OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

Budget Rescissions and Deferrals

February 20, 1998.

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Department of Agriculture

Agricultural Research Service

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–86, $223,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-1

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-86) $ 744,605,000
BUREAU: Agricultural Research Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 42,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Agricultural Research Service 1281400	Total budgetary resources... $ 786,605,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 223,000
OMB identification code: 12-1400-0-1-352	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	[ ] Other _____
Type of account or fund: [X] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [ ] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: The Agricultural Research Service (ARS) conducts research to provide the means for a safer, more economical supply of agricultural products for the Nation and to provide producers with technologies to supply these products competitively. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
743,000	742,822	-178	-45	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

Salaries and expenses

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–86, $350,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-2

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... $ 426,282,000 (P.L. 105-86) Other budgetary resources.. $ 151,000,000 Total budgetary resources... $ 577,282,000
BUREAU: Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service	
Appropriations title and symbol: Salaries and expenses 1281600 12X1600	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 350,000
OMB identification code: 12-1600-0-1-352	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [X] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [ ] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: The major objectives of the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) are to protect the animal and plant resources of the Nation from destructive pests and diseases. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
406,000	405,705	-295	-55	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Food Safety and Inspection Service

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–86, $502,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-3

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-86) $ 589,263,000
BUREAU: Food Safety and Inspection Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 83,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Salaries and expenses 1283700 12X3700	Total budgetary resources... $ 672,263,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 502,000
OMB identification code: 12-3700-0-1-554	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [X] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [ ] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: The primary objectives of the Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) are to ensure that meat, poultry, and egg products are wholesome, unadulterated, and properly labeled and packaged. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
589,000	588,518	-482	-20	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration

Salaries and expenses

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–86, $38,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-4

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... $ 23,928,000 (P.L. 105-86)
BUREAU: Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration	Other budgetary resources.. $ _____
Appropriations title and symbol: Salaries and expenses 1282400	Total budgetary resources... $ 23,928,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 38,000
OMB identification code: 12-2400-0-1-352	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [X] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [ ] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: The Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA) establishes official United States standards for grain, promotes the uniform application thereof by official inspection personnel, provides for an official inspection system for grain, and regulates the weighing and certification of the weight of grain shipped in interstate or foreign commerce. The goal of the Packers and Stockyards program is to ensure the integrity of the livestock, meat, and poultry markets and the marketplace in order to protect producers against unfair, deceptive, or discriminatory practices as well as those that are predatory or monopolistic in nature. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
24,000	23,966	-34	-4	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service

Marketing services

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–86, $25,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-5

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-86) $ 46,592,000
BUREAU: Agricultural Marketing Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 98,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Marketing services 1282500	Total budgetary resources... $ 144,592,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 25,000
OMB identification code: 12-2500-0-1-352	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [X] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [ ] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: The Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) assists producers and handlers of agricultural commodities by providing a variety of marketing services. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
42,000	41,978	-22	-3	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Farm Service Agency

Salaries and expenses

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–86, $1,080,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-6

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-86) $ 700,659,000
BUREAU: Farm Service Agency	Other budgetary resources.. $ 290,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Salaries and expenses 1280600	Total budgetary resources... $ 990,659,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 1,080,000
OMB identification code: 12-0600-0-1-351	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	[ ] Other _____
Type of account or fund: [X] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [ ] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: The Farm Service Agency (FSA) administers a variety of activities, such as farm income support programs; the Conservation Reserve Program and the Emergency Conservation Program; the warehouse examination function; farm ownership, farm operating, emergency disaster, and other loan programs; price support and production control programs for tobacco and peanuts; and the Non-insured Crop Disaster Assistance Program, which provides crop loss protection for growers of many crops for which crop insurance is not available. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
601,000	600,075	-925	-155	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Natural Resources Conservation Service

Conservation operations

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–86, $378,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-7

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-86) $ 644,421,000
BUREAU: Natural Resources Conservation Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 131,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Conservation operations 12X1000	Total budgetary resources... $ 775,421,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 378,000
OMB identification code: 12-1000-0-1-300	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) provides technical assistance through conservation districts or special districts; conducts soil surveys and investigations; conducts snow survey water forecasting; operates plant materials centers; and, provides water resource assistance. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
654,000	653,667	-333	-45	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Rural Housing Service

Salaries and expenses

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–86, $846,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-8

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... $ 58,804,000 (P.L. 105-86)
BUREAU: Rural Housing Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 412,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Salaries and expenses 1281952	Total budgetary resources... $ 470,804,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 846,000
OMB identification code: 12-1952-0-1-452	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	[ ] Other _____
Type of account or fund: [X] Annual	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation
[ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date)	[ ] Contract authority
[ ] No-Year	[ ] Other _____

Justification: The Rural Housing Service (RHS) delivers rural housing and community facility programs through a series of State, area, and local offices. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
6,000	5,272	-728	-118	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Food and Nutrition Service

Child nutrition programs

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–86, $114,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-9

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-86) $ 7,773,716,000
BUREAU: Food and Nutrition Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 1,026,100,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Child nutrition programs 128/93539 127/83539	Total budgetary resources... $ 8,799,816,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 114,000
OMB identification code: 12-3539-0-1-605	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [X] Multi-year: September 30, 1999 (expiration date) [ ] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: Payments are made for cash and commodity meal subsidies and certain discretionary activities as authorized by the School Lunch, School Breakfast, Summer Food Service, and Child and Adult Care Food programs. The proposed rescission of discretionary funds for computer support is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
8,796,000	8,795,886	-114	—	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Forest Service

National forest system

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–83, $1,094,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-10

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-83) $ 1,348,377,000
BUREAU: Forest Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 270,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: National forest system 12X1106	Total budgetary resources... $ 1,618,377,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 1,094,000
OMB identification code: 12-1106-0-1-302	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: The national forest system (NFS) provides for the delivery of goods and services associated with the principal NFS programs of land management planning, inventory, and monitoring; recreation use; wildlife and fisheries habitat management; rangeland management; forestland management; soil, water, and air management; minerals and geology management; landownership management; infrastructure management; law enforcement; and general administration. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
1,400,000	1,399,070	-930	-164	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Forest Service

Reconstruction and construction

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–83, $30,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-11

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-83) $ 166,045,000
BUREAU: Forest Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 145,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Reconstruction and construction 12X1103	Total budgetary resources... $ 311,045,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 30,000
OMB identification code: 12-1103-0-1-302	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	[ ] Other _____
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account provides for reconstruction, rehabilitation, upgrade, construction, and acquisition of facilities and for construction of roads and trails. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
178,000	177,983	-17	-13	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Forest Service

Forest and rangeland research

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–83, $148,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-12

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-83) $ 187,944,000
BUREAU: Forest Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 29,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Forest and rangeland research 12X1104	Total budgetary resources... $ 216,944,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 148,000
OMB identification code: 12-1104-0-1-302	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: The mission of this account is to serve society by developing and communicating the scientific information and technology needed to protect, manage, use, and sustain the natural resources of the Nation's forests and rangelands. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
169,000	168,880	-120	-28	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Forest Service

State and private forestry

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–83, $59,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-13

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-83) $ 161,237,000
BUREAU: Forest Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 22,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: State and private forestry 12X1105	Total budgetary resources... $ 183,237,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 59,000
OMB identification code: 12-1105-0-1-302	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	[ ] Other _____
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account provides assistance to manage, use, and protect forest resources on State, urban, and private lands to meet domestic and international demands for goods and services. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
161,000	160,956	-44	-15	—	—	—	—

Department of Agriculture

Forest Service

Wildland fire management

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–83, $148,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-14

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-83) $ 584,707,000
BUREAU: Forest Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 151,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Wildland fire management 12X1115	Total budgetary resources... $ 735,707,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 148,000
OMB identification code: 12-1115-0-1-302	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account provides for fire management, presuppression, and suppression on national forest system lands, adjacent State and private lands, and other lands under fire protection agreements. The proposed rescission is based on the affected program's FTE level and an estimate of its impact on the Department's civil rights resources, and is intended to offset supplemental appropriations for the Department's Civil Rights Initiative. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None. These reductions can be absorbed within the available resources and would have a negligible impact on the program.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
679,000	678,853	-147	-1	—	—	—	—

Department of the Interior

Bureau of Land Management

Management of lands and resources

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 104–208, $1,188,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-15

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of the Interior	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-83) $ 583,270,000
BUREAU: Bureau of Land Management	Other budgetary resources.. $ 103,850,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Management of lands and resources 14X1109	Total budgetary resources... $ 687,120,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 1,188,000
OMB identification code: 14-1109-0-1-302	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account funds the management of land resources, wildlife and fisheries, threatened and endangered species, recreation management, energy and minerals, realty and ownership management, resource protection and maintenance, automated lands and minerals records system, workforce and organizational support, and Alaska mineral assessment. A rescission is proposed because balances remain from emergency funds provided in P.L. 104-208 to restore public lands damaged by fire. Actual restoration costs were lower than anticipated, in part because the treatment methods used cost less than the treatments originally anticipated. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
571,000	570,073	-927	-261	...	...	...	...

Department of the Interior

Bureau of Land Management

Oregon and California grant lands

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 104–208, $2,500,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-16

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of the Interior	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-83) $ 101,406,000
BUREAU: Bureau of Land Management	Other budgetary resources.. $ 23,140,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Oregon and California grant lands 14X1116	Total budgetary resources... $ 124,546,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 2,500,000
OMB identification code: 14-1116-0-1-302	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account funds Western Oregon resources management, Western Oregon information and resource data systems, Western Oregon facilities management, Western Oregon construction and acquisition, and Jobs in the Woods. A rescission is proposed because balances remain from emergency funds provided in P.L. 104-208 to restore public lands in Oregon damaged by fire. Actual restoration costs were lower than anticipated, in part because the treatment methods used cost less than the treatments originally anticipated, and regular appropriations were used to treat damaged lands. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
116,000	114,350	-1,650	-750	-100	...	...	...

Department of the Interior

Bureau of Reclamation

Water and related resources

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 104–206, $532,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-17

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of the Interior	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-62) $ 694,348,000
BUREAU: Bureau of Reclamation	Other budgetary resources.. $ 148,461,383
Appropriations title and symbol: Water and related resources 14X0680	Total budgetary resources... $ 842,809,383
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 532,000
OMB identification code: 14-0680-0-1-301	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account funds the development, management, and restoration of water and related natural resources in the 17 Western States. A rescission is proposed because there will be project savings by taking rigorous steps to reduce costs for individual projects. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
806,000	805,569	-431	-101	...	...	...	...

Department of the Interior

Bureau of Mines

Mines and minerals

The following amounts, totaling $1,604,860, are rescinded from funds made available under this heading: in Public Law 103–332, $1,255,368; in Public Law 103–138, $59,831; in Public Law 102–381, $172,634; and in Public Law 102–154, $117,027.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-18

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of the Interior	New budget authority..... $ _____
BUREAU: Bureau of Mines	Other budgetary resources.. $ 4,625,890
Appropriations title and symbol: Mines and minerals 14X0959	Total budgetary resources... $ 4,625,890
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 1,605,000
OMB identification code: 14-0959-0-1-306	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account funded the development and demonstration of environmental technologies to protect public lands and aquatic areas, improvements in worker health and safety, and development of minerals information and policy analysis. The program was terminated in 1996 and certain functions were transferred to other agencies. A rescission is proposed because funds from grants projects have been recaptured and are not available for other purposes. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
15,000	13,395	-1,605	...	...	...	...	...

Department of the Interior

United States Fish and Wildlife Service

Construction

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 104–208, $1,188,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-19

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of the Interior	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-83) $ 45,006,000
BUREAU: United States Fish and Wildlife Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 156,289,155
Appropriations title and symbol: Construction 14X1612	Total budgetary resources... $ 201,295,155
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 1,188,000
OMB identification code: 14-1612-0-1-303	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	[ ] Other _____
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account funds facility construction and rehabilitation, energy conservation, pollution abatement and hazardous materials cleanup, and the repair and inspection of dams and bridges. A rescission is proposed because there will be project savings by taking rigorous steps to reduce costs for individual projects through value engineering, reducing scope, or using standardized designs. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
109,000	108,762	-238	-653	-297	...	...	...

Department of the Interior

National Park Service

Construction

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 104–208, $1,638,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-20

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of the Interior	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-83) $ 214,901,000
BUREAU: National Park Service	Other budgetary resources.. $ 292,234,428
Appropriations title and symbol: Construction 14X1039	Total budgetary resources... $ 507,135,428
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 1,638,000
OMB identification code: 14-1039-0-1-303	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account funds construction; emergency, unscheduled, and housing projects; planning; general management plans; equipment replacement; and Elwha River restoration. A rescission is proposed because there will be project savings by taking rigorous steps to reduce costs for individual projects through value engineering reducing scope, or using standardized designs. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
217,000	216,754	-246	-491	-410	-328	-163	...

Department of the Interior

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Construction

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 104–208, $737,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-21

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of the Interior	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-83) $ 125,051,000
BUREAU: Bureau of Indian Affairs	Other budgetary resources.. $ 108,000,000
Appropriations title and symbol: Construction 14X2301	Total budgetary resources... $ 233,051,000
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 737,000
OMB identification code: 14-2301-0-1-452	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account funds education construction, public safety and justice construction, resources management construction, general administration, and tribal government construction. A rescission is proposed because there will be project savings by taking rigorous steps to reduce costs for individual projects through value engineering, reducing scope, or using standardized designs. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
128,000	127,830	-170	-221	-184	-162	...	...

Department of Transportation

Office of the Secretary

Payments to air carriers

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 101–516 and subsequently obligated, $2,499,000 shall be deobligated and are hereby rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-22

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Transportation	New budget authority..... $ 0
BUREAU: Office of the Secretary	Other budgetary resources.. $ 0
Appropriations title and symbol: Payments to air carriers 69X0150	Total budgetary resources... $ 0
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 2,499,000
OMB identification code: 69-0150-0-1-402	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [ ] Appropriation [X] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: Prior to 1992, this account funded the Essential Air Services (EAS) program, which subsidized air transportation at small remote communities. Beginning in 1992, the program was funded from the Airport and Airway tust fund. This rescission is proposed because the obligated balances in the account will not be expended and can be deobligated. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
2,000	...	-2,499	...	...	...	...	...

Department of Transportation

Office of the Secretary

Payments to air carriers

(Airport and Airway trust fund)

Of the budgetary resources provided for "Small Community Air Service" by Public Law 101–508 for fiscal years prior to fiscal year 1998, $1,000,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-23

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Transportation	New budget authority..... $ 0
BUREAU: Office of the Secretary	Other budgetary resources.. $ 3,976,152
Appropriations title and symbol: Payments to air carriers (Airport and airway trust fund) 69X8304	Total budgetary resources... $ 3,976,152
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 1,000,000
OMB identification code: 69-8304-0-7-402	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	[ ] Other _____
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [ ] Appropriation [X] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This account funded the Essential Air Services (EAS) program, which subsidized air transportation at small remote communities, from the Airport and airway trust fund. The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Reauthorization Act of 1996 converted the EAS program funding to mandatory supported by FAA overflight fees, and increased the program level from $25.9 million to $50 million annually. This rescission is proposed because not all of the unobligated balances will be obligated. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
10,000	10,000	...	...	...	...	...	...

Department of Transportation

Maritime Administration

Maritime guaranteed loan (Title XI) program account

Of the funds made available under this heading in Public Law 105–119, $2,138,000 are rescinded.

Rescission Proposal No. R98-24

PROPOSED RESCISSION OF BUDGET AUTHORITY
Report Pursuant to Section 1012 of P.L. 93-344

AGENCY: Department of Transportation	New budget authority..... (P.L. 105-119) $ 35,725,000
BUREAU: Maritime Administration	Other budgetary resources.. $ 61,989,330
Appropriations title and symbol: Maritime guaranteed loan (Title XI) program account 69X1752	Total budgetary resources... $ 97,714,330
	Amount proposed for rescission..... $ 2,138,000
OMB identification code: 69-1752-0-1-999	**Legal authority (in addition to sec. 1012):** [X] Antideficiency Act [ ] Other _____
Grant program: [ ] Yes [X] No	
Type of account or fund: [ ] Annual [ ] Multi-year: _____ (expiration date) [X] No-Year	**Type of budget authority:** [X] Appropriation [ ] Contract authority [ ] Other _____

Justification: This program provides guaranteed loans for purchasers of ships from the U.S. shipbuilding industry and for modernization of U.S. shipyards. This rescission is proposed because, in FY 1998, more than $61 million in unobligated balances was brought forward from FY 1997, approximately twice the enacted level of $32 million, to cover the cost of loans guaranteed in FY 1998. This large carryover reflects lower demand in recent years for these loan guarantees. In addition, new loan guarantees will be less risky than previous loans, resulting in a 30 percent lower subsidy rate. This action is taken pursuant to the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Estimated Program Effect: None.

Outlay Effect (in thousands of dollars):

1998 Outlay Estimate		Outlay Changes					
Without Rescission	With Rescission	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
91,000	88,862	-2,138	...	...	...	...	...

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