for the Commodity Credit Corporation Export Loans Credit Guarantee Program Account.

**TITLE VI  
RELATED AGENCY AND FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION  
SALARIES AND EXPENSES**

The agreement provides specific amounts by FDA activity as reflected in the following table:

Food and Drug Administration Salaries & Expenses (Dollars in Thousands)	
Budget Authority:	
Foods	\$1,025,503
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition	310,994
Field Activities	714,509
Human Drugs	492,203
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research	355,996
Field Activities	136,207
Biologics	215,443
Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research	174,052
Field Activities	41,391
Animal Drugs and Feeds	162,852
Center for Veterinary Medicine	98,205
Field Activities	64,647

Devices and Radiological Products	329,764
Center for Devices and Radiological Health	246,319
Field Activities	83,445
National Center for Toxicological Research	63,331
Other Activities/Office of the Commissioner	185,087
<i>Office of the Commissioner</i>	56,178
<i>Office of Foods and Veterinary Medicine</i>	23,843
<i>Office of Medical and Tobacco Products</i>	11,259
<i>Office of Global Regulatory Operations and Policy</i>	23,564
<i>Office of Operations</i>	38,015
<i>Office of the Chief Scientist</i>	30,728
<i>Transfer to the HHS Office of Inspector General</i>	1,500
White Oak Consolidation	43,044
Other Rent and Rent Related Activities	71,943
GSA Rent	170,208
Subtotal, Budget Authority	<u>2,759,378</u>
User Fees:	
Prescription Drug User Fee Act	754,524
Medical Device User Fee and Modernization Act	126,083
Human Generic Drug User Fee Act	323,011
Biosimilar User Fee Act	22,079
Animal Drug User Fee Act	23,673
Animal Generic Drug User Fee Act	11,341
Tobacco Product User Fees	635,000
Subtotal, User Fees	<u>1,895,711</u>
Total, FDA Program Level	<u>\$4,655,089</u>

The agreement provides \$2,759,378,000 in new discretionary budget authority and \$1,895,711,000 in definite user fees for a total of \$4,655,089,000 for Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Salaries and Expenses. This total does not include permanent, indefinite user fees for the Mammography Quality Standards Act; Color Certification; Export Certification; Priority Review Vouchers Pediatric Disease; Food and Feed Recall; Food Reinspection; Voluntary Qualified Importer Program; the Third Party Auditor Program; Outsourcing Facility; and Medical Countermeasure Priority Review Vouchers. The agreement accepts \$13,516,000 in proposed administrative savings and expects FDA to continue all projects, activities, laboratories, and programs as included in fiscal year 2016 unless otherwise specified.

The agreement also includes a general provision providing \$10,000,000 for FDA to prevent, prepare for, and respond to emerging health threats, including the Ebola and Zika viruses, domestically and internationally and to develop necessary medical countermeasures and vaccines.

As part of the increases, the agreement provides an additional \$35,675,000 to support the implementation of the Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA). Of this amount, \$18,672,000 is provided for the National Integrated Food Safety System and \$16,913,000 is provided for Import Safety. Funds for import safety should help FDA ensure an even playing field in the application of FSMA regulations as it relates to both domestic and imported producers, processors, and manufacturers of food and animal feed. The agreement notes that FSMA implementation places additional requirements on state governments and private stakeholders, and therefore urges the FDA to provide sufficient resources to State education and inspection programs to address these needs. The agreement continues to require quarterly reports to the Committees with a breakdown on funding allocations, as well as projections for future needs.

The agreement provides an increase of \$10,911,000 for medical product safety initiatives including \$2,500,000 for efforts to support the Precision Medicine initiative. This increase should supplement efforts authorized in the 21st Century Cures Act. In addition, an increase of \$4,000,000 is provided for Pediatric Device Consortium Grants and postmarket activities within the Medical Device program. Lastly, the agreement provides an increase of \$4,411,000 for animal drug and medical device review activities. The agreement continues to include the fiscal year 2016 funding to evaluate over-the-counter sunscreen products.

The \$2,500,000 increase above the amount provided in fiscal year 2016 for foreign high-risk inspections will allow FDA's Office of the Global Regulatory Operations Policy to continue efforts to develop and utilize a targeted, risk-based, and efficient inspection model that incorporates commercially available information on high-risk establishments for onsite verifications. FDA is directed to provide the Committees with an update on these efforts, including estimated efficiencies and concerns, and plans to continue or expand this effort in the future.

Employees charged with implementing federal programs are expected to carry out their duties in a legal and ethical manner, free from conflicts of interest, without seeking private gain or advancing a private agenda, and without giving preferential treatment to any outside

organization or individual. The agency is reminded of its responsibility to ensure that federal employees handle information, including information received from the employees, offices, or Committees of the Congress, in a professional and confidential manner according to the federal government's code of conduct, standards, regulations, and statutes.

The agreement strongly urges the FDA to continue to work with Congress to address the issues and concerns regarding the regulation of Laboratory Developed Tests.

The agreement provides \$6,000,000 for Pediatric Device Consortia Grants.

The agreement remains concerned with the draft MOU that the FDA proposed under Section 503A of the FDCA. Section 503A distinguishes between "distribution" and "dispensing" for the purposes of the MOU. In the DQSA, Congress only allowed the FDA to regulate "distribution." The MOU appears to exceed the authority granted in the statute by redefining "distribution" in a manner that includes dispensing. Congress did not intend to include dispensing of compounded drugs over state lines within the scope of the MOU. The MOU should not address dispensing of compounded drugs to a patient over state lines if all other requirements of 503A are met.

#### **BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES**

The agreement provides \$11,788,000 for the Food and Drug Administration Buildings and Facilities.

#### **INDEPENDENT AGENCY**

##### **FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION**

##### **LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES**

The agreement includes a limitation of \$68,600,000 on administrative expenses of the Farm Credit Administration.

#### **TITLE VII**

##### **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

##### **(INCLUDING RESCISSIONS AND TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)**

Section 701. – The agreement includes language making funds available for the purchase, replacement, and hire of passenger motor vehicles.

Section 702. – The agreement includes language regarding transfers of funds to the Working Capital Fund of the Department of Agriculture.

Section 703. – The agreement includes language limiting funding provided in the bill to one year unless otherwise specified.

Section 704. – The agreement includes language regarding indirect cost rates on cooperative agreements between the Department of Agriculture and nonprofit institutions.

Section 705. – The agreement includes language making appropriations to the Department of Agriculture for the cost of direct and guaranteed loans available until expended to disburse certain obligations for certain Rural Development programs.

Section 706. – The agreement includes language regarding the transfer of funds to the Office of the Chief Information Officer and the acquisition of information technology systems.

Section 707. – The agreement includes language making funds available until expended to the Department of Agriculture to disburse certain obligations for certain conservation programs.

Section 708. – The agreement includes language regarding Rural Utilities Service program eligibility.

Section 709. – The agreement includes language regarding funds for information technology expenses.

Section 710. – The agreement includes language prohibiting first-class airline travel.

Section 711. – The agreement includes language regarding the availability of certain funds of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Section 712. – The agreement includes language regarding funding for advisory committees.

Section 713. – The agreement includes language regarding the limitation on indirect costs for grants awarded by the National Institute of Food and Agriculture.

Section 714. – The agreement includes language regarding a limitation and rescission of funds.

Section 715. – The agreement includes language regarding child nutrition programs.

Section 716. – The agreement includes language regarding user fee proposals without offsets.

Section 717. – The agreement includes language regarding the reprogramming of funds and notification requirements.

Section 718. – The agreement includes language regarding fees for the guaranteed business and industry loan program.

Section 719. – The agreement includes language regarding the appropriations hearing process.

Section 720. – The agreement includes language regarding government-sponsored news stories.

Section 721. – The agreement includes language regarding details and assignments of Department of Agriculture employees.

Section 722. – The agreement includes language regarding the Water Bank Act.

Section 723. – The agreement includes language requiring spend plans.

Section 724. – The agreement includes language regarding the Food for Peace Act.

Section 725. – The agreement includes language regarding Rural Development programs.

Section 726. – The agreement includes language regarding USDA loan programs.

Section 727. – The agreement includes language regarding the Working Capital Fund.

Section 728. – The agreement includes language regarding purchases made through child nutrition programs.

Section 729. – The agreement includes language regarding potable water supplies.

Section 730. – The agreement includes language regarding the Agriculture and Food Research Initiative.

Section 731. – The agreement includes language regarding Rural Development Programs.

Section 732. – The agreement includes language regarding nutrition research.

Section 733. – The agreement includes language regarding housing loan programs.

Section 734. – The agreement includes language regarding consumer information.

Section 735. – The agreement includes language regarding Rural Development loan programs.

Section 736. – The agreement includes language regarding tissue regulation.

Section 737. – The agreement includes language regarding animal feed.

Section 738. – The agreement includes language regarding APHIS regulation.

Section 739. – The agreement includes language regarding animal research.

- Section 740. – The agreement includes language regarding FDA regulation.
- Section 741. – The agreement includes language regarding the Rural Housing Service.
- Section 742. – The agreement includes language regarding IT systems.
- Section 743. – The agreement includes language regarding APHIS Buildings & Facilities.
- Section 744. – The agreement includes language regarding nutrition programs.
- Section 745. – The agreement includes language regarding certain unobligated balances.
- Section 746. – The agreement includes language regarding domestic preference.
- Section 747. – The agreement includes language regarding child nutrition programs.
- Section 748. – The agreement includes language regarding emergency food assistance.
- Section 749. – The agreement includes language regarding loan refinancing.
- Section 750. – The agreement includes language regarding persistent poverty.
- Section 751. – The agreement includes language regarding community eligibility.
- Section 752. – The agreement includes language regarding emerging disease funding.
- Section 753. – The agreement includes language regarding emergency programs.
- Section 754. – The agreement includes language regarding lobbying.
- Section 755. – The agreement includes language regarding the Food for Peace Act.
- Section 756. – The agreement includes language regarding FDA regulation.
- Section 757. – The agreement includes language regarding citrus greening.
- Section 758. – The agreement includes language regarding certain unobligated balances.
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- Section 760. – The agreement includes language regarding assistance for military veterans.
- Section 761. – The agreement includes language regarding genetically engineered salmon.
- Section 762. – The agreement includes language regarding certain horse inspection activities.
- Section 763. – The agreement includes language regarding Rural Economic Area Partnership Zones.
- Section 764. – The agreement includes language regarding hardwood trees.
- Section 765. – The agreement includes language regarding the SNAP program.
- Section 766. – The agreement includes language regarding FDA guidance.

Section 767. – The agreement includes language regarding food retailer financing.

Section 768. – The agreement includes language regarding STEM programs.

Section 769. – The agreement includes language regarding Rural Development programs.

Section 770. – The agreement includes language regarding certain unobligated balances.

Section 771. – The agreement includes language regarding the Rural Housing Service.

Section 772. – The agreement includes language regarding the Agriculture Risk Coverage program.

Section 773. – The agreement includes language regarding industrial hemp.

Section 774. – The agreement includes language regarding crab nomenclature.

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<b>TITLE I - AGRICULTURAL PROGRAMS</b>					
Production, Processing, and Marketing					
Office of the Secretary					
Office of the Secretary.....	5,051	10,178	5,051	---	-5,127
Office of Tribal Relations.....	502	755	502	---	-253
Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Coordination.....	1,496	1,592	1,496	---	-96
Office of Advocacy and Outreach.....	1,209	11,220	1,209	---	-10,011
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Administration.. Departmental Administration.....	804 25,124	807 27,420	804 24,124	--- -1,000	-3 -3,296
Subtotal, Departmental Administration.....	25,928	28,227	24,928	-1,000	-3,299
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations.....	3,869	3,919	3,869	---	-50
Office of Communications.....	7,500	8,512	7,500	---	-1,012
Total, Office of the Secretary.....	45,555	64,403	44,555	-1,000	-19,848

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Executive Operations:					
Office of the Chief Economist.....	17,777	17,592	18,917	+1,140	+1,325
Office of Hearings and Appeals.....	13,317	13,481	13,399	+82	-82
Office of Budget and Program Analysis.....	9,392	9,525	9,525	+133	---
Subtotal, Executive Operations.....	40,486	40,598	41,841	+1,355	+1,243
Office of the Chief Information Officer.....	44,538	65,716	49,538	+5,000	-16,178
Office of the Chief Financial Officer.....	6,028	9,119	8,028	+2,000	-1,091
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights....	898	901	901	+3	---
Office of Civil Rights.....	24,070	24,750	24,206	+136	-544
Building and Facilities					
Agriculture Buildings and Facilities.....	64,189	84,365	84,189	+20,000	-176
Hazardous materials management.....	3,618	3,633	3,633	+15	---
Office of Inspector General.....	95,738	100,998	98,208	+2,470	-2,790
Office of the General Counsel.....	44,383	49,599	44,697	+314	-4,902
Office of Ethics.....	3,654	4,617	4,136	+482	-481
Total, Departmental Administration.....	373,157	448,699	403,932	+30,775	-44,767
Office of the Under Secretary for Research, Education, and Economics.....	893	901	893	---	-8
Economic Research Service.....	85,373	91,278	86,757	+1,384	-4,521
National Agricultural Statistics Service.....	168,443	176,639	171,239	+2,796	-5,400
Census of Agriculture.....	(42,177)	(42,177)	(42,177)	---	---

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Agricultural Research Service:					
Salaries and expenses.....	1,143,825	1,161,340	1,170,235	+26,410	+8,895
Buildings and facilities.....	212,101	94,500	99,600	-112,501	+5,100
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Total, Agricultural Research Service.....	1,355,926	1,255,840	1,269,835	-86,091	+13,995
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National Institute of Food and Agriculture:					
National Institute of Food and Agriculture (leg. proposal).....	---	1,373,974	---	---	-1,373,974
Research and education activities.....	819,685	---	849,518	+29,833	+849,518
Native American Institutions Endowment Fund.....	(11,880)	(11,880)	(11,880)	---	---
Hispanic-Serving Agricultural Colleges and Universities Endowment Fund.....	---	(10,000)	---	---	(-10,000)
Extension activities.....	475,891	---	477,391	+1,500	+477,391
Integrated activities.....	30,900	---	36,000	+5,100	+36,000
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Total, National Institute of Food and Agriculture.....	1,326,476	1,373,974	1,362,909	+36,433	-11,065
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Office of the Under Secretary for Marketing and Regulatory Programs.....	893	901	901	+8	---
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Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service:					
Salaries and expenses.....	894,415	901,196	946,212	+51,797	+45,016
Buildings and facilities.....	3,175	3,175	3,175	---	---
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Total, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.....	897,590	904,371	949,387	+51,797	+45,016

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Agricultural Marketing Service:					
Marketing Services.....	81,223	81,933	84,933	+3,710	+3,000
Standardization activities (user fees) .....	(65,000)	(65,000)	(65,000)	---	---
(Limitation on administrative expenses, from fees collected).....	(60,982)	(61,227)	(61,227)	(+245)	---
Funds for strengthening markets, income, and supply (Section 32):					
Permanent, Section 32.....	1,303,000	1,322,000	1,322,000	+19,000	---
Marketing agreements and orders (transfer from section 32).....	(20,489)	(20,705)	(20,705)	(+216)	---
Payments to States and Possessions.....	1,235	1,235	1,235	---	---
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Total, Agricultural Marketing Service program...	1,446,440	1,466,395	1,469,395	+22,955	+3,000
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Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration:					
Salaries and expenses.....	43,057	43,482	43,482	+425	---
Limitation on inspection and weighing services....	(55,000)	(57,500)	(55,000)	---	(-2,500)
Office of the Under Secretary for Food Safety.....	816	819	819	+3	---
Food Safety and Inspection Service.....	1,014,871	1,030,405	1,032,062	+17,191	+1,657
Lab accreditation fees.....	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	---	---
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Total, Production, Processing, and Marketing....	6,652,953	6,732,477	6,730,384	+77,431	-2,093
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Farm Assistance Programs					
Office of the Under Secretary for Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services.....	898	901	901	+3	---
Farm Service Agency:					
Salaries and expenses.....	1,200,180	1,209,751	1,206,110	+5,930	-3,641
(Transfer from Food for Peace (P.L. 480)).....	(2,528)	(149)	(149)	(-2,379)	---
(Transfer from export loans).....	(354)	(2,463)	(2,463)	(+2,109)	---
(Transfer from ACIF).....	(306,998)	(306,998)	(306,998)	---	---
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Subtotal, transfers from program accounts.....	(309,880)	(309,610)	(309,610)	(-270)	---
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Total, Salaries and expenses.....	(1,510,060)	(1,519,361)	(1,515,720)	(+5,660)	(-3,641)
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State mediation grants.....	3,404	3,404	3,904	+500	+500
Grassroots source water protection program.....	6,500	---	6,500	---	+6,500
Dairy indemnity program.....	500	500	500	---	---
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Subtotal, Farm Service Agency.....	1,210,584	1,213,655	1,217,014	+6,430	+3,359

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Agricultural Credit Insurance Fund (ACIF) Program					
Account:					
Loan authorizations:					
Farm ownership loans:					
Direct.....	(1,500,000)	(1,500,000)	(1,500,000)	---	---
Guaranteed.....	(2,000,000)	(2,000,000)	(2,750,000)	(+750,000)	(+750,000)
Subtotal.....	(3,500,000)	(3,500,000)	(4,250,000)	(+750,000)	(+750,000)
Farm operating loans:					
Direct.....	(1,252,004)	(1,460,047)	(1,530,000)	(+277,996)	(+69,953)
Unsubsidized guaranteed.....	(1,393,443)	(1,432,430)	(1,960,000)	(+566,557)	(+527,570)
Subtotal.....	(2,645,447)	(2,892,477)	(3,490,000)	(+844,553)	(+597,523)
Emergency loans.....	(34,667)	(22,576)	(22,576)	(-12,091)	---
Indian tribe land acquisition loans.....	(2,000)	(20,000)	(20,000)	(+18,000)	---
Conservation loans:					
Guaranteed.....	(150,000)	(150,000)	(150,000)	---	---
Indian Highly Fractionated Land Loans.....	(10,000)	(10,000)	(10,000)	---	---
Boll weevil eradication loans.....	(60,000)	(60,000)	(60,000)	---	---
Total, Loan authorizations.....	(6,402,114)	(6,655,053)	(8,002,576)	(+1,600,462)	(+1,347,523)

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Loan subsidies:					
Farm operating loans:					
Direct.....	53,961	62,198	65,178	+11,217	+2,980
Unsubsidized guaranteed.....	14,352	15,327	20,972	+6,620	+5,645
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Subtotal.....	68,313	77,525	86,150	+17,837	+8,625
Emergency Loans.....	1,262	1,262	1,262	---	---
Individual Development Account Grants ....	---	1,500	---	---	-1,500
Indian Highly Fractionated Land Loans.....	---	2,550	2,550	+2,550	---
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Total, Loan subsidies and grants.....	69,575	82,837	89,962	+20,387	+7,125
ACIF administrative expenses:					
Salaries and Expenses (transfer to FSA)...	306,998	306,998	306,998	---	---
Administrative expenses.....	7,920	10,070	10,070	+2,150	---
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Total, ACIF expenses.....	314,918	317,068	317,068	+2,150	---
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Total, Agricultural Credit Insurance Fund...	384,493	399,905	407,030	+22,537	+7,125
(Loan authorization).....	(6,402,114)	(6,655,053)	(8,002,576)	(+1,600,462)	(+1,347,523)
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Total, Farm Service Agency.....	1,595,077	1,613,560	1,624,044	+28,967	+10,484

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Risk Management Agency:					
RMA Salaries and Expenses.....	74,829	66,615	74,829	---	+8,214
FCIC User Fee (transfer) (leg. proposal).....	---	(20,000)	---	---	(-20,000)
Subtotal, Risk Management Agency.....	74,829	86,615	74,829	---	-11,786
Total, Farm Assistance Programs.....	1,670,804	1,681,076	1,699,774	+28,970	+18,698
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Corporations					
Federal Crop Insurance Corporation:					
Federal crop insurance corporation fund.....	7,857,970	8,839,089	8,667,000	+809,030	-172,089
Commodity Credit Corporation Fund:					
Reimbursement for net realized losses.....	6,871,132	13,476,854	21,290,712	+14,419,580	+7,813,858
Hazardous waste management (limitation on expenses).....	(5,000)	(5,000)	(5,000)	---	---
Total, Corporations.....	14,729,102	22,315,943	29,957,712	+15,228,610	+7,641,769
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Total, Title I, Agricultural Programs.....	23,052,859	30,729,496	38,387,870	+15,335,011	+7,658,374
(By transfer).....	(330,369)	(330,315)	(330,315)	(-54)	---
(Loan authorization).....	(6,402,114)	(6,655,053)	(8,002,576)	(+1,600,462)	(+1,347,523)
(Limitation on administrative expenses).....	(120,982)	(123,727)	(121,227)	(+245)	(-2,500)

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<b>TITLE II - CONSERVATION PROGRAMS</b>					
Office of the Under Secretary for Natural Resources and Environment.....	898	901	901	+3	---
Natural Resources Conservation Service:					
Conservation Operations.....	850,856	860,374	864,474	+13,618	+4,100
Farm Security and Rural Investment program (transfer authority).....	---	(1,033,983)	---	---	(-1,033,983)
Total, Conservation operations.....	850,856	1,894,357	864,474	+13,618	-1,029,883
Watershed flood and prevention operations.....	---	---	150,000	+150,000	+150,000
Watershed rehabilitation program.....	12,000	---	12,000	---	+12,000
Total, Natural Resources Conservation Service...	862,856	860,374	1,026,474	+163,618	+166,100
Total, Title II, Conservation Programs.....	863,754	861,275	1,027,375	+163,621	+166,100

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<b>TITLE III - RURAL DEVELOPMENT</b>					
Office of the Under Secretary for Rural Development...	893	896	896	+3	---
Rural Development:					
Rural development expenses:					
Salaries and expenses.....	225,835	230,679	225,835	---	-4,844
(Transfer from RHIF).....	(417,854)	(426,821)	(412,254)	(-5,600)	(-14,567)
(Transfer from RDLFP).....	(4,468)	(4,564)	(4,468)	---	(-96)
(Transfer from RETLP).....	(34,707)	(36,451)	(33,270)	(-1,437)	(-3,181)
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Subtotal, Transfers from program accounts.	(457,029)	(467,836)	(449,992)	(-7,037)	(-17,844)
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Total, Rural development expenses.....	(682,864)	(698,515)	(675,827)	(-7,037)	(-22,688)
Rural Housing Service:					
Rural Housing Insurance Fund Program Account:					
Loan authorizations:					
Single family direct (Sec. 502).....	(900,000)	(900,000)	(1,000,000)	(+100,000)	(+100,000)
Unsubsidized guaranteed.....	(24,000,000)	(24,000,000)	(24,000,000)	---	---
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Subtotal, Single family.....	(24,900,000)	(24,900,000)	(25,000,000)	(+100,000)	(+100,000)

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Housing repair (Sec. 504).....	(26,278)	(26,277)	(26,278)	---	(+1)
Rental housing (Sec. 515).....	(28,398)	(33,074)	(35,000)	(+6,602)	(+1,926)
Multi-family housing guarantees (Sec. 538)	(150,000)	(230,000)	(230,000)	(+80,000)	---
Site development loans (Sec. 524).....	(5,000)	(5,000)	(5,000)	---	---
Single family housing credit sales.....	(10,000)	(10,000)	(10,000)	---	---
Self-help housing land develop. (Sec. 523)	(5,000)	(5,000)	(5,000)	---	---
Farm Labor Housing (Sec.514).....	(23,855)	(23,857)	(23,855)	---	(-2)
<b>Total, Loan authorizations.....</b>	<b>(25,148,531)</b>	<b>(25,233,208)</b>	<b>(25,335,133)</b>	<b>(+186,602)</b>	<b>(+101,925)</b>
<b>Loan subsidies:</b>					
Single family direct (Sec. 502).....	60,750	60,930	67,700	+6,950	+6,770
Housing repair (Sec. 504).....	3,424	3,663	3,663	+239	---
Rental housing (Sec. 515).....	8,414	9,790	10,360	+1,946	+570
Site development loans (Sec. 524) (leg. proposal).....	---	111	111	+111	---
Farm labor housing (Sec.514).....	6,789	7,052	7,051	+262	-1
Self-help land dev. housing loans (Sec. 523) (leg. proposal).....	---	417	417	+417	---
<b>Total, Loan subsidies.....</b>	<b>79,377</b>	<b>81,963</b>	<b>89,302</b>	<b>+9,925</b>	<b>+7,339</b>
Farm labor housing grants.....	8,336	8,336	8,336	---	---
RHIF administrative expenses (transfer to RD).	417,854	426,821	412,254	-5,600	-14,567
<b>Total, Rural Housing Insurance Fund program. (Loan authorization).....</b>	<b>505,567 (25,148,531)</b>	<b>517,120 (25,233,208)</b>	<b>509,892 (25,335,133)</b>	<b>+4,325 (+186,602)</b>	<b>-7,228 (+101,925)</b>

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Rental assistance program:					
Rental assistance (Sec. 521).....	1,389,695	1,405,033	1,405,033	+15,338	---
Multi-Family Housing Revitalization Program Account:					
Rural housing voucher program.....	15,000	18,000	19,400	+4,400	+1,400
Multi-family housing revitalization program.....	22,000	19,362	22,000	---	+2,638
Total, Multi-family housing revitalization..	37,000	37,362	41,400	+4,400	+4,038
Mutual and self-help housing grants.....	27,500	18,493	30,000	+2,500	+11,507
Rural housing assistance grants.....	32,239	28,701	33,701	+1,462	+5,000
Rural community facilities program account:					
Loan authorizations:					
Community facility:					
Direct.....	(2,200,000)	(2,200,000)	(2,600,000)	(+400,000)	(+400,000)
Guaranteed.....	(148,305)	---	(148,305)	---	(+148,305)
Total, Loan authorizations.....	(2,348,305)	(2,200,000)	(2,748,305)	(+400,000)	(+548,305)
Loan subsidies and grants:					
Community facility:					
Guaranteed.....	3,500	---	3,322	-178	+3,322
Grants.....	25,000	25,000	30,000	+5,000	+5,000

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Rural community development initiative....	4,000	4,000	4,000	---	---
Economic impact initiative grants.....	5,778	---	5,778	---	+5,778
Tribal college grants.....	4,000	8,000	4,000	---	-4,000
<b>Total, RCFP Loan subsidies and grants...</b>	<b>42,278</b>	<b>37,000</b>	<b>47,100</b>	<b>+4,822</b>	<b>+10,100</b>
<b>Subtotal, grants and payments.....</b>	<b>102,017</b>	<b>84,194</b>	<b>110,801</b>	<b>+8,784</b>	<b>+26,607</b>
<b>Total, Rural Housing Service.....</b>	<b>2,034,279</b>	<b>2,043,709</b>	<b>2,067,126</b>	<b>+32,847</b>	<b>+23,417</b>
(Loan authorization).....	(27,496,836)	(27,433,208)	(28,083,438)	(+586,602)	(+650,230)
<b>Rural Business--Cooperative Service:</b>					
<b>Rural Business Program Account:</b>					
(Guaranteed business and industry loans).....	(919,765)	(892,244)	(919,765)	---	(+27,521)
<b>Loan subsidies and grants:</b>					
Guaranteed business and industry subsidy..	35,687	35,779	35,319	-368	-460
Rural business development grants.....	24,000	30,000	24,000	---	-6,000
Demonstration Projects (rural child poverty) (leg. proposal).....	---	20,000	---	---	-20,000
Data Alignment (rural child poverty) (leg. proposal).....	---	5,000	---	---	-5,000
Delta regional authority.....	3,000	---	6,000	+3,000	+6,000
<b>Total, RBP loan subsidies and grants.....</b>	<b>62,687</b>	<b>90,779</b>	<b>65,319</b>	<b>+2,632</b>	<b>-25,460</b>
<b>Intermediary Relending Program Fund Account:</b>					
(Loan authorization).....	(18,889)	(18,889)	(18,889)	---	---
Loan subsidy.....	5,217	5,476	5,476	+259	---

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Administrative expenses (transfer to RD).....	4,468	4,564	4,468	---	-96
Total, IRP Fund.....	9,685	10,040	9,944	+259	-96
Rural Economic Development Loans Program Account:					
(Loan authorization).....	(33,077)	(85,000)	(42,213)	(+9,136)	(-42,787)
Limit cushion of credit interest spending.....	(179,000)	(151,487)	(132,000)	(-47,000)	(-19,487)
(Rescission).....	-179,000	-151,487	-132,000	+47,000	+19,487
Rural Cooperative Development Grants:					
Cooperative development.....	5,800	6,000	5,800	---	-200
Appropriate Technology Transfer for Rural Areas.....	2,500	2,500	2,750	+250	+250
Grants to assist minority producers.....	3,000	3,000	3,000	---	---
Value-added agricultural product market development.....	10,750	10,750	15,000	+4,250	+4,250
Total, Rural Cooperative development grants.	22,050	22,250	26,550	+4,500	+4,300
Rural Microenterprise Investment Program Account (leg. proposal):					
(Loan authorization) .....	---	(23,419)	---	---	(-23,419)
Loan subsidies and grants.....	---	4,904	---	---	-4,904
Total, Rural Microenterprise Investment.....	---	4,904	---	---	-4,904

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Rural Energy for America Program					
(Loan authorization).....	(7,576)	(75,754)	(7,576)	---	(-68,178)
Loan subsidy and grants.....	500	3,515	352	-148	-3,163
Grants.....	---	15,000	---	---	-15,000
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Total, Rural Energy for America Program.....	500	18,515	352	-148	-18,163
Rural Business Investment Program Account (leg. proposal):					
(Loan authorization).....	---	(20,600)	---	---	(-20,600)
Loan subsidy .....	---	2,577	---	---	-2,577
Grants.....	---	4,000	---	---	-4,000
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Total, Rural Business Investment Program...	---	6,577	---	---	-6,577
Healthy Foods Financing Initiative (leg. proposal):					
Grants.....	---	1,000	---	---	-1,000
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Total, Healthy Foods, Healthy Neighborhoods	---	1,000	---	---	-1,000
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Total, Rural Business-Cooperative Service.....	-84,078	2,578	-29,835	+54,243	-32,413
(Loan authorization).....	(979,307)	(1,115,906)	(988,443)	(+9,136)	(-127,463)
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Rural Utilities Service:					
Rural water and waste disposal program account:					
Loan authorizations:					
Direct.....	(1,200,000)	(803,802)	(1,200,000)	---	(+396,198)
Guaranteed.....	(50,000)	---	(50,000)	---	(+50,000)
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Total, Loan authorization.....	1,250,000	803,802	1,250,000	---	+446,198
Loan subsidies and grants:					
Direct subsidy.....	31,320	34,885	52,080	+20,760	+17,195
Guaranteed subsidy.....	275	---	240	-35	+240
Water and waste revolving fund.....	1,000	500	1,000	---	+500
Water well system grants.....	993	500	993	---	+493
Colonias and AK/HI grants.....	64,000	42,544	64,000	---	+21,456
Water and waste technical assistance.....	20,000	13,930	20,000	---	+6,070
Circuit rider program.....	16,397	13,000	16,897	+500	+3,897
Solid waste management grants.....	4,000	1,000	4,000	---	+3,000
High energy cost grants.....	10,000	---	10,000	---	+10,000
Water and waste disposal grants.....	364,380	350,234	391,980	+27,600	+41,746
306A(i)(2) grants .....	10,000	5,000	10,000	---	+5,000
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Total, Loan subsidies and grants.....	522,365	461,593	571,190	+48,825	+109,597
Rural Electrification and Telecommunications Loans Program Account:					
Loan authorizations:					
Electric:					
Direct, FFB.....	(5,500,000)	(6,500,000)	(5,500,000)	---	(-1,000,000)

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Guaranteed underwriting.....	(750,000)	---	(750,000)	---	(+750,000)
Subtotal, Electric.....	(6,250,000)	(6,500,000)	(6,250,000)	---	(-250,000)
Telecommunications:					
Direct, Treasury rate.....	(690,000)	(345,000)	(345,000)	(-345,000)	---
Direct, FFB.....	---	(345,056)	(345,000)	(+345,000)	(-56)
Subtotal, Telecommunications.....	(690,000)	(690,056)	(690,000)	---	(-56)
Total, Loan authorizations.....	(6,940,000)	(7,190,056)	(6,940,000)	---	(-250,056)
Loan Subsidy:					
Telecommunications Direct, Treasury Rate.....	104	3,071	3,071	+2,967	---
Loan Modifications (leg. proposal).....	---	11,000	---	---	-11,000
Total, Loan subsidies.....	104	14,071	3,071	+2,967	-11,000
RETLP administrative expenses (transfer to RD)	34,707	36,451	33,270	-1,437	-3,181
Total, Rural Electrification and Telecommunications Loans Program Account.. (Loan authorization).....	34,811 (6,940,000)	50,522 (7,190,056)	36,341 (6,940,000)	+1,530 ---	-14,181 (-250,056)

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Distance learning, telemedicine, and broadband program:					
Loan authorizations:					
Broadband telecommunications.....	(20,576)	---	(27,043)	(+6,467)	(+27,043)
Total, Loan authorizations.....	(20,576)	---	(27,043)	(+6,467)	(+27,043)
Loan subsidies and grants:					
Distance learning and telemedicine:					
Grants.....	22,000	34,950	26,600	+4,600	-8,350
Broadband telecommunications:					
Direct.....	4,500	---	4,500	---	+4,500
Grants.....	10,372	39,492	34,500	+24,128	-4,992
Total, Loan subsidies and grants.....	36,872	74,442	65,600	+28,728	-8,842
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Total, Rural Utilities Service.....	594,048	586,557	673,131	+79,083	+86,574
(Loan authorization).....	(8,210,576)	(7,993,858)	(8,217,043)	(+6,467)	(+223,185)
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Total, Title III, Rural Development Programs....	2,770,977	2,864,419	2,937,153	+166,176	+72,734
(By transfer).....	(457,029)	(467,836)	(449,992)	(-7,037)	(-17,844)
(Loan authorization).....	(36,686,719)	(36,542,972)	(37,288,924)	(+602,205)	(+745,952)
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<b>TITLE IV - DOMESTIC FOOD PROGRAMS</b>					
Office of the Under Secretary for Food, Nutrition and Consumer Services.....	811	814	814	+3	---
Food and Nutrition Service:					
Child nutrition programs .....	22,108,746	23,148,733	22,745,982	+637,236	-402,751
School breakfast program equipment grants.....	25,000	35,000	25,000	---	-10,000
Demonstration projects (Summer EBT).....	16,000	26,000	23,000	+7,000	-3,000
Summer Food Service Program (leg. proposal)...	---	10,000	---	---	-10,000
Direct Certification (leg. proposal).....	---	10,000	---	---	-10,000
Child Nutrition State Exchange Activities (leg. proposal).....	---	1,000	---	---	-1,000
Total, Child nutrition programs.....	22,149,746	23,230,733	22,793,982	+644,236	-436,751
Special supplemental nutrition program for women, infants, and children (WIC).....	6,350,000	6,350,000	6,350,000	---	---
Supplemental nutrition assistance program: (Food stamp program).....	77,848,385	76,681,170	75,479,696	-2,368,689	-1,201,474
Reserve.....	3,000,000	5,000,000	3,000,000	---	-2,000,000
FDPIR nutrition education services.....	998	998	998	---	---
National food consumption survey (leg. proposal).....	---	5,000	---	---	-5,000

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Traditional and Local Foods Demonstration					
Project (leg. proposal).....	---	2,000	---	---	-2,000
FY 2018 (first quarter) (leg. proposal).....	---	19,647,500	---	---	-19,647,500
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Total, Food stamp program.....	80,849,383	101,336,668	78,480,694	-2,368,689	-22,855,974
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Fiscal year 2017.....	(80,849,383)	(81,689,168)	(78,480,694)	(-2,368,689)	(-3,208,474)
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Commodity assistance program:					
Commodity supplemental food program.....	222,198	236,120	236,120	+13,922	---
Farmers market nutrition program.....	18,548	16,548	18,548	---	+2,000
Emergency food assistance program.....	54,401	59,401	59,401	+5,000	---
Pacific island and disaster assistance.....	1,070	1,070	1,070	---	---
CR Anomaly, CSFP (P.L. 114-223, sec. 117).....	---	---	---	---	---
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Total, Commodity assistance program.....	296,217	313,139	315,139	+18,922	+2,000
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Nutrition programs administration.....	150,824	179,447	170,716	+19,892	-8,731
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Total, Food and Nutrition Service.....	109,796,170	131,409,987	108,110,531	-1,685,639	-23,299,456
FY 2017.....	(109,796,170)	(111,762,487)	(108,110,531)	(-1,685,639)	(-3,651,956)
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Total, Title IV, Domestic Food Programs.....	109,796,981	131,410,801	108,111,345	-1,685,636	-23,299,456
FY 2017.....	(109,796,170)	(111,762,487)	(108,110,531)	(-1,685,639)	(-3,651,956)
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TITLE V - FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AND RELATED PROGRAMS					
Foreign Agricultural Service					
Salaries and expenses.....	191,566	196,571	196,571	+5,005	---
(Transfer from export loans).....	(6,394)	(6,074)	(6,074)	(-320)	---
Total, Salaries and expenses.....	197,960	202,645	202,645	+4,685	---
Food for Peace Title I Direct Credit and Food for Progress Program Account, Administrative Expenses Farm Service Agency, Salaries and expenses (transfer to FSA).....	2,528	149	149	-2,379	---
Food for Peace Title II Grants: Expenses.....	1,466,000	1,350,000	1,466,000	---	+116,000

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Commodity Credit Corporation Export Loans					
Program Account (administrative expenses):					
Salaries and expenses (Export Loans):					
Foreign Agriculture Service, S&E (transfer to FAS).....	6,394	6,074	6,074	-320	---
Farm Service Agency S&E (transfer to FSA).....	354	2,463	2,463	+2,109	---
Total, CCC Export Loans Program Account.....	6,748	8,537	8,537	+1,789	---
McGovern-Dole International Food for Education and Child Nutrition program grants.....	201,626	182,045	201,626	---	+19,581
Local and Regional Food Aid Procurement Program (leg. proposal).....	---	15,000	---	---	-15,000
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Total, Title V, Foreign Assistance and Related Programs.....	1,868,468	1,752,302	1,872,883	+4,415	+120,581
(By transfer).....	(6,394)	(6,074)	(6,074)	(-320)	---
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TITLE VI - RELATED AGENCIES AND FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION					
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES					
Food and Drug Administration					
Salaries and expenses, direct appropriation.....	2,720,808	2,730,924	2,759,378	+38,570	+28,454
Prescription drug user fees.....	(851,481)	(865,653)	(754,524)	(-96,957)	(-111,129)
Medical device user fees.....	(137,677)	(144,859)	(126,083)	(-11,594)	(-18,776)
Human generic drug user fees .....	(318,363)	(324,085)	(323,011)	(+4,648)	(-1,074)
Biosimilar biological products user fees .....	(21,540)	(22,079)	(22,079)	(+539)	---
Animal drug user fees.....	(22,818)	(22,977)	(23,673)	(+855)	(+696)
Animal generic drug user fees .....	(9,705)	(10,367)	(11,341)	(+1,636)	(+974)
Tobacco product user fees .....	(599,000)	(635,000)	(635,000)	(+36,000)	---
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Subtotal, user fees, enacted and definite.....	(1,960,584)	(2,025,020)	(1,895,711)	(-64,873)	(-129,309)
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Subtotal (including user fees).....	(4,681,392)	(4,755,944)	(4,655,089)	(-26,303)	(-100,855)

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Mammography user fees.....	(20,109)	(21,000)	(20,522)	(+413)	(-478)
Export and color certification user fees.....	(13,835)	---	(14,378)	(+543)	(+14,378)
Food and Feed Recall user fees.....	(1,434)	(1,000)	(1,434)	---	(+434)
Food Reinspection fees.....	(6,414)	(6,000)	(6,414)	---	(+414)
Voluntary qualified importer program fees.....	(5,300)	(5,000)	(5,300)	---	(+300)
Pharmacy compounding fees (CBO estimate).....	(1,000)	---	(1,370)	(+370)	(+1,370)
Priority review vouchers (PRV) pediatric disease..	(7,686)	(7,686)	(7,686)	---	---
Third party auditor.....	(1,400)	(1,400)	(1,400)	---	---
Subtotal, FDA user fees.....	(2,017,762)	(2,067,106)	(1,954,215)	(-63,547)	(-112,891)
Subtotal, FDA (including user fees).....	(4,738,570)	(4,798,030)	(4,713,593)	(-24,977)	(-84,437)
FDA New User Fees (Leg. proposals):					
Export and color certification user fees cap increase (leg. proposal).....	---	(4,280)	---	---	(-4,280)
Food Inspection and Facility Registration user fees.....	---	(61,252)	---	---	(-61,252)
Food import user fees.....	---	(105,289)	---	---	(-105,289)
International courier user fees.....	---	(6,038)	---	---	(-6,038)
Cosmetic user fees.....	---	(20,230)	---	---	(-20,230)
Food contact substance notification user fees...	---	(5,193)	---	---	(-5,193)
Subtotal, FDA new user fees (Leg Proposals).	---	(202,282)	---	---	(-202,282)

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Buildings and facilities.....	8,788	11,788	11,788	+3,000	---
Total, FDA (w/user fees, including proposals)...	(4,747,358)	(5,012,100)	(4,725,381)	(-21,977)	(-286,719)
Total, FDA (w/enacted user fees only).....	(4,747,358)	(4,814,098)	(4,725,381)	(-21,977)	(-88,717)
Total, FDA (excluding user fees).....	2,729,596	2,742,712	2,771,166	+41,570	+28,454
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INDEPENDENT AGENCIES					
Commodity Futures Trading Commission 1/.....	250,000	330,000	---	-250,000	-330,000
Farm Credit Administration (limitation on administrative expenses).....	(65,600)	(69,800)	(68,600)	(+3,000)	(-1,200)
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Total, Title VI, Related Agencies and Food and Drug Administration.....	2,979,596	3,072,712	2,771,166	-208,430	-301,546
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TITLE VII - GENERAL PROVISIONS					
Limit Dam Rehab (Sec.714(1)).....	-68,000	---	-54,000	+14,000	-54,000
(rescission).....	---	-54,000	---	---	+54,000
Limit Environmental Quality Incentives Program (Sec.714(2)).....	-209,000	---	-179,000	+30,000	-179,000
Limit Environmental Quality Incentives Program FY16 (Sec. 714 (2)) (rescission).....	---	---	---	---	---
Limit Biomass Crop Assistance Program (Sec.714(3))....	-20,000	---	-20,000	---	-20,000
Limit Biorefinery Assistance (Sec.714(4)).....	-19,000	---	-20,000	-1,000	-20,000
Limit Conservation Stewardship Program (Sec. 714 (5)).	---	---	---	---	---
Limit Ag Management Assistance (Sec. 714 (6)).....	---	---	-2,000	-2,000	-2,000

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Limit fruit and vegetable program (Sec.715).....	-125,000	-125,000	-125,000	---	---
Section 32 (Sec.715) (rescission).....	-216,000	-311,000	-231,000	-15,000	+80,000
APHIS B&F - Fruit Fly Rearing (Sec. 743).....	---	---	47,000	+47,000	+47,000
WIC (rescission) (Sec. 745).....	---	---	-850,000	-850,000	-850,000
TEFAP (Sec. 748).....	---	---	19,000	+19,000	+19,000
Ebola/Zika Funding (Sec. 752).....	---	---	10,000	+10,000	+10,000
Emergency Watershed Protection Program (Sec. 753).....	120,000	---	---	-120,000	---
Citrus Greening (Sec. 757).....	5,500	---	5,500	---	+5,500
RD balances (Sec. 758) (rescission) .....	---	-4,221	-3,951	-3,951	+270
Healthy Food Financing Initiative.....	---	---	1,000	+1,000	+1,000
FSA, CCE (rescission).....	-1,000	---	---	+1,000	---
RD unobligated balances (rescission).....	-13,000	---	---	+13,000	---
Marketing Certificate CHIMP.....	5,000	---	---	-5,000	---
Watershed Flood and Prevention Program (rescission)...	-20,000	---	---	+20,000	---
Emergency Watershed .....	2,000	---	---	-2,000	---
Hardwood Trees (Reforestation Pilot Program).....	600	---	600	---	+600
Water Bank program .....	4,000	---	4,000	---	+4,000
Geographic Disadvantaged farmers .....	1,996	---	1,996	---	+1,996
Emergency Forest Restoration Program.....	4,000	---	---	-4,000	---
Emergency Conservation Program.....	17,000	---	28,651	+11,651	+28,651

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Emergency Watershed Protection (disaster relief category).....	37,000	---	---	-37,000	---
Emergency Forestry Restoration Program (disaster relief category).....	2,000	---	---	-2,000	---
Emergency Conservation Program (disaster relief category).....	91,000	---	---	-91,000	---
NAM Study.....	1,000	---	---	-1,000	---
Summer EBT.....	7,000	---	---	-7,000	---
School Equipment Grants.....	5,000	---	---	-5,000	---
Food for Peace.....	250,000	---	134,000	-116,000	+134,000
Rural Energy Savings Program.....	8,000	---	8,000	---	+8,000
Maturing mortgage pilot.....	---	---	1,000	+1,000	+1,000
FSA ARC pilot.....	---	---	5,000	+5,000	+5,000
NIFA Military Veteran Grants.....	---	---	5,000	+5,000	+5,000
Electric Loan Refinancing.....	---	---	13,800	+13,800	+13,800
STEM Program.....	---	---	500	+500	+500
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Total, Title VII, General Provisions.....	-129,904	-494,221	-1,199,904	-1,070,000	-705,683
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Grand total.....	141,202,731	170,196,784	153,907,888	+12,705,157	-16,288,896
Appropriations fiscal year 2017.....	(141,501,731)	(151,069,992)	(155,124,839)	(+13,623,108)	(+4,054,847)
Disaster relief .....	(130,000)	---	---	(-130,000)	---
Rescissions.....	(-429,000)	(-520,708)	(-1,216,951)	(-787,951)	(-696,243)
Advance appropriations, FY 2017.....	---	(19,647,500)	---	---	(-19,647,500)
(By transfer).....	(793,792)	(804,225)	(786,381)	(-7,411)	(-17,844)
(Loan authorization).....	(43,088,833)	(43,198,025)	(45,291,500)	(+2,202,667)	(+2,093,475)
(Limitation on administrative expenses).....	(186,582)	(193,527)	(189,827)	(+3,245)	(-3,700)

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RECAPITULATION					
Title I - Agricultural programs.....	23,052,859	30,729,496	38,387,870	+15,335,011	+7,658,374
Mandatory.....	(16,032,602)	(23,638,443)	(31,280,212)	(+15,247,610)	(+7,641,769)
Discretionary.....	(7,020,257)	(7,091,053)	(7,107,658)	(+87,401)	(+16,605)
Title II - Conservation programs (discretionary).....	863,754	861,275	1,027,375	+163,621	+166,100
Title III - Rural development (discretionary).....	2,770,977	2,864,419	2,937,153	+166,176	+72,734
Title IV - Domestic food programs .....	109,796,981	131,410,801	108,111,345	-1,685,636	-23,299,456
Mandatory.....	(102,958,129)	(124,478,401)	(101,226,676)	(-1,731,453)	(-23,251,725)
Discretionary.....	(6,838,852)	(6,932,400)	(6,884,669)	(+45,817)	(-47,731)
Title V - Foreign assistance and related programs (discretionary).....	1,868,468	1,752,302	1,872,883	+4,415	+120,581
Title VI - Related agencies and Food and Drug Administration (discretionary) 1/.....	2,979,596	3,072,712	2,771,166	-208,430	-301,546
Title VII - General provisions (discretionary).....	-129,904	-494,221	-1,199,904	-1,070,000	-705,683
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Total .....	141,202,731	170,196,784	153,907,888	+12,705,157	-16,288,896
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