

DESIGNATION OF FUNDING AS AN EMERGENCY  
REQUIREMENT

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COMMUNICATION

FROM

**THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES**

TRANSMITTING

ACCOUNTS IN THE DISASTER RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2013,  
WITH FUNDING DESIGNATED BY THE PRESIDENT AS EMER-  
GENCY REQUIREMENTS



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THE WHITE HOUSE  
*Washington, January 29, 2013.*

Hon. JOHN BOEHNER,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives,*  
*Washington, DC.*

Dear Mr. Speaker: In accordance with section 902 of the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act, 2013, I hereby designate as emergency requirements all funding so designated by the Congress in the Act pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, as outlined in the enclosed list of accounts.

The details of this action are set forth in the enclosed letter from the Deputy Director for Management of the Office of Management and Budget.

Sincerely,

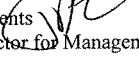
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OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20503

January 29, 2013

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Jeffrey D. Zients   
Deputy Director for Management

SUBJECT: Designation of Funding as an Emergency Requirement

Section 902 of the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act, 2013, provides that the availability of funding that is designated by the Congress in the Act as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended (BBEDCA), is contingent upon the President subsequently so designating all such amounts and transmitting such designations to the Congress.

These emergency funds include Federal resources for response, recovery, and mitigation efforts related to Hurricane Sandy damage in all affected States. I recommend that you designate as an emergency requirement all funding so designated by the Congress in the Act pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of BBEDCA, as outlined in the enclosed list of accounts. Upon transmittal of these designations to the Congress, these funds will be immediately available for obligation and expenditure. No further congressional action will be required.

The designation of these funds as emergency requirements allows for adjustments to the discretionary spending limits in fiscal year (FY) 2013, as specified in section 251(b)(2)(A) of BBEDCA. These adjustments will be reflected when the Office of Management and Budget submits its final sequestration report for FY 2013 under section 254(f) of BBEDCA, as modified by section 901(b) of the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012 (Public Law 112-240).

I have carefully reviewed this proposed action and am satisfied it is necessary at this time. Therefore, I recommend that you make the requested funds available by signing the enclosed letters to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate.

Enclosures

**Accounts in the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act, 2013, with Funding Designated by the President as Emergency Requirements**

**Department of Agriculture**

Domestic Food Programs, Food and Nutrition Service:

- Commodity Assistance Program

Office of the Secretary:

- Emergency Conservation Activities

Related Agencies:

- Forest Service, Capital Improvement and Maintenance

**Department of Commerce**

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration:

- Operations, Research, and Facilities
- Procurement, Acquisition, and Construction

**Department of Defense**

Operation and Maintenance:

- Operation and Maintenance, Army
- Operation and Maintenance, Navy
- Operation and Maintenance, Air Force
- Operation and Maintenance, Army National Guard
- Operation and Maintenance, Air National Guard

Procurement:

- Procurement of Ammunition, Army

Military Construction:

- Military Construction, Army National Guard

Revolving and Management Funds:

- Defense Working Capital Funds

**Department of Health and Human Services**

Office of the Secretary:

- Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund

**Department of Homeland Security**

United States Customs and Border Protection:

- Salaries and Expenses

United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement:

- Salaries and Expenses

United States Secret Service:

- Salaries and Expenses

Coast Guard:

- Acquisition, Construction, and Improvements

Federal Emergency Management Agency:

- Disaster Relief Fund
- Disaster Assistance Direct Loan Program Account

Science and Technology:

- Research, Development, Acquisition, and Operations

Domestic Nuclear Detection Office:

- Systems Acquisition

**Department of Housing and Urban Development**

Community Planning and Development:

- Community Development Fund

**Department of the Interior**

Fish and Wildlife Service:

- Construction

National Park Service:

- Construction
- Historic Preservation Fund

Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement:

- Oil Spill Research

Departmental Operations:

- Office of the Secretary

**Department of Justice**

Federal Bureau of Investigation:

- Salaries and Expenses

Drug Enforcement Administration:

- Salaries and Expenses

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives:

- Salaries and Expenses

Federal Prison System:

- Buildings and Facilities

**Department of Labor**

Employment and Training Administration:

- Training and Employment Services

**Department of Transportation**

Federal Aviation Administration:

- Facilities and Equipment (Airport and Airway Trust Fund)

Federal Highways Administration:

- Federal-Aid Highways, Emergency Relief Program

Federal Railroad Administration:

- Grants to the National Railroad Passenger Corporation

Federal Transit Administration:

- Public Transportation Emergency Relief Program

**Department of Veterans Affairs**

Veterans Health Administration:

- Medical Services
- Medical Facilities

National Cemetery Administration:

- National Cemetery Administration

Departmental Administration:

- Information Technology Systems
- Construction, Major Projects

**Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers-Civil**

- Investigations
- Operation and Maintenance
- Flood Control and Coastal Emergencies
- Expenses

**Environmental Protection Agency**

- Environmental Programs and Management
- Hazardous Substance Superfund
- Leaking Underground Storage Tank Fund
- State and Tribal Assistance Grants

**General Services Administration**

Real Property Activities:

- Federal Buildings Fund

**Science**

National Aeronautics and Space Administration:

- Construction and Environmental Compliance and Restoration

**Small Business Administration**

- Salaries and Expenses
- Office of Inspector General
- Disaster Loans Program Account

**Related Agencies**

Social Security Administration:

- Limitation on Administrative Expenses

Legal Services Corporation

- Payment to the Legal Services Corporation

**Other Related Agency**

Smithsonian Institution:

- Salaries and Expenses

