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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND RELATED  
AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS BILL, 1994

JULY 28 (legislative day, JUNE 30), 1993.—Ordered to be printed

Mr. BYRD, from the Committee on Appropriations,  
submitted the following

## REPORT

[To accompany H.R. 2520]

The Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred the bill (H.R. 2520) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes, reports the same to the Senate with various amendments and presents herewith information relative to the changes recommended:

AMOUNTS IN NEW BUDGET (OBLIGATIONAL) AUTHORITY, FISCAL  
YEAR 1994

Amount of bill passed by House .....	\$12,685,169,000
Amount of increase by Senate .....	662,541,000
<b>Total of bill as reported to Senate .....</b>	<b>13,347,710,000</b>
Estimates considered by House .....	13,617,688,000
Estimates considered by Senate .....	13,617,688,000
Below the budget estimate, 1994 .....	-269,978,000
Over appropriations, 1993 .....	+1,200,171,000

## MOVEMENTS, NATIONAL ZOOLOGICAL PARK

.....	\$7,833,000
.....	5,400,000
.....	5,400,000
.....	5,400,000

ends an appropriation of \$5,400,000 the estimate and the House allowance. The Committee includes \$800,000 for the aquatic trail exhibits, and \$3,600,000 for renovation projects at both the Rock Creek and Rock Creek (1,200,000) sites.

## RESTORATION OF BUILDINGS

.....	\$24,193,000
.....	24,000,000
.....	24,000,000
.....	24,000,000

ends an appropriation of \$24,000,000 for restoration of buildings, the same as the budget estimate.

## CONSTRUCTION

.....	\$16,687,000
.....	10,400,000
.....	10,400,000
.....	10,400,000

ends an appropriation of \$10,400,000 for the budget estimate and the House allowance, \$100,000 to complete design and begin site work at the American Indian Cultural Museum of the American Indian Cultural Museum, \$10,400,000 for general construction planning; construction, alterations, and modifications.

## NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES

.....	\$51,188,000
.....	51,018,000
.....	51,908,000
.....	51,908,000

ends \$51,908,000, an increase of \$178,000 above the budget estimate and the same as the House allowance. The Committee recommendation includes increases of \$1,000,000 for acquisition of art collections, for conservation programs, and an increase of \$690,000 in salaries, and contents to restore the property's security force, which would have been closed. In the future, the Committee will formulate the Gallery's budget on a biennial basis. This fiscal year, the administrative expenses were applied to the prior-year enacted

level for the Gallery, while other agencies were directed to apply these reductions to a base adjusted for inflation.

## REPAIR, RESTORATION, AND RENOVATION OF BUILDINGS

Appropriations, 1993 .....	\$3,531,000
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	2,831,000
House allowance .....	2,831,000
Committee recommendation .....	2,831,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$2,831,000, the same as the budget estimate and the House allowance.

## WOODROW WILSON INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR SCHOLARS

## SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriations, 1993 .....	\$6,252,000
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	6,252,000
House allowance .....	6,352,000
Committee recommendation .....	6,352,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$6,352,000, an increase of \$100,000 above the budget estimate and the same as the House allowance. This increase is to partially offset increased operating costs.

The table below shows the Committee recommendation and the budget estimate.

	Budget estimate	Committee recommendation	Change
Fellowship program .....	\$1,765,000	\$1,765,000	.....
Scholar support .....	687,000	697,000	+ \$10,000
Public service .....	897,000	897,000	.....
General administration .....	1,220,000	1,253,000	+ 33,000
Smithsonian fee .....	135,000	135,000	.....
Conference planning/outreach .....	1,074,000	1,131,000	+ 57,000
Space .....	474,000	474,000	.....
Total .....	6,252,000	6,352,000	+ 100,000

## NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

## NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS

## GRANTS AND ADMINISTRATION

Appropriations, 1993 .....	\$144,318,000
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	144,451,000
House allowance .....	137,228,000
Committee recommendation .....	140,836,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$140,836,000, a decrease of \$3,615,000 below the budget estimate and an increase of \$3,608,000 above the House allowance.

The following table provides a comparison of the budget estimates and the Committee recommendations:

	Budget estimate	Committee recommendation	Change
<b>Program grants:</b>			
Arts in education .....	\$7,300,000	\$7,300,000	
Dance .....	6,450,000	6,450,000	
Design arts .....	3,450,000	3,450,000	
Expansion arts .....	5,600,000	5,600,000	
Folk arts .....	3,000,000	3,250,000	+ \$250,000
Inter arts .....	4,995,000	4,995,000	
International .....	850,000	850,000	
Literature .....	4,325,000	4,325,000	
Media arts .....	8,200,000	7,950,000	- 250,000
Museums .....	7,600,000	7,600,000	
Music .....	6,550,000	6,550,000	
Opera/musical theater .....	3,150,000	3,150,000	
Local programs .....	2,115,000	2,115,000	
Theater .....	7,625,000	7,625,000	
Visual arts .....	5,125,000	5,125,000	
Advancement .....	1,350,000	1,350,000	
Challenge .....	300,000	300,000	
<b>Total, program grants .....</b>	<b>77,985,000</b>	<b>77,985,000</b>	
<b>State programs:</b>			
State grants .....	33,000,000	33,000,000	
State set-aside .....	9,000,000	9,000,000	
<b>Subtotal .....</b>	<b>42,000,000</b>	<b>42,000,000</b>	
<b>Administrative area:</b>			
Policy, planning, and research .....	700,000	700,000	
Administration .....	23,766,000	23,766,000	
<b>Subtotal, administrative areas .....</b>	<b>24,466,000</b>	<b>24,466,000</b>	
<b>General reduction .....</b>		<b>-3,615,000</b>	<b>- 3,615,000</b>
<b>Total, grants and administration .....</b>	<b>144,451,000</b>	<b>140,836,000</b>	<b>- 3,615,000</b>

The Committee recommends a total of \$170,228,000 for the National Endowment for the Arts, a decrease of \$4,365,000 from the budget estimate and an increase of \$4,365,000 above the House allowance. The Committee recommendation represents a decrease of \$4,232,000 below the fiscal year 1993 enacted level. This recommendation includes \$140,836,000 for grants and administration and \$29,392,000 for matching grants.

The Committee has recommended a transfer within the amounts proposed in the budget of \$250,000 from the Media Arts Program to the Folk Arts Program, so that more grants may be awarded for the traditional art forms.

The Endowment should submit a reprogramming identifying how the general reduction will be spread amongst all of the line items, including the effect on the formula programs and the administrative areas.

## MATCHING GRANTS

Appropriations, 1993 .....	
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	
House allowance .....	
Committee recommendation .....	

The Committee recommends an appropriate decrease of \$750,000 below the budget above the House allowance. Of this amount, matching grants and \$13,187,000 is for chair

## NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE GRANTS AND ADMINISTRATION

Appropriations, 1993 .....	
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	
House allowance .....	
Committee recommendation .....	

The Committee recommends an appropriate amount the same as the budget request and the following table provides a comparison of the budget and the Committee recommendation:

	Budget estimate
Humanities projects in media .....	\$10,358,000
Humanities projects in museums and historical organizations .....	10,000,000
Public humanities projects .....	2,500,000
Humanities projects in libraries and archives .....	2,500,000
Education programs .....	18,216,000
Fellowships and seminars .....	17,753,000
Research grants .....	17,886,000
State programs .....	28,258,000
Preservation and access .....	23,102,000
<b>Total, program funds .....</b>	<b>130,573,000</b>
Administration .....	20,727,000
<b>Total, grants and administration .....</b>	<b>151,300,000</b>

The Committee recommends a total of \$151,300,000 for grants and administration, a decrease of \$18,273,000 from the budget estimate and the House allowance. The recommendation includes \$130,573,000 for matching grants.

The Committee does not concur in the House budget request of \$250,000 within the Office of Preservation and the Newspaper Program to the National Heritage Area. The Committee understands that the Endowment has nearly \$1,000,000 in unobligated funds in the Preservation Program. These funds are to be used with the \$5,000,000 included for the NHP in the budget request. The newspaper program sup

Budget estimate	Committee recommendation	Change
\$7,300,000	\$7,300,000	
6,450,000	6,450,000	
3,450,000	3,450,000	
5,600,000	5,600,000	
3,000,000	3,250,000	+ \$250,000
4,995,000	4,995,000	
850,000	850,000	
4,325,000	4,325,000	
8,200,000	7,950,000	- 250,000
7,600,000	7,600,000	
6,550,000	6,550,000	
3,150,000	3,150,000	
2,115,000	2,115,000	
7,625,000	7,625,000	
5,125,000	5,125,000	
1,350,000	1,350,000	
300,000	300,000	
<b>77,985,000</b>	<b>77,985,000</b>	

33,000,000	33,000,000	
9,000,000	9,000,000	
<b>42,000,000</b>	<b>42,000,000</b>	
700,000	700,000	
23,766,000	23,766,000	
<b>24,466,000</b>	<b>24,466,000</b>	
	-3,615,000	-3,615,000
<b>144,451,000</b>	<b>140,836,000</b>	<b>-3,615,000</b>

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## MATCHING GRANTS

Appropriations, 1993 .....	\$30,142,000
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	30,142,000
House allowance .....	28,635,000
Committee recommendation .....	29,392,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$29,392,000, a decrease of \$750,000 below the budget estimate and \$757,000 above the House allowance. Of this amount, \$16,205,000 is for matching grants and \$13,187,000 is for challenge grants.

## NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES

## GRANTS AND ADMINISTRATION

Appropriations, 1993 .....	\$151,222,000
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	151,300,000
House allowance .....	151,300,000
Committee recommendation .....	151,300,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$151,300,000, the same as the budget request and the House allowance. The following table provides a comparison of the budget estimate and the Committee recommendation:

	Budget estimate	Committee recommendation	Change
Humanities projects in media .....	\$10,358,000	\$10,358,000	
Humanities projects in museums and historical or- ganizations .....	10,000,000	10,000,000	
Public humanities projects .....	2,500,000	2,500,000	
Humanities projects in libraries and archives .....	2,500,000	2,500,000	
Education programs .....	18,216,000	18,216,000	
Fellowships and seminars .....	17,753,000	17,753,000	
Research grants .....	17,886,000	17,886,000	
State programs .....	28,258,000	28,258,000	
Preservation and access .....	23,102,000	23,102,000	
<b>Total, program funds .....</b>	<b>130,573,000</b>	<b>130,573,000</b>	
Administration .....	20,727,000	20,727,000	
<b>Total, grants and administration .....</b>	<b>151,300,000</b>	<b>151,300,000</b>	

The Committee recommends a total of \$177,491,000 for the National Endowment for the Humanities, the same as the budget estimate and the House allowance. The recommendation includes \$151,300,000 for grants and administration and \$26,191,000 for matching grants.

The Committee does not concur in the House proposal to transfer \$250,000 within the Office of Preservation from the U.S. Newspaper Program to the National Heritage Preservation Program. The Committee understands that the Endowment expects to have nearly \$1,000,000 in unobligated funds in the National Heritage Preservation Program. These funds are to be used in conjunction with the \$5,000,000 included for the NHP in the fiscal year 1994 budget request. The newspaper program supports local efforts to lo-

cate, catalog, and microfilm their newspaper holdings in order to assist with research.

#### MATCHING GRANTS

Appropriations, 1993 .....	\$26,191,000
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	26,191,000
House allowance .....	26,191,000
Committee recommendation .....	26,191,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$26,191,000, the same as the budget request and the House allowance. Included in this mark is \$14,228,000 for Challenge grants and \$11,963,000 in Treasury funds for matching grants.

#### INSTITUTE OF MUSEUM SERVICES

Appropriations, 1993 .....	\$28,774,000
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	28,777,000
House allowance .....	28,777,000
Committee recommendation .....	28,777,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$28,777,000, the same as the House allowance and the budget request, and an increase of \$23,000 over the fiscal year 1993 enacted level.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

The Committee has deleted language proposed by the House that would prohibit the expenditure of funds for the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities.

#### COMMISSION OF FINE ARTS

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriations, 1993 .....	\$791,000
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	809,000
House allowance .....	805,000
Committee recommendation .....	805,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$805,000, a decrease of \$4,000 below the budget estimate and the same as the House allowance. The Committee recommendation provides an increase of \$14,000 above the fiscal year 1993 level. The recommended level provides for maintaining the payment to the Department of the Interior for administrative services at the fiscal year 1993 level.

#### NATIONAL CAPITAL ARTS AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

Appropriations, 1993 .....	\$7,000,000
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	7,189,000
House allowance .....	7,500,000
Committee recommendation .....	7,500,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$7,500,000, an increase of \$311,000 over the budget request, and the same as the House allowance. The increase provided by the Committee will fund the program at its authorized level and will partially offset an expected increase in successful grant applications.

#### ADVISORY COUNCIL ON HISTORIC

Appropriations, 1993 .....	
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	
House allowance .....	
Committee recommendation .....	

The Committee recommends an appropriate increase of \$150,000 above the request and allowance. The increase is associated with workload as a result of the 1992 amendment to the National Historic Preservation Act.

#### NATIONAL CAPITAL PLANNING (

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriations, 1993 .....	
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	
House allowance .....	
Committee recommendation .....	

The Committee recommends an appropriation the same as the budget estimate and the House allowance.

#### FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT MEMO

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriations, 1993 .....	
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	
House allowance .....	
Committee recommendation .....	

The Committee recommends an appropriation the same as the budget estimate and the House allowance.

#### PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE DEVELOPME

##### SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Appropriations, 1993 .....	
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	
House allowance .....	
Committee recommendation .....	

The Committee recommends an appropriation which is the same as the House allowance and the budget estimate.

#### PUBLIC DEVELOPMENT

Appropriations, 1993 .....	
Budget estimate, 1994 .....	
House allowance .....	
Committee recommendation .....	

The Committee recommends an appropriation for public development activities, a decrease of \$100,000 below the budget estimate and \$100,000 above the House allowance.

The Committee recommendation includes a new organizational position for oversight of the Federal Historic Preservation Corporation to work with the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation.