

In boxing, if you have a bout scheduled after the main event, you get very little attention. No matter how much effort the boxers put forth, after the main event nobody is interested. The main event is the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness. We would like to have the historically black colleges and universities there. We would like to have the Hispanic serving institutions there. We would like to have the tribal colleges there. All of the members of the Education Committee who are minorities, we happen to have on that committee four people who are African Americans, three people who are Hispanic Americans, two who are Asian Americans and one who is a Native American. We all pleaded with the Republican leaders of the committee to not do that because it appeared, one, to push the minorities out of the process of preparing for 21st century competitiveness, it appeared that way, and in reality we know from experience that when you separate out things, they are not treated equally. When they get more attention as an event that takes place after the main event, if they are not at the table when the funding is being discussed, when the appropriations are being discussed, they will not prevail.

That is just one of the kinds of blunders that we must worry about as we go into the 107th Congress. There is no crisis on the horizon which raises our level of adrenalin. We do not feel any intermediate emergency. We are a pretty smug, comfortable people, the American Nation at this point. It is an opportunity. We should not relax.

When President Bush talked about the angel in the whirlwind in his inaugural address, the angel in the whirlwind which always seemed to be there to guide America through crisis. If we stop and think, that has been the case. We have gone through numerous crises in this country. We have had leaders produced at just the right time, Thomas Jefferson, Abraham Lincoln, and Roosevelt whose decisiveness and vision and cleverness matched Adolf Hitler. Not only did he get us out of the Depression but he led the way to the defeat of fascism.

We have had critical periods in our history and had to rise to the occasion. Usually they were very physical kinds of challenges. The challenge we face now is different and it requires some creativity and some vision in terms of here we are in the midst of a peacetime prosperity with resources that are unparalleled. Never before in the history of mankind has a Nation existed as rich and powerful as America. If all we can do now is to declare war on our working families and go after their labor unions and undermine the structure for providing jobs and higher wages, if all we can do is do negative things like classify minorities in a special way, if those are the things we do, we will destroy our opportunity to overcome the problems that the Roman Empire finally faced.

We do not have to decline. This empire can go on and on forever, but it has to have a firm commitment and dedication to education. We must put the money and the resources behind our rhetoric.

President Bush, I congratulate you on the rhetoric. Now we have to get the resources for education to make education our number one priority in reality.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 333, BANKRUPTCY ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT OF 2001

Mr. SESSIONS (during the special order of Mr. OWENS), from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 107-4) on the resolution (H. Res. 71) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 333) to amend title 11, United States Code, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

REVISIONS TO ALLOCATION FOR HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under a previous order of the House, the gentleman from Iowa (Mr. NUSSLE) is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. NUSSLE Mr. Speaker, in accordance with section 219 of H. Con. Res. 290, I hereby submit for printing in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD adjustments to the section 302(a) allocation to the House Committee on Commerce, set forth in H. Rept. 106-577, to reflect \$15 million in additional new budget authority and outlays for fiscal year 2001 and \$250 million for the period of fiscal years 2001 through 2005.

Section 219 of H. Con. Res. 290 authorizes the Chairman of the House Budget Committee to increase the 302(a) allocation of the Committee on Commerce for legislation that provides Medicaid coverage for women diagnosed with cervical and breast cancer through the screening program of the Centers for Disease Control. Under the terms of section 219, the amount of the adjustment is in the amount of budget authority and outlays provided by such legislation, but may not exceed \$50 million in new budget authority and outlays for fiscal year 2001 and \$250 million in new budget authority and outlays for the period of fiscal years 2001 through 2005.

H.R. 4386, which became P.L. 106-345, provided funding for the specified purpose. Costs begin in fiscal year 2001 at \$15 million in new budget authority and outlays and total \$250 million in new budget authority and outlays over the period 2001-2005.

If you have any questions, please contact Dan Kowalski of my staff at 67270.

Mr. Speaker, in accordance with section 220 of H. Con. Res. 290, I hereby submit for printing in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD adjustments to the section 302(a) allocation to the House Committee on Agriculture, as revised, to reflect \$995 million in additional new budget authority and outlays for the period of fiscal years 2001 through 2005.

Section 220 of H. Con. Res. 290 authorizes the Chairman of the House Budget Committee to increase the 302(a) allocation of the Committee on Agriculture for legislation that provides for the stabilization of receipt-based payments to counties that support school and road systems and that provides for the dedication of a portion of those payments to local investments in Federal lands within such counties. Under the terms of section 220, the amount of the adjustment is in the amount of budget authority and outlays provided by such legislation, but may not exceed \$200 million in new budget authority and outlays for fiscal year 2001 and \$1.1 billion in new budget authority and outlays for the period of fiscal years 2001 through 2005.

H.R. 2389, which became P.L. 106-393, provided funding for those specified purposes. Costs begin in fiscal year 2002 and total \$995 million in new budget authority and outlays over the period 2001-2005.

If you have any questions, please contact Dan Kowalski of my staff at 67270.

STATUS REPORT ON CURRENT SPENDING LEVELS OF ON-BUDGET SPENDING AND REVENUES FOR FY 2001 AND THE 5-YEAR PERIOD FY 2001 THROUGH FY 2005

Mr. NUSSLE Mr. Speaker, to facilitate the application 302 and 311 of the Congressional Budget Act and sections 202 and 203 of the conference report accompanying H. Con. Res. 290, I am transmitting a status report on the current levels of on-budget spending and revenues for fiscal year 2001 and for the five-year period of fiscal years 2001 through fiscal year 2005. This status report is current through February 27, 2001.

The term "current level" refers to the amounts of spending and revenues estimated for each fiscal year based on laws enacted or awaiting the President's signature.

The first table in the report compares the current levels of total budget authority, outlays, revenues, the surplus, and advance appropriations with the aggregate levels set forth by H. Con. Res. 290. This comparison is needed to implement section 311(a) of the Budget Act and sections 202 and 203(b) of H. Con. Res. 290, which create points of order against measures that would breach the budget resolution's aggregate levels. The table does not show budget authority and outlays for years after fiscal year 2001 because appropriations for those years have not yet been considered.

The second table compares the current levels of budget authority and outlays of each authorizing committee with jurisdiction over direct spending programs with the "section 302(a)" allocations for discretionary action made under H. Con. Res. 290 for fiscal year 2001 and fiscal 2001 through 2005. "Discretionary action" refers to legislation enacted after the adoption of the budget resolution. This comparison is needed to enforce section 302(f) of the Budget Act, which creates a point of order against measures that would breach the section 302(a) discretionary action allocation of new budget authority for the committee that reported the measure. It is also needed to enforce section 11(b), which exempts committees that comply with their allocations from the point of order under section 311(a).

The third table compares the current levels of discretionary appropriations for fiscal year 2001 with the revised "section 302(b)" suballocations of discretionary budget authority and outlays among Appropriations subcommittees. This comparison is also needed to implement section 302(f) of the Budget Act because

the point of order under that section applies to measures that would breach the applicable section 302(b) suballocation.

The fourth table compares discretionary appropriations to the levels provided by section 251(c) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985. Section 251 requires that, if at the end of a session discretionary spending in any category exceeds the limits set forth in section 251(c) (as adjusted pursuant to section 251(b)), there shall be a sequestration of amounts within that category to bring spending within the established limits. As the determination of the need for a sequestration is based on the report of the President required by section 254, this table is provided for informational purposes only.

STATUS OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2001 CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET ADOPTED IN H. CON. RES. 290—REFLECTING ACTION COMPLETED AS OF FEBRUARY 27, 2001

(On-budget amounts, in millions of dollars)

	Fiscal year 2001	Fiscal years 2001–2005
Appropriate Level (as amended):		
Budget Authority	1,537,861	n.a.
Outlays	1,506,048	n.a.
Revenues	1,503,200	8,022,400.

DIRECT SPENDING LEGISLATION—COMPARISON OF CURRENT LEVEL WITH COMMITTEE ALLOCATIONS PURSUANT TO BUDGET ACT SECTION 302(a) REFLECTING ACTION COMPLETED AS OF FEBRUARY 27, 2001

(Fiscal years, in millions of dollars)

House Committee	2001		2001–2005 total	
	BA	Outlays	BA	Outlays
Agriculture:				
Allocation	3,062	2,295	10,832	9,819
Current level	3,284	2,319	11,095	10,145
Difference	222	24	263	326
Armed Services:				
Allocation	0	0	0	0
Current level	38	23	20,151	20,129
Difference	38	23	20,151	20,129
Banking and Financial Services:				
Allocation	0	0	0	-1,329
Current level	-16	-16	-53	-53
Difference	-16	-16	-53	1,276
Education and the Workforce:				
Allocation	0	0	0	0
Current level	6	4	30	28
Difference	6	4	30	28
Commerce:				
Allocation	15	15	250	250
Current level	1,540	1,540	-418	-418
Difference	1,525	1,525	-668	-668
International Relations:				
Allocation	0	0	0	0
Current level	348	348	475	478
Difference	348	348	475	478
Government Reform:				
Allocation	0	0	0	0
Current level	-6	-6	22	22
Difference	-6	-6	22	22
House Administration:				
Allocation	0	0	0	0
Current level	4	3	4	4
Difference	4	3	4	4
Resources:				
Allocation	0	0	162	44
Current level	-97	-114	39	39
Difference	-97	-114	-123	-5
Judiciary:				
Allocation	0	0	0	0
Current level	-112	-263	-370	-388
Difference	-112	-263	-370	-388
Small Business:				
Allocation	0	0	0	0
Current level	-10	-10	-10	-10
Difference	-10	-10	-10	-10
Transportation and Infrastructure:				
Allocation	0	0	0	0
Current level	14	14	132	132
Difference	14	14	132	132
Veterans' Affairs:				
Allocation	510	479	7,280	7,037
Current level	534	503	2,559	2,360
Difference	24	24	-4,721	-4,677
Ways and Means:				
Allocation	55	25	3,035	3,038
Current level	2,731	2,731	18,793	18,794
Difference	2,676	2,706	15,758	15,756

STATUS OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2001 CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET ADOPTED IN H. CON. RES. 290—REFLECTING ACTION COMPLETED AS OF FEBRUARY 27, 2001—Continued

(On-budget amounts, in millions of dollars)

	Fiscal year 2001	Fiscal years 2001–2005
Surplus	-2,848	n.a.
Advance Appropriations	23,500	n.a.
Current Level:		
Budget Authority	1,563,641	n.a.
Outlays	1,515,063	n.a.
Revenues	1,512,273	8,155,727.
Surplus	-2,790	n.a.
Advance Appropriations	23,524	n.a.
Current Level over (+)/under (-) Appropriate Level:		
Budget Authority	25,780	n.a.
Outlays	9,015	n.a.
Revenues	9,073	133,327.
Surplus	-58	n.a.
Advance Appropriations	24	n.a.

n.a.=Not applicable because annual appropriations acts for fiscal years 2002 through 2005 will not be considered until future sessions of Congress.

BUDGET AUTHORITY

Enactment of any measure providing new budget authority for FY 2001 would cause FY2001 budget authority to further exceed the appropriate level set by H. Con. Res. 290.

OUTLAYS

Enactment of any measure providing new outlays for FY2001 would cause FY2001 out-

lays to further exceed the appropriate level set by H. Con. Res. 290.

REVENUES

Enactment of any measure that would result in any revenue loss for FY2001 in excess of \$9,073,000,000 (if not already included in the current level estimate) would cause revenues to fall below the appropriate level set by H. Con. Res. 290.

Enactment of any measure resulting in any revenue loss for the period FY2001 through 2005 in excess of \$133,327,000,000 (if not already included in the current level estimate) would cause revenues to fall below the appropriate level set by H. Con. Res. 290.

SURPLUS

Enactment of any measure that reduces the surplus for FY2001 by more than \$58,000,000 (if not already included in the current level estimate) would cause the FY2001 surplus to fall below the appropriate level set by section 201(c) of H. Con. Res. 290.

ADVANCE APPROPRIATION

Enactment of any measure authorizing new advance appropriations for FY2001 would cause FY2001 advance appropriations to further exceed the appropriate level set by section 203(b) of H. Con. Res. 290.

DISCRETIONARY APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2001—COMPARISON OF CURRENT LEVEL WITH SUBALLOCATIONS PURSUANT TO BUDGET ACT SECTION 302(b)

(In million of dollars)

Appropriations Subcommittee	Revised 302(b) Suballocations as of July 19, 2000 (H. Rpt. 100-761)		Adjustments Not Reflected in 302(b) Suballocations		Current Level Reflecting Action Completed as of February 9, 2001		Currel Level minus Adjusted Suballocations	
	BA	OT	BA	OT	BA	OT	BA	OT
	Agriculture, Rural Development	14,548	14,972	3,563	3,088	18,746	18,285	635
Commerce, Justice, State	34,904	35,778	0	0	37,539	37,215	2,635	1,437
National Defense	288,297	279,618	249	185	287,381	277,741	-1,165	-2,062
District of Columbia	414	414	0	0	463	467	49	53
Energy & Water Development	21,743	21,950	214	133	23,556	23,012	1,599	929
Foreign Operations	13,281	14,974	467	55	14,868	15,260	1,120	231
Interior	14,723	15,224	1,689	710	18,888	17,298	2,476	1,364
Labor, HHS & Education	99,547	95,075	0	0	108,947	98,158	9,400	3,083
Legislative Branch	2,468	2,480	52	36	2,689	2,583	169	67
Military Construction	4,932	2,119	0	0	4,956	2,116	24	-3
Transportation ¹	13,735	48,255	718	193	16,804	49,194	2,351	746
Treasury-Postal Service	14,402	14,751	55	0	15,592	15,086	1,135	335
VA-HUD-Independent Agencies	78,317	85,840	1,296	-8	82,654	86,613	3,041	781
Unassigned	42	985	0	0	0	768	-42	-217
Grand total	601,353	632,435	8,303	4,392	633,083	643,796	23,427	6,969

¹ Transportation does not include mass transit BA.

COMPARISON OF CURRENT LEVEL TO DISCRETIONARY SPENDING LEVELS SET FORTH IN SECTION 251(c) OF THE BALANCED BUDGET AND EMERGENCY DEFICIT CONTROL ACT OF 1985

(In millions of dollars)

	Defense ¹		Nondefense ¹		General Purpose		Highway Category		Mass Transit Category	
	BA	OT	BA	OT	BA	OT	BA	OT	BA	OT
Statutory cap ²	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	640,803	613,247	n.a.	26,920	n.a.	4,639
Current level	311,003	299,876	322,080	311,634	633,083	611,510	n.a.	27,294	n.a.	4,992
Current level over (+)/under (-) statutory cap	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-7,720	-1,737	n.a.	374	n.a.	353

n.a.= Not applicable.

¹ Defense and nondefense categories are advisory rather than statutory.

² Established by OMB Final Sequestration Report for Fiscal Year 2001.

U.S. CONGRESS,
CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE,
Washington, DC, February 28, 2001.

Hon. JIM NUSSLE,
Chairman, Committee on the Budget, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: The enclosed report shows the effects of Congressional action on the fiscal year 2001 budget and is current through February 27, 2001. This report is submitted under section 308(b) and in aid of section 311 of the Congressional Budget Act, as amended.

The estimates of budget authority, outlays, and revenues are consistent with the technical and economic assumptions of H. Con. Res. 290, the Concurrent Resolution on the Budget for Fiscal Year 2001. The budget resolution figures incorporate revisions submitted to the House by the Committee on the Budget to reflect funding for emergency requirements, disability reviews, and adoption assistance. Those revisions are required by section 314 of the Congressional Budget Act, as amended.

Since my last letter dated September 8, 2000, the following legislation has been enacted into law:

The Long-Term Care Security Act (Public Law 106-265).

Security Assistance Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-280).

Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations, 2001 (Public Law 106-291).

Lincoln County Land Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-298).

An act to provide personnel flexibilities available for GAO (Public law 106-303).

Children's Health Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-310).

An act to increase fees to employers who are petitioners (Public Law 106-311).

American Competitiveness in the 21st Century Act (Public Law 106-313).

Black Hills National Forest and Rocky Mountain Research Station Improvement Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-329).

Transportation Appropriations, 2001 (Public Law 106-346).

Breast and Cervical Cancer Prevention and Treatment Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-354).

An act to amend title 5, United States Code, on Thrift Savings Plans (Public Law 106-361).

An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey property (Public Law 106-366).

National Museum of the American Indian Commemorative Coin Act (Public Law 106-375).

An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey facilities (Public Law 106-376).

Veterans Affairs, HUD Appropriations, 2001 (Public Law 106-377).

Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-386).

Agriculture and Rural Development Appropriations, 2001 (Public Law 106-387).

An act to authorize the Bureau of Reclamation to provide cost sharing (Public Law 106-392).

County Schools Funding Revitalization Act of 1999 (Public Law 106-393).

Federal Employees Health Benefits Children's Equity Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-394).

Floyd D. Spence National Defense Authorization Act for 2001 (Public Law 106-398).

Veteran's Compensation COLA Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-413).

Alaska Native and American Indian Direct Reimbursement Act (Public Law 106-417).

Veterans' Benefits and Health Care Improvements Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-419).

National Transportation Safety Board Amendments Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-424).

Santo Domingo Pueblo Claims Settlement Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-425).

An act making further continuing appropriations for Fiscal Year 2001 (Public Law 106-426).

Foreign Operations Appropriations, 2001 (Public Law 106-429).

Arizona National Forest Improvement Act of 1999 (Public Law 106-458).

Grain Standards and Warehouse Improvement Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-472).

An act to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule to modify rates of duty (Public Law 106-476).

Palmetto Bend Conveyance Act (Public Law 106-512).

An act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the provisions relating to foreign sales corporations (Public Law 106-519).

An act making further continuing appropriations for Fiscal Year 2001 (Public Law 106-520).

District of Columbia Appropriations, 2001 (Public Law 106-552).

Commerce, Justice, State Appropriations, 2001 (Public Law 106-417).

Water Resources Development Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-541).

Consolidated Appropriations, 2001 (Public Law 106-554).

An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study (Public Law 106-566).

Omnibus Indian Advancement Act (Public Law 106-568).

American Homeownership and Economic Opportunity Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-569).

Federal Physicians Comparability Allowance Amendments of 2000 (Public Law 106-571).

Installment Tax Correction Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-573).

These actions have changed the current level of budget authority, outlays, and revenues.

Sincerely,

BARRY B. ANDERSON

(For Dan L. Crippen, Director).

Enclosure.

FISCAL YEAR 2001 HOUSE CURRENT LEVEL REPORT AS OF FEBRUARY 27, 2001

(In millions of dollars)

	Budget Authority	Outlays	Revenues	Surplus
Enacted before 2000:				
Revenues	0	0	1,514,800	
Permanents and other spending legislation	961,064	916,715	0	
Appropriation legislation	0	266,010	0	
Offsetting, receipts	-297,807	-297,807	0	
Total, enacted before 2000:	663,257	884,918	1,514,800	n.a.
Enacted in 2000:				
Authorizing legislation:				
An act to amend the Food Stamp Act of 1977 (P.L. 106-171)	1	1	0	
Omnibus Parks Technical Corrections Act of 1999 (P.L. 106-176)	8	6	0	
Wendell H. Ford Aviation Investment & Reform Act (P.L. 106-181)	3,200	0	-2	
Civil Asset Forfeiture Reform Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-185)	-114	-75	-115	
Trade and Development Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-200)	-47	-47	-442	
Agricultural Risk Protection Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-224)	3,060	2,165	0	
Valles Caldera Preservation Act (P.L. 106-248)	-1	-1	0	
Griffith Project Prepayment and Conveyance Act (P.L. 106-249)	-103	-103	0	
Semipostal Authorization Act (P.L. 106-253)	-2	-2	0	
Long-Term Care Security Act (P.L. 106-265)	3	3	0	
Security Assistance Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-280)	6	6	0	
Lincoln County Land Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-298)	-3	-3	0	
An act to provide personnel flexibilities available for GAO (P.L. 106-303)	0	0	0	
Children's Health Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-310)	2	2	0	
An act to increase fees to employers who are petitioners (P.L. 106-311)	0	-64	0	
American Competitiveness in the 21st Century Act (P.L. 106-313)	0	-126	0	
Black Hills National forest and Rocky Mountain Research Station Improvement Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-329)	-1	-1	0	
Breast and Cervical Cancer Prevention and Treatment Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-354)	15	15	0	
An act to amend Title 5, United States Code, on Thrift Savings Plans (P.L. 106-361)	-3	-3	-6	
An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey property (P.L. 106-366)	-5	-5	0	
National Museum of the American Indian Commemorative Coin Act (P.L. 106-375)	-3	-3	0	
An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey facilities (P.L. 106-376)	-2	-2	0	
Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-388)	342	342	0	
An act to authorize the Bureau of Reclamation to provide cost sharing (P.L. 106-392)	23	8	0	
County Schools Funding Revitalization Act of 1999 (P.L. 106-393)	21	21	0	
Federal Employees Health Benefits Children's Equity Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-394)	-1	-1	0	
Floyd D. Spence National Defense Authorization Act of 2001 (P.L. 106-398)	-22	-22	0	
Veteran's Compensation COLA Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-413)	380	349	0	
Alaska Native and American Indian Direct Reimbursement Act (P.L. 106-417)	9	9	0	
Veterans' Benefits and Health Care Improvements Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-419)	154	154	0	
National Transportation Safety Board Amendments Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-424)	12	12	0	
Santo Domingo Pueblo Claims Settlement Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-425)	8	8	0	
Arizona National Forest Improvement Act of 1999 (P.L. 106-438)	-5	-5	0	
Grain Standards and Warehouse Improvement Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-472)	1	1	0	
An act to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule to modify rates of duty (P.L. 106-476)	0	0	-26	
Palmetto Bend Conveyance Act (P.L. 106-512)	-42	-42	0	
An act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the provisions relating to foreign sales corporations (P.L. 106-519)	0	0	-153	
Water Resources Development Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-541)	2	2	0	
Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2001 (P.L. 106-554)	4,568	4,480	-139	
An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study (P.L. 106-566)	5	5	0	
Omnibus Indian Advancement Act (P.L. 106-568)	8	8	0	
American Homeownership and Economic Opportunity Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-569)	-13	-13	-68	
Federal Physicians Comparability Allowance Amendments of 2000 (P.L. 106-571)	-3	-3	1	
Installment Tax Correction Act of 2000 (P.L. 106-573)	0	0	-1,120	
Total, authorizing legislation	11,458	7,076	-2,070	
Appropriations Acts:				
Agriculture and Rural Development Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-387)	77,830	42,663	0	
Commerce, Justice, State Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-553)	37,812	25,437	0	
Defense Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-259)	287,806	188,945	0	
District of Columbia Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-522)	440	408	0	
Energy and Water Development Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-377)	23,598	15,129	0	
Foreign Operations Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-429)	14,945	5,457	0	
Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-291)	18,905	11,912	0	
Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-554)	289,432	227,557	0	
Legislative Branch Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-554)	2,577	2,207	3	
Military Construction Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-246)	4,932	-3,582	0	
Transportation Appropriations Act, 2001 (P.L. 106-346)	18,834	21,236	-460	
Treasury, Postal Service, General Government Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-554)	29,964	25,342	0	
Veterans Affairs; HUD Appropriations, 2001 (P.L. 106-377)	103,577	62,961	0	
An act making further continuing appropriations for Fiscal Year 2001 (P.L. 106-426)	7	7	0	
An act making further continuing appropriations for Fiscal Year 2001 (P.L. 106-520)	7	7	0	
Consolidated Appropriations 2001 (P.L. 106-554)	15	-115	0	
Total, appropriations act:	910,681	626,171	-457	
Total, enacted in 2000:	922,139	633,247	-2,527	n.a.
Entitlements and Mandatories:				
Budget resolution baseline estimates of appropriated entitlements and other mandatory programs not yet enacted	-17,123	238	0	n.a.
Total Current Level^a	1,563,641	1,515,063	1,512,273	-2,790
Total Budget Resolution	1,537,861	1,506,048	1,503,200	-2,848
Current Level Over Budget Resolution	25,780	9,015	9,073	0
Current Level Under Budget Resolution	0	0	0	58
Memorandum:				
Revenues, 2001-2005:				
House Current Level	0	0	8,155,727	n.a.
House Budget Resolution	0	0	8,022,400	n.a.
Current Level Over Budget Resolution	0	0	133,327	n.a.
2001 Advances:				
FY 2002 House Current Level	23,159	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
FY 2003 House Current Level	365	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
FY 2001 House Budget Resolution	23,500	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Current Level Over Budget Resolution	24	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

Source: Congressional Budget Office.

Notes: P.L. = Public Law; n.a. = not applicable.

^a For purposes of enforcing section 311 of the Congressional Budget Act in the House, the budget resolution does not include \$3,380 million in budget authority or \$3,340 million in outlays for Social Security administrative expenses. As a result, current level excludes these items. In addition, for comparability purposes, current level budget authority excludes \$1,252 million that was appropriated for mass transit.

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The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under a previous order of the House, the gen-

tleman from New Jersey (Mr. SMITH) is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to the provisions of Rule XI of the rules of the House, I submit for printing in the RECORD the Rules of the Committee on Vet-

erans' Affairs as adopted by the committee on February 14, 2001.