

## Public Law 90-180

December 8, 1967  
[H. R. 13606]

## AN ACT

Making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968, and for other purposes.

Military Construction Appropriation Act, 1968.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968, for military construction functions administered by the Department of Defense, and for other purposes, namely:

## MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, ARMY

For acquisition, construction, installation, and equipment of temporary or permanent public works, military installations, and facilities for the Army as currently authorized in military public works or military construction Acts, and in sections 2673 and 2675 of title 10, United States Code, \$372,228,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That the unexpended balance of funds as determined by the Secretary of Defense, heretofore allocated or transferred to the Secretary of Defense from appropriations for "Military assistance" to support construction, may be transferred to this appropriation.

72 Stat. 1459,  
1460.

## MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, NAVY

For acquisition, construction, installation, and equipment of temporary or permanent public works, naval installations, and facilities for the Navy as currently authorized in military public works or military construction Acts, in Public Law 88-637, and in sections 2673 and 2675 of title 10, United States Code, including personnel in the Naval Facilities Engineering Command and other personal services necessary for the purposes of this appropriation, \$486,661,000, to remain available until expended.

78 Stat. 1034.

## MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, AIR FORCE

For acquisition, construction, installation, and equipment of temporary or permanent public works, military installations, and facilities for the Air Force as currently authorized in military public works or military construction Acts, in sections 2673 and 2675 of title 10, United States Code, \$400,662,000, to remain available until expended.

## MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, DEFENSE AGENCIES

For acquisition, construction, installation, and equipment of temporary or permanent public works, installations, and facilities for activities and agencies of the Department of Defense (other than the military departments and the Office of Civil Defense), as currently authorized in military public works or military construction Acts, and in sections 2673 and 2675 of title 10, United States Code, \$114,540,000, to remain available until expended; and, in addition, not to exceed \$20,000,000 to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Research, development, test, and evaluation, Defense Agencies" as determined by the Secretary of Defense: *Provided*, That such amounts of this appropriation as may be determined by the Secretary of Defense may be transferred to such appropriations of the Department of Defense available for military construction as he may designate.

**MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, ARMY NATIONAL GUARD**

For construction, acquisition, expansion, rehabilitation, and conversion of facilities for the training and administration of the Army National Guard as authorized by chapter 133 of title 10, United States Code, as amended, and the Reserve Forces Facilities Acts, \$3,000,000, to remain available until expended.

70A Stat. 120.  
10 USC 2231.

**MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, AIR NATIONAL GUARD**

For construction, acquisition, expansion, rehabilitation, and conversion of facilities for the training and administration of the Air National Guard, and contributions therefor, as authorized by chapter 133 of title 10, United States Code, as amended, and the Reserve Forces Facilities Acts, \$9,500,000, to remain available until expended.

**MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, ARMY RESERVE**

For construction, acquisition, expansion, rehabilitation, and conversion of facilities for the training and administration of the Army Reserve as authorized by chapter 133 of title 10, United States Code, as amended, and the Reserve Forces Facilities Acts, \$3,000,000, to remain available until expended.

**MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, NAVAL RESERVE**

For construction, acquisition, expansion, rehabilitation, and conversion of facilities for the training and administration of the reserve components of the Navy and Marine Corps, as authorized by chapter 133 of title 10, United States Code, as amended, and the Reserve Forces Facilities Acts, \$5,000,000, to remain available until expended.

**MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, AIR FORCE RESERVE**

For construction, acquisition, expansion, rehabilitation, and conversion of facilities for the training and administration of the Air Force Reserve as authorized by chapter 133 of title 10, United States Code, as amended, and the Reserve Forces Facilities Acts, \$3,900,000, to remain available until expended.

**LORAN STATIONS, DEFENSE**

For construction of additional loran stations by the Coast Guard, \$3,600,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That this appropriation may be transferred on approval of the Secretary of Defense to the appropriation, "Acquisition, construction, and improvements", Coast Guard.

**FAMILY HOUSING, DEFENSE**

For expenses of family housing for the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, and Defense agencies, for construction, including acquisition, replacement, addition, expansion, extension and alteration and for operation, maintenance, and debt payment, including leasing and minor construction, principal and interest charges, and insurance premiums, as authorized by law, \$671,271,000, to be obligated and expended in the Family Housing Management Account established

76 Stat. 236.  
42 USC 1594a-1.

pursuant to section 501(a) of Public Law 87-554, in not to exceed the following amounts:

For the Army:

Construction, \$32,447,000;  
Operation, maintenance, \$131,010,000;  
Debt payment, \$46,852,000.

For the Navy and Marine Corps:

Construction, \$65,430,000;  
Operation, maintenance, \$77,525,000;  
Debt payments, \$31,999,000.

For the Air Force:

Construction, \$55,944,000;  
Operation, maintenance, \$136,192,000;  
Debt payment, \$87,989,000.

For Defense agencies:

Construction, \$610,000;  
Operation, maintenance, \$5,273,000.

*Provided*, That the amounts provided under this head for construction and for debt payment shall remain available until expended.

#### HOMEOWNERS ASSISTANCE FUND, DEFENSE

For use in the Homeowners Assistance Fund established pursuant to section 1013(d) of the Demonstration Cities and Metropolitan Development Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-754, approved November 3, 1966), \$20,000,000.

80 Stat. 1291.  
42 USC 3374.

#### GENERAL PROVISIONS

Prior appropri-  
ations.

SEC. 101. Funds appropriated to the Department of Defense for construction in prior years are hereby made available for construction authorized for each such department by the authorizations enacted into law during the first session of the Ninetieth Congress.

Contracts.

SEC. 102. None of the funds appropriated in this Act shall be expended for payments under a cost-plus-a-fixed-fee contract for work, where cost estimates exceed \$25,000, to be performed within the United States, except Alaska, without the specific approval in writing of the Secretary of Defense setting forth the reasons therefor.

Expediting  
costs.

SEC. 103. None of the funds appropriated in this Act shall be expended for additional costs involved in expediting construction unless the Secretary of Defense certifies such costs to be necessary to protect the national interest and establishes a reasonable completion date for each project, taking into consideration the urgency of the requirement, the type and location of the project, the climatic and seasonal conditions affecting the construction, and the application of economical construction practices.

Bakery facili-  
ties, etc.

SEC. 104. None of the funds appropriated in this Act shall be used for the construction, replacement, or reactivation of any bakery, laundry, or drycleaning facility in the United States, its territories, or possessions, as to which the Secretary of Defense does not certify, in writing, giving his reasons therefor, that the services to be furnished by such facilities are not obtainable from commercial sources at reasonable rates.

Motor vehicle  
hire.

SEC. 105. Funds appropriated to the Department of Defense for construction are hereby made available for hire of passenger motor vehicles.

Access roads.

SEC. 106. Funds appropriated to the Department of Defense for construction may be used for advances to the Bureau of Public Roads, Department of Transportation, for the construction of access roads as authorized by section 210 of title 23, United States Code, when projects authorized therein are certified as important to the national defense by the Secretary of Defense.

72 Stat. 908.

SEC. 107. None of the funds appropriated in this Act may be used to begin construction of new bases inside the Continental United States for which specific appropriations have not been made.

New bases.

SEC. 108. No part of the funds contained in this Act shall be used for the construction of hospitals or composite medical facilities in the United States which do not provide facilities for obstetrical services.

Obstetrical services.

SEC. 109. No part of the funds provided in this Act shall be used for purchase of land or land easements in excess of 100 per centum of the value as determined by the Corps of Engineers or the Naval Facilities Engineering Command, except: (a) where there is a determination of value by a Federal court, (b) purchases negotiated by the Attorney General or his designee, and (c) where the estimated value is less than \$25,000.

Land easements.

SEC. 110. None of the funds appropriated in this Act may be used to make payments under contracts for any project in a foreign country unless the Secretary of Defense or his designee, after consultation with the Secretary of the Treasury or his designee, certifies to the Congress that the use, by purchase from the Treasury, of currencies of such country acquired pursuant to law is not feasible for the purpose, stating the reason therefor.

Foreign projects.

SEC. 111. None of the funds appropriated in this Act shall be used to (1) acquire land, (2) provide for site preparation, or (3) install utilities for any family housing, except housing for which funds have been made available in annual military construction appropriation acts.

Family housing limitation.

SEC. 112. This Act may be cited as the "Military Construction Appropriation Act, 1968".

Short title.

Approved December 8, 1967.

## Public Law 90-181

### AN ACT

December 8, 1967  
[S. 2514]

To grant the consent of Congress to the Wheeling Creek Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention District Compact.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the consent of Congress is given to the interstate compact relating to the Wheeling Creek Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention District between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of West Virginia, ratified by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in an Act approved by the Governor of such Commonwealth on August 2, 1967, and by the State of West Virginia in an Act approved by the Governor of such State on March 1, 1967. Such compact reads as follows:

Wheeling Creek Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention District Compact.

#### "WHEELING CREEK WATERSHED PROTECTION AND FLOOD PREVENTION DISTRICT COMPACT

##### "ARTICLE I. RECITATION OF REASONS FOR COMPACT.

"Whereas, Wheeling Creek, a tributary of the Ohio River, arises in Pennsylvania, flows through Washington and Greene Counties of that commonwealth, enters the State of West Virginia, flows through Marshall and Ohio Counties, West Virginia, and empties into the Ohio River at Wheeling, West Virginia; and

"Whereas, The inhabitants of Marshall and Ohio Counties, West Virginia, and, also, but to a much lesser degree, the inhabitants of Washington and Greene Counties, Pennsylvania, living along Wheeling Creek have over the years experienced loss of life and property from flooding of that stream; and