H. R. 2209

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the 5 Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 6 30, 1998, and for other purposes, namely: 7 TITLE I—CONGRESSIONAL OPERATIONS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 8 9 Salaries and Expenses
- For salaries and expenses of the House of Represent-
- 11 atives, \$708,738,000, as follows:

1 HOUSE LEADERSHIP OFFICES 2 For salaries and expenses, as authorized by law, 3 \$12,293,000, including: Office of the Speaker, 4 \$1,590,000, including \$25,000 for official expenses of the Speaker; Office of the Majority Floor Leader, \$1,626,000, including \$10,000 for official expenses of the Majority 6 Leader; Office of the Minority Floor Leader, \$1,652,000, 8 including \$10,000 for official expenses of the Minority Leader; Office of the Majority Whip, including the Chief 10 Deputy Majority Whip, \$1,024,000, including \$5,000 for official expenses of the Majority Whip; Office of the Mi-12 nority Whip, including the Chief Deputy Minority Whip, \$998,000, including \$5,000 for official expenses of the Mi-13 nority Whip; Speaker's Office for Legislative Floor Activi-14 15 ties, \$397,000; Republican Steering Committee, \$736,000; Republican Conference, \$1,172,000; Demo-16 17 cratic Steering and Policy Committee, \$1,277,000; Demo-18 cratic Caucus, \$631,000; and nine minority employees, 19 \$1,190,000. 20 Members' Representational Allowances 21 Including Members' Clerk Hire, Official 22 EXPENSES OF MEMBERS, AND OFFICIAL MAIL 23 For Members' representational allowances, including Members' clerk hire, official expenses, and official mail,

\$379,789,000.

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1	COMMITTEE EMPLOYEES
2	STANDING COMMITTEES, SPECIAL AND SELECT
3	For salaries and expenses of standing committees,
4	special and select, authorized by House resolutions,
5	\$86,268,000: Provided, That such amount (together with
6	any amounts appropriated for such salaries and expenses
7	for fiscal year 1997) shall remain available for such sala-
8	ries and expenses until December 31, 1998.
9	COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS
10	For salaries and expenses of the Committee on Ap-
11	propriations, \$18,276,000, including studies and examina-
12	tions of executive agencies and temporary personal serv-
13	ices for such committee, to be expended in accordance with
14	section 202(b) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of
15	1946 and to be available for reimbursement to agencies
16	for services performed: Provided, That such amount (to-
17	gether with any amounts appropriated for such salaries
18	and expenses for fiscal year 1997) shall remain available
19	for such salaries and expenses until December 31, 1998.
20	SALARIES, OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES
21	For compensation and expenses of officers and em-
22	ployees, as authorized by law, \$84,356,000, including: for
23	salaries and expenses of the Office of the Clerk, including
24	not more than \$3,500, of which not more than \$2,500 is
25	for the Family Room, for official representation and recep-
26	tion expenses, \$16,804,000; for salaries and expenses of

the Office of the Sergeant at Arms, including the position of Superintendent of Garages, and including not more 3 than \$750 for official representation and reception ex-4 penses, \$3,564,000; for salaries and expenses of the Office of the Chief Administrative Officer, \$50,727,000, including \$27,247,000 for salaries, expenses and temporary personal services of House Information Resources, of which 8 \$23,210,000 is provided herein: *Provided*, That of the amount provided for House Information Resources, 10 \$8,253,000 shall be for net expenses of telecommunications: Provided further, That House Information Re-12 sources is authorized to receive reimbursement from Members of the House of Representatives and other governmental entities for services provided and such reimburse-14 15 ment shall be deposited in the Treasury for credit to this account; for salaries and expenses of the Office of the In-16 17 spector General, \$3,808,000, of which \$1,000 shall be for 18 the release of the Inspector General's Report on Management and Financial Irregularities—Office of the Chief Ad-19 ministrative Office: Provided further, That all names of 20 21 persons making favorable or unfavorable statements in the report shall be expunged; for the Office of the Chaplain, 23 \$133,000; for salaries and expenses of the Office of the Parliamentarian, including the Parliamentarian

\$2,000 for preparing the Digest of Rules, \$1,101,000; for

- 1 salaries and expenses of the Office of the Law Revision
- 2 Counsel of the House, \$1,821,000; for salaries and ex-
- 3 penses of the Office of the Legislative Counsel of the
- 4 House, \$4,827,000; for salaries and expenses of the Cor-
- 5 rections Calendar Office, \$791,000; and for other author-
- 6 ized employees, \$780,000.

7 ALLOWANCES AND EXPENSES

- 8 For allowances and expenses as authorized by House
- 9 resolution or law, \$127,756,000, including: supplies, mate-
- 10 rials, administrative costs and Federal tort claims,
- 11 \$2,225,000; official mail for committees, leadership of-
- 12 fices, and administrative offices of the House, \$500,000;
- 13 Government contributions for health, retirement, Social
- 14 Security, and other applicable employee benefits,
- 15 \$124,390,000; and miscellaneous items including pur-
- 16 chase, exchange, maintenance, repair and operation of
- 17 House motor vehicles, interparliamentary receptions, and
- 18 gratuities to heirs of deceased employees of the House,
- 19 \$641,000.

20 CHILD CARE CENTER

- 21 For salaries and expenses of the House of Represent-
- 22 atives Child Care Center, such amounts as are deposited
- 23 in the account established by section 312(d)(1) of the Leg-
- 24 islative Branch Appropriations Act, 1992 (40 U.S.C.
- 25 184g(d)(1)), subject to the level specified in the budget

- 1 of the Center, as submitted to the Committee on Appro-
- 2 priations of the House of Representatives.
- 3 Administrative Provisions
- 4 Sec. 101. The provisions of House Resolution 7, One
- 5 Hundred Fifth Congress, agreed to January 7, 1997, es-
- 6 tablishing the Corrections Calendar Office, shall be the
- 7 permanent law with respect thereto. The provisions of
- 8 House Resolution 130, One Hundred Fifth Congress,
- 9 agreed to April 24, 1997, providing a lump sum allowance
- 10 for the Corrections Calendar Office, shall be the perma-
- 11 nent law with respect thereto.
- 12 Sec. 102. The funds and accounts specified in section
- 13 107(b) of the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act,
- 14 1996 (2 U.S.C. 123b note) shall be treated as categories
- 15 of allowances and expenses for purposes of section 101(a)
- 16 of the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 1993 (2
- 17 U.S.C. 95b(a)).
- 18 Sec. 103. (a) Section 109(a) of the Legislative
- 19 Branch Appropriations Act, 1996 (2 U.S.C. 60o(a)) is
- 20 amended—
- 21 (1) in the matter preceding paragraph (1), by
- striking "who is separated from employment,";
- (2) in the matter preceding paragraph (1), by
- striking "employee" the second place it appears and
- inserting "employee or for any other purpose"; and

- 1 (3) in paragraph (1)(B), by striking "the
- 2 amount" and inserting "in the case of a lump sum
- 3 payment for the accrued annual leave of the em-
- 4 ployee, the amount".
- 5 (b) The amendments made by subsection (a) shall
- 6 apply to fiscal years beginning on or after October 1,
- 7 1997.
- 8 Sec. 104. (a) Section 104(c)(2) of the House of Rep-
- 9 resentatives Administrative Reform Technical Corrections
- 10 Act (2 U.S.C. 92(c)(2)) is amended by striking "in the
- 11 District of Columbia".
- 12 (b) The amendment made by subsection (a) shall
- 13 apply with respect to fiscal years beginning on or after
- 14 October 1, 1997.
- 15 Sec. 105. (a) Section 204(11)(A) of the House of
- 16 Representatives Administrative Reform Technical Correc-
- 17 tions Act (110 Stat. 1731) is amended by striking out
- 18 "through 'respective Houses' and" and inserting in lieu
- 19 thereof the following: "through 'respective Houses' the
- 20 second place it appears and".
- 21 (b) The amendment made by subsection (a) shall take
- 22 effect as of August 20, 1996.
- SEC. 106. Section 104(a) of the Legislative Branch
- 24 Appropriations Act, 1987 (as incorporated by reference in

section 101(j) of Public Law 99–500 and Public Law 99– 1 2 591) (2 U.S.C. 117e) is amended— 3 (1) in the second sentence of paragraph (2), by striking "A donation" and inserting "Except as pro-5 vided in paragraph (3), a donation"; 6 (2) by redesignating paragraphs (3) and (4) as 7 paragraphs (4) and (5); and 8 (3) by inserting after paragraph (2) the follow-9 ing new paragraph: 10 "(3)(A) In the case of computer-related equipment, during fiscal year 1998 the Chief Administrative Officer 11 12 may donate directly the equipment to a public elementary 13 or secondary school of the District of Columbia without regard to whether the donation meets the requirements 14 15 of the second sentence of paragraph (2), except that the total number of workstations donated as a result of this 16 paragraph may not exceed 1,000. 17 18 "(B) In this paragraph— 19 "(i) the term 'computer-related equipment' in-20 cludes desktops, laptops, printers, file servers, and 21 peripherals which are appropriate for use in public 22 school education; 23 "(ii) the terms 'public elementary school' and 24 'public secondary school' have the meaning given

1	such terms in section 14101 of the Elementary and
2	Secondary Education Act of 1965; and
3	"(iii) the term 'workstation' includes desktops
4	and peripherals, file servers and peripherals, laptops
5	and peripherals, printers and peripherals, and
6	workstations and peripherals.
7	"(C) The Committee on House Oversight shall have
8	authority to issue regulations to carry out this para-
9	graph.".
10	(1)JOINT ITEMS
11	For Joint Committees, as follows:
12	Joint Economic Committee
13	For salaries and expenses of the Joint Economic
14	Committee, \$2,750,000, to be disbursed by the Secretary
15	of the Senate.
16	Joint Committee on Printing
17	For salaries and expenses of the Joint Committee on
18	Printing, \$804,000, to be disbursed by the Secretary of
19	the Senate.
20	Joint Committee on Taxation
21	For salaries and expenses of the Joint Committee on
22	Taxation, \$5,907,000, to be disbursed by the Chief Ad-
23	ministrative Officer of the House.
24	For other joint items, as follows:

1	OFFICE OF THE ATTENDING PHYSICIAN
2	For medical supplies, equipment, and contingent ex-
3	penses of the emergency rooms, and for the Attending
4	Physician and his assistants, including: (1) an allowance
5	of \$1,500 per month to the Attending Physician; (2) and
6	allowance of \$500 per month each to two medical officers
7	while on duty in the Office of the Attending Physician;
8	(3) an allowance of \$500 per month to one assistant and
9	\$400 per month each to not to exceed nine assistants on
10	the basis heretofore provided for such assistants; and (4)
11	\$893,000 for reimbursement to the Department of the
12	Navy for expenses incurred for staff and equipment as-
13	signed to the Office of the Attending Physician, which
14	shall be advanced and credited to the appropriations from
15	which such expenses incurred for staff and equipment are
16	payable and shall be available for all the purposes thereof,
17	\$1,266,000, to be disbursed by the Chief Administrative
18	Officer of the House.
19	Capitol Police Board
20	Capitol Police
21	SALARIES
22	For the Capitol Police Board for salaries of officers,
23	members, and employees of the Capitol Police, including
24	overtime, hazardous duty pay differential, clothing allow-
25	ance of not more than \$600 each for members required

- 1 to wear civilian attire, and Government contributions for
- 2 health, retirement, Social Security, and other applicable
- 3 employee benefits, \$70,955,000, of which \$34,118,000 is
- 4 provided to the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Rep-
- 5 resentatives, to be disbursed by the Chief Administrative
- 6 Officer of the House, and \$36,837,000 is provided to the
- 7 Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate, to be
- 8 disbursed by the Secretary of the Senate: Provided, That,
- 9 of the amounts appropriated under this heading, such
- 10 amounts as may be necessary may be transferred between
- 11 the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives and
- 12 the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate, upon
- 13 approval of the Committee on Appropriations of the House
- 14 of Representatives and the Committee on Appropriations
- 15 of the Senate.

16 GENERAL EXPENSES

- 17 For the Capitol Police Board for necessary expenses
- 18 of the Capitol Police, including motor vehicles, commu-
- 19 nications and other equipment, security equipment and in-
- 20 stallation, uniforms, weapons, supplies, materials, train-
- 21 ing, medical services, forensic services, stenographic serv-
- 22 ices, personal and professional services, the employee as-
- 23 sistance program, not more than \$2,000 for the awards
- 24 program, postage, telephone service, travel advances, relo-
- 25 eation of instructor and liaison personnel for the Federal

- 1 Law Enforcement Training Center, and \$85 per month
- 2 for extra services performed for the Capitol Police Board
- 3 by an employee of the Sergeant at Arms of the Senate
- 4 or the House of Representatives designated by the Chair-
- 5 man of the Board, \$3,099,000, to be disbursed by the
- 6 Chief Administrative Officer of the House of Representa-
- 7 tives: Provided, That, notwithstanding any other provision
- 8 of law, the cost of basic training for the Capitol Police
- 9 at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center for fis-
- 10 cal year 1998 shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treas-
- 11 ury from funds available to the Department of the Treas-
- 12 ury.
- 13 Administrative Provisions
- 14 Sec. 106. Amounts appropriated for fiscal year 1998
- 15 for the Capitol Police Board for the Capitol Police may
- 16 be transferred between the headings "SALARIES" and
- 17 "GENERAL EXPENSES" upon the approval of—
- 18 (1) the Committee on Appropriations of the House
- 19 of Representatives, in the case of amounts transferred
- 20 from the appropriation provided to the Sergeant at Arms
- 21 of the House of Representatives under the heading "SALA-
- 22 RIES";
- 23 (2) the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate,
- 24 in the case of amounts transferred from the appropriation

- 1 provided to the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the
- 2 Senate under the heading "SALARIES"; and
- 3 (3) the Committees on Appropriations of the Senate
- 4 and the House of Representatives, in the case of other
- 5 transfers.
- 6 SEC. 107. (a)(1) The Capitol Police Board shall es-
- 7 tablish and maintain unified schedules of rates of basic
- 8 pay for members and civilian employees of the Capitol Po-
- 9 lice which shall apply to both members and employees
- 10 whose appointing authority is an officer of the Senate and
- 11 members and employees whose appointing authority is an
- 12 officer of the House of Representatives.
- 13 (2) The Capitol Police Board may, from time to time,
- 14 adjust any schedule established under paragraph (1) to
- 15 the extent that the Board determines appropriate to re-
- 16 fleet changes in the cost of living and to maintain pay
- 17 comparability.
- 18 (3) A schedule established or revised under para-
- 19 graph (1) or (2) shall take effect only upon approval by
- 20 the Committee on House Oversight of the House of Rep-
- 21 resentatives and the Committee on Rules and Administra-
- 22 tion of the Senate.
- 23 (4) A schedule approved under paragraph (3) shall
- 24 have the force and effect of law.

1	(b)(1) The Capitol Police Board shall prescribe, by
2	regulation, a unified leave system for members and civilian
3	employees of the Capitol Police which shall apply to both
4	members and employees whose appointing authority is an
5	officer of the Senate and members and employees whose
6	appointing authority is an officer of the House of Rep
7	resentatives. The leave system shall include provisions
8	for —
9	(A) annual leave, based on years of service;
10	(B) sick leave;
11	(C) administrative leave;
12	(D) leave under the Family and Medical Leave
13	Act of 1993 (29 U.S.C. 2601 et seq.);
14	(E) leave without pay and leave with reduced
15	pay, including provisions relating to contributions
16	for benefits for any period of such leave;
17	(F) approval of all leave by the Chief or the
18	designee of the Chief;
19	(G) the order in which categories of leave shall
20	be used;
21	(H) use, accrual, and carryover rules and limi
22	tations, including rules and limitations for any pe
23	riod of active duty in the armed forces:

- 1 (I) advance of annual leave or sick leave after
 2 a member or civilian employee has used all such ac3 crued leave;
 4 (I) buy back of annual leave or sick leave used
 - (J) buy back of annual leave or sick leave used during an extended recovery period in the case of an injury in the performance of duty;
- 7 (K) the use of accrued leave before termination
 8 of the employment as a member or civilian employee
 9 of the Capitol Police, with provision for lump sum
 10 payment for unused annual leave; and
- 11 (L) a leave sharing program.

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- 12 (2) The leave system under this section may not pro-13 vide for the accrual of either annual or sick leave for any 14 period of leave without pay or leave with reduced pay.
- 15 (3) All provisions of the leave system established
 16 under this subsection shall be subject to the approval of
 17 the Committee on House Oversight of the House of Rep18 resentatives and the Committee on Rules and Administra19 tion of the Senate. All regulations approved under this
 20 subsection shall have the force and effect of law.
- 21 (e)(1) Upon the approval of the Capitol Police Board,
 22 a member or civilian employee of the Capitol Police who
 23 is separated from service, may be paid a lump sum pay24 ment for the accrued annual leave of the member or civil25 ian employee.

1	(2) The lump sum payment under paragraph (1)—
2	(A) shall equal the pay the member or civilian
3	employee would have received had such member or
4	employee remained in the service until the expiration
5	of the period of annual leave;
6	(B) shall be paid from amounts appropriated to
7	the Capitol Police;
8	(C) shall be based on the rate of basic pay in
9	effect with respect to the member or civilian em-
10	ployee on the last day of service of the member or
11	civilian employee;
12	(D) shall not be calculated on the basis of ex-
13	tending the period of leave described under subpara-
14	graph (A) by any holiday occurring after the date of
15	separation from service;
16	(E) shall be considered pay for taxation pur-
17	poses only; and
18	(F) shall be paid only after the Chairman of the
19	Capitol Police Board certifies the applicable period
20	of leave to the Secretary of the Senate or the Chief
21	Administrative Officer of the House of Representa-
22	tives, as appropriate.
23	(3) A member or civilian employee of the Capitol Po-
24	lice who enters active duty in the armed forces may—

1	(A) receive a lump sum payment for accrued
2	annual leave in accordance with this subsection, in
3	addition to any pay or allowance payable from the
4	armed forces; or
5	(B) elect to have the leave remain to the credit
6	of such member or civilian employee until such mem-
7	ber or civilian employee returns from active duty.
8	(4) The Capitol Police Board may prescribe regula-
9	tions to earry out this subsection. No lump sum payment
10	may be paid under this subsection until such regulations
11	are approved by the Committee on Rules and Administra-
12	tion of the Senate and the Committee on House Oversight
13	of the House of Representatives. All regulations approved
14	under this subsection shall have the force and effect of
15	law.
16	(d) Nothing in this section shall be construed to af-
17	feet the appointing authority of any officer of the Senate
18	or the House of Representatives.
19	Capitol Guide Service and Special Services
20	OFFICE
21	For salaries and expenses of the Capitol Guide Serv-
22	ice and Special Services Office, \$1,991,000, to be dis-
23	bursed by the Secretary of the Senate: Provided, That no
24	part of such amount may be used to employ more than
25	forty individuals: Provided further, That the Capitol Guide

1	Board is authorized, during emergencies, to employ not
2	more than two additional individuals for not more than
3	one hundred twenty days each, and not more than ten ad-
4	ditional individuals for not more than six months each,
5	for the Capitol Guide Service.
6	STATEMENTS OF APPROPRIATIONS
7	For the preparation, under the direction of the Com-
8	mittees on Appropriations of the Senate and the House
9	of Representatives, of the statements for the first session
10	of the One Hundred Fifth Congress, showing appropria-
11	tions made, indefinite appropriations, and contracts au-
12	thorized, together with a chronological history of the regu-
13	lar appropriations bills as required by law, \$30,000, to be
14	paid to the persons designated by the chairmen of such
15	committees to supervise the work.
16	OFFICE OF COMPLIANCE
17	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
18	For salaries and expenses of the Office of Compli-
19	ance, as authorized by section 305 of the Congressional
20	Accountability Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1385), \$2,479,000.
21	CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
22	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
23	For salaries and expenses necessary to carry out the
24	provisions of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 (Pub-
25	lie Law 93-344), including not more than \$2.500 to be

1	expended on the certification of the Director of the Con-
2	gressional Budget Office in connection with official rep-
3	resentation and reception expenses, \$24,797,000: Pro-
4	vided, That no part of such amount may be used for the
5	purchase or hire of a passenger motor vehicle.
6	ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL
7	Capitol Buildings and Grounds
8	CAPITOL BUILDINGS
9	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
10	For salaries for the Architect of the Capitol, the As-
11	sistant Architect of the Capitol, and other personal serv-
12	ices, at rates of pay provided by law; for surveys and stud-
13	ies in connection with activities under the care of the Ar-
14	chitect of the Capitol; for all necessary expenses for the
15	maintenance, care and operation of the Capitol and elec-
16	trical substations of the Senate and House office buildings
17	under the jurisdiction of the Architect of the Capitol, in-
18	eluding furnishings and office equipment, including not
19	more than \$1,000 for official reception and representation
20	expenses, to be expended as the Architect of the Capito
21	may approve; for purchase or exchange, maintenance and
22	operation of a passenger motor vehicle; and for attend-

ance, when specifically authorized by the Architect of the

Capitol, at meetings or conventions in connection with

subjects related to work under the Architect of the Cap-

1	itol, \$36,827,000, of which \$6,450,000 shall remain avail-
2	able until expended.
3	CAPITOL GROUNDS
4	For all necessary expenses for care and improvement
5	of grounds surrounding the Capitol, the Senate and House
6	office buildings, and the Capitol Power Plant, \$4,991,000
7	of which \$25,000 shall remain available until expended
8	SENATE
9	EXPENSE ALLOWANCES
10	For expense allowances of the Vice President, \$10,000
11	the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, \$10,000; Majority
12	Leader of the Senate, \$10,000; Minority Leader of the Sen
13	ate, \$10,000; Majority Whip of the Senate, \$5,000; Minority
14	Whip of the Senate, \$5,000; and Chairmen of the Majority
15	and Minority Conference Committees, \$3,000 for each
16	Chairman; in all, \$56,000.
17	REPRESENTATION ALLOWANCES FOR THE MAJORITY AND
18	MINORITY LEADERS
19	For representation allowances of the Majority and Mi
20	nority Leaders of the Senate, \$15,000 for each such Leader
21	in all, \$30,000.
22	Salaries, Officers and Employees
23	For compensation of officers, employees, and others as
24	authorized by law, including agency contributions

\$77,254,000, which shall be paid from this appropriation 1 without regard to the below limitations, as follows: 3 OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT For the Office of the Vice President, \$1,612,000. 5 OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE 6 For the Office of the President Pro Tempore, \$371,000. 7 OFFICES OF THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS 8 For Offices of the Majority and Minority Leaders, 9 \$2,388,000. 10 OFFICES OF THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY WHIPS 11 For Offices of the Majority and Minority Whips, 12 \$1,221,000. 13 CONFERENCE COMMITTEES 14 For the Conference of the Majority and the Conference 15 of the Minority, at rates of compensation to be fixed by the Chairman of each such committee, \$1,061,000 for each such 16 committee; in all, \$2,122,000. 17 18 OFFICES OF THE SECRETARIES OF THE CONFERENCE OF 19 THE MAJORITY AND THE CONFERENCE OF THE MINORITY 20 For Offices of the Secretaries of the Conference of the 21 Majority and the Conference of the Minority, \$409,000. 22 POLICY COMMITTEES 23 For salaries of the Majority Policy Committee and the Minority Policy Committee, \$1,077,500 for each such com-

mittee, in all, \$2,155,000.

1	OFFICE OF THE CHAPLAIN
2	For Office of the Chaplain, \$260,000.
3	OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
4	For Office of the Secretary, \$13,306,000.
5	OFFICE OF THE SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER
6	For Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper,
7	\$33,037,000.
8	OFFICES OF THE SECRETARIES FOR THE MAJORITY AND
9	MINORITY
10	For Offices of the Secretary for the Majority and the
11	Secretary for the Minority, \$1,165,000.
12	AGENCY CONTRIBUTIONS AND RELATED EXPENSES
13	For agency contributions for employee benefits, as au-
14	thorized by law, and related expenses, \$19,208,000.
15	Office of the Legislative Counsel of the Senate
16	For salaries and expenses of the Office of the Legisla-
17	tive Counsel of the Senate, \$3,605,000.
18	Office of Senate Legal Counsel
19	For salaries and expenses of the Office of Senate Legal
20	Counsel \$966 000

1	Expense Allowances of the Secretary of the Sen-
2	ATE, SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER OF THE
3	Senate, and Secretaries for the Majority and
4	Minority of the Senate
5	For expense allowances of the Secretary of the Senate,
6	\$3,000; Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate,
7	\$3,000; Secretary for the Majority of the Senate, \$3,000;
8	Secretary for the Minority of the Senate, \$3,000; in all,
9	\$12,000.
10	Contingent Expenses of the Senate
11	INQUIRIES AND INVESTIGATIONS
12	For expenses of inquiries and investigations ordered
13	by the Senate, or conducted pursuant to section 134(a) of
14	Public Law 601, Seventy-ninth Congress, as amended, sec-
15	tion 112 of Public Law 96-304 and Senate Resolution 281,
16	agreed to March 11, 1980, \$75,600,000.
17	EXPENSES OF THE UNITED STATES SENATE CAUCUS ON
18	INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL
19	For expenses of the United States Senate Caucus on
20	International Narcotics Control, \$370,000.
21	SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
22	For expenses of the Office of the Secretary of the Sen-
23	ate, \$1,511,000.

1	SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER OF THE SENATE
2	For expenses of the Office of the Sergeant at Arms and
3	Doorkeeper of the Senate, \$64,400,000, of which \$7,000,000
4	shall remain available until September 30, 1999.
5	MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS
6	For miscellaneous items, \$7,905,000.
7	SENATORS' OFFICIAL PERSONNEL AND OFFICE EXPENSE
8	ACCOUNT
9	For Senators' Official Personnel and Office Expense
10	Account, \$228,600,000.
11	STATIONERY (REVOLVING FUND)
12	For stationery for the President of the Senate, \$4,500,
13	for officers of the Senate and the Conference of the Majority
14	and Conference of the Minority of the Senate, \$8,500; in
15	all, \$13,000.
16	OFFICIAL MAIL COSTS
17	For expenses necessary for official mail costs of the
18	Senate, \$300,000, to remain available until September 30,
19	1999.
20	ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS
21	Section 1. (a) For fiscal year 1998, and each fiscal
22	year thereafter, the Secretary of the Senate is authorized
23	to make advance payments under a contract or other agree-
24	ment to provide a service or deliver an article for the United

- 1 States Government without regard to the provisions of sec-
- 2 tion 3324 of title 31, United States Code.
- 3 (b) An advance payment authorized by subsection (a)
- 4 shall be made in accordance with regulations issued by the
- 5 Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate.
- 6 (c) The authority granted by subsection (a) shall not
- 7 take effect until regulations are issued pursuant to sub-
- 8 section (b).
- 9 Sec. 2. (a) Upon the written request of the Majority
- 10 or Minority Whip of the Senate, the Secretary of the Senate
- 11 shall transfer during any fiscal year, from the appropria-
- 12 tions account appropriated under the headings "Salaries,
- 13 Officers and Employees" and "Offices of the Majority and
- 14 Minority Whips", such amount as either whip shall specify
- 15 to the appropriations account, within the contingent fund
- 16 of the Senate, "Miscellaneous Items".
- 17 (b) The Majority and Minority Whips of the Senate
- 18 are each authorized to incur such expenses as may be nec-
- 19 essary or appropriate. Expenses incurred by either such
- 20 whip shall be paid from the amount transferred pursuant
- 21 to subsection (a) by such whip and upon vouchers approved
- 22 by such whip.
- 23 (c) The Secretary of the Senate is authorized to ad-
- 24 vance such sums as may be necessary to defray expenses
- 25 incurred in carrying out subsections (a) and (b).

- 1 Sec. 3. (a) Effective in the case of any fiscal year
- 2 which begins on or after October 1, 1997, clause (iii) of
- 3 paragraph (3)(A) of section 506(b) of the Supplemental Ap-
- 4 propriations Act, 1973 (2 U.S.C. 58(b)) is amended to read
- 5 as follows:
- 6 "(iii) subject to subparagraph (B), in case the
- 7 Senator represents Alabama, \$182,567, Alaska,
- 8 \$251,901, Arizona, \$197,079, Arkansas, \$168,282,
- 9 California, \$468,724, Colorado, \$186,350, Connecti-
- 10 cut, \$160,903, Delaware, \$127,198, Florida, \$299,746,
- 11 Georgia, \$210,214, Hawaii, \$279,512, Idaho,
- 12 \$163,335, Illinois, \$266,248, Indiana, \$194,770,
- 13 Iowa, \$170,565, Kansas, \$168,177, Kentucky,
- 14 \$177,338, Louisiana, \$185,647, Maine, \$147,746,
- 15 Maryland, \$173,020, Massachusetts, \$195,799, Michi-
- 16 gan, \$236,459, Minnesota, \$187,702, Mississippi,
- 17 \$168,103, Missouri, \$197,941, Montana, \$161,725,
- 18 Nebraska, \$160,361, Nevada, \$171,096, New Hamp-
- 19 shire, \$142,394, New Jersey, \$206,260, New Mexico,
- 20 \$166,140, New York, \$327,955, North Carolina,
- 21 \$210,946, North Dakota, \$149,824, Ohio, \$259,452,
- 22 Oklahoma, \$181,761, Oregon, \$189,345, Pennsylva-
- 23 nia, \$266,148, Rhode Island, \$138,582, South Caro-
- 24 lina, \$170,451, South Dakota, \$151,450, Tennessee,
- 25 \$191,954, Texas, \$348,681, Utah, \$168,632, Vermont,

- 1 \$135,925, Virginia, \$193,467, Washington, \$214,694,
- 2 West Virginia, \$147,772, Wisconsin, \$191,569, Wyo-
- 3 ming, \$152,438, plus".
- 4 (b) Subsection (a) of the first section of Public Law
- 5 100-137 (2 U.S.C. 58c) is amended by adding at the end
- 6 the following:
- 7 "(6) Effective on and after October 1, 1997, the Sen-
- 8 ators' Account shall be available for the payment of franked
- 9 mail expenses of Senators.".
- 10 (c)(1) Section 12 of Public Law 101–520 is repealed.
- 11 (2) The amendment made by paragraph (1) shall be
- 12 effective on and after October 1, 1997.
- 13 (d) Nothing in this section affects the authority of the
- 14 Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate to
- 15 prescribe regulations relating to the frank by Senators and
- 16 officers of the Senate.
- 17 Sec. 4. (a) The aggregate amount authorized by Sen-
- 18 ate Resolution 54, agreed to February 13, 1997, is in-
- 19 creased—
- 20 (1) by \$401,635 for the period March 1, 1997,
- 21 through September 30, 1998, and
- 22 (2) by \$994,150 for the period March 1, 1998,
- 23 through February 28, 1999.
- 24 (b) This section is effective on and after October 1,
- 25 1997.

- 1 Sec. 5. Effective on and after October 1, 1997, each
- 2 of the dollar amounts contained in the table under section
- 3 105(d)(1) of the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act,
- 4 1968 (2 U.S.C 61-1) shall be deemed to be the dollar
- 5 amounts in that table on December 31, 1995, increased by
- 6 2 percent on January 1, 1996, and by 2.3 percent on Janu-
- 7 ary 1, 1997.
- 8 Sec. 6. (a) The aggregate amount authorized by Sen-
- 9 ate Resolution 54, agreed to February 13, 1997, is in-
- 10 creased—
- 11 (1) by \$125,000 for the period March 1, 1997,
- 12 through September 30, 1998; and
- 13 (2) by \$175,000 for the period March 1, 1998,
- 14 through February 28, 1999.
- 15 (b) Funds in the account, within the contingent fund
- 16 of the Senate, available for the expenses of inquiries and
- 17 investigations shall be available for franked mail expenses
- 18 incurred by committees of the Senate the other expenses of
- 19 which are paid from that account.
- 20 (c) This section is effective for fiscal years beginning
- 21 on and after October 1, 1997.
- 22 Sec. 7. Section 1101 of Public Law 85–58 (2 U.S.C.
- 23 46a-1) is amended by adding at the end the following:
- 24 "Disbursements from the fund shall be made upon vouchers
- 25 approved by the Secretary of the Senate, or his designee.".

1	$JOINT\ ITEMS$
2	For Joint Committees, as follows:
3	Joint Economic Committee
4	For salaries and expenses of the Joint Economic Com-
5	mittee, \$2,750,000, to be disbursed by the Secretary of the
6	Senate.
7	Joint Committee on Printing
8	For salaries and expenses of the Joint Committee on
9	Printing, \$807,000, to be disbursed by the Secretary of the
10	Senate.
11	Joint Committee on Taxation
12	For salaries and expenses of the Joint Committee on
13	Taxation, \$5,724,000, to be disbursed by the Chief Adminis-
14	trative Officer of the House: Provided, That \$100,000 of the
15	funds in this Act shall not be available for expenditure ex-
16	cept for staff designated to provide Members of Congress,
17	not on the Tax Committees, assistance in securing revenue
18	estimates for legislation with the assumptions used in deter-
19	mining the revenue estimate prepared by the Joint Commit-
20	tee for that Member of Congress.
21	For other joint items, as follows:
22	Office of the Attending Physician
23	For medical supplies, equipment, and contingent ex-
24	penses of the emergency rooms, and for the Attending Physi-
25	cian and his assistants, including (1) an allowance of

1	\$1,500 per month to the Attending Physician; (2) an allow-
2	ance of \$500 per month each to two medical officers while
3	on duty in the Attending Physician's office; (3) an allow-
4	ance of \$500 per month to one assistant and \$400 per
5	month each to not to exceed nine assistants on the basis
6	heretofore provided for such assistance; and (4) \$893,000
7	for reimbursement to the Department of the Navy for ex-
8	penses incurred for staff and equipment assigned to the Of-
9	fice of the Attending Physician, which shall be advanced
10	and credited to the applicable appropriation or appropria-
11	tions from which such salaries, allowances, and other ex-
12	penses are payable and shall be available for all the pur-
13	poses thereof, \$1,266,000, to be disbursed by the Chief Ad-
14	ministrative Officer of the House.
15	Capitol Police Board
16	Capitol Police
17	SALARIES
18	For the Capitol Police Board for salaries of officers,
19	members, and employees of the Capitol Police, including
20	overtime, hazardous duty pay differential, clothing allow-
21	ance of not more than \$600 each for members required to
22	wear civilian attire, and Government contributions for
23	health, retirement, Social Security, and other applicable
24	employee benefits, \$73,935,000, of which \$35,507,000 is pro-
25	vided to the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representa-

- 1 tives, to be disbursed by the Chief Administrative Officer
- 2 of the House, and \$38,428,000 is provided to the Sergeant
- 3 at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate, to be disbursed by
- 4 the Secretary of the Senate: Provided, That, of the amounts
- 5 appropriated under this heading, such amounts as may be
- 6 necessary may be transferred between the Sergeant at Arms
- 7 of the House of Representatives and the Sergeant at Arms
- 8 and Doorkeeper of the Senate, upon approval of the Com-
- 9 mittee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives
- 10 and the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate.

11 GENERAL EXPENSES

- 12 For the Capitol Police Board for necessary expenses
- 13 of the Capitol Police, including motor vehicles, communica-
- 14 tions and other equipment, security equipment and instal-
- 15 lation, uniforms, weapons, supplies, materials, training,
- 16 medical services, forensic services, stenographic services,
- 17 personal and professional services, the employee assistance
- 18 program, not more than \$2,000 for the awards program,
- 19 postage, telephone service, travel advances, relocation of in-
- 20 structor and liaison personnel for the Federal Law Enforce-
- 21 ment Training Center, and \$85 per month for extra services
- 22 performed for the Capitol Police Board by an employee of
- 23 the Sergeant at Arms of the Senate or the House of Rep-
- 24 resentatives designated by the Chairman of the Board,
- 25 \$5,401,000, to be disbursed by the Chief Administrative Of-

1 ficer of the House of Representatives: Provided, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, the cost of basic training for the Capitol Police at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center for fiscal year 1998 shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury from funds available to the Department of the Treasury. 7 Administrative Provisions 8 SEC. 101. Amounts appropriated for fiscal year 1998 for the Capitol Police Board for the Capitol Police may be transferred between the headings "SALARIES" and "GEN-ERAL EXPENSES" upon the approval of— 12 (1) the Committee on Appropriations of the 13 House of Representatives, in the case of amounts 14 transferred from the appropriation provided to the 15 Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives under the heading "SALARIES"; 16 17 (2) the Committee on Appropriations of the Sen-18 ate, in the case of amounts transferred from the ap-19 propriation provided to the Sergeant at Arms and 20 Doorkeeper of the Senate under the heading "SALA-21 RIES": and 22 (3) the Committees on Appropriations of the 23 Senate and the House of Representatives, in the case

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of other transfers.

- 1 Sec. 102. (a)(1) The Capitol Police Board shall estab-
- 2 lish and maintain unified schedules of rates of basic pay
- 3 for members and civilian employees of the Capitol Police
- 4 which shall apply to both Members and employees whose
- 5 appointing authority is an officer of the Senate and Mem-
- 6 bers and employees whose appointing authority is an officer
- 7 of the House of Representatives.
- 8 (2) The Capitol Police Board may, from time to time,
- 9 adjust any schedule established under paragraph (1) to the
- 10 extent that the Board determines appropriate to reflect
- 11 changes in the cost of living and to maintain pay com-
- 12 parability.
- 13 (3) A schedule established or revised under paragraph
- 14 (1) or (2) shall take effect only upon approval by the Com-
- 15 mittee on House Oversight of the House of Representatives
- 16 and the Committee on Rules and Administration of the
- 17 Senate.
- 18 (4) A schedule approved under paragraph (3) shall
- 19 have the force and effect of law.
- 20 (b)(1) The Capitol Police Board shall prescribe, by reg-
- 21 ulation, a unified leave system for members and civilian
- 22 employees of the Capitol Police which shall apply to both
- 23 Members and employees whose appointing authority is an
- 24 officer of the Senate and Members and employees whose ap-

1	pointing authority is an officer of the House of Representa-
2	tives. The leave system shall include provisions for—
3	(A) annual leave, based on years of service;
4	(B) sick leave;
5	(C) administrative leave;
6	(D) leave under the Family and Medical Leave
7	Act of 1993 (29 U.S.C. 2601 et seq.);
8	(E) leave without pay and leave with reduced
9	pay, including provisions relating to contribution for
10	benefits for any period of such leave;
11	(F) approval of all leave by the Chief or the des-
12	ignee of the Chief;
13	(G) the order in which categories of leave shall
14	$be\ used;$
15	(H) use, accrual, and carryover rules and limi-
16	tations, including rules and limitations for any pe-
17	riod of active duty in the Armed Forces;
18	(I) advance of annual leave or sick leave after a
19	member or civilian employee has used all such ac-
20	crued leave;
21	(I) buy back of annual leave or sick leave used
22	during an extended recovery period in the case of an
23	injury in the performance of duty;
24	(K) the use of accrued leave before termination
25	of the employment as a member or civilian employee

1	of the Capitol Police, with provision for lump sum
2	payment for unused annual leave; and
3	(L) a leave sharing program.
4	(2) The leave system under this section may not pro-
5	vide for the accrual of either annual or sick leave for any
6	period of leave without pay or leave with reduced pay.
7	(3) All provisions of the leave system established under
8	this subsection shall be subject to the approval of the Com-
9	mittee on House Oversight of the House of Representatives
10	and the Committee on Rules and Administration of the
11	Senate. All regulations approved under this subsection shall
12	have the force and effect of law.
13	(c)(1) Upon the approval of the Capitol Police Board,
14	a member or civilian employee of the Capitol Police who
15	is separated from service, may be paid a lump sum pay-
16	ment for the accrued annual leave of the member or civilian
17	employee.
18	(2) The lump sum payment under paragraph (1)—
19	(A) shall equal the pay the member or civilian
20	employee would have received had such member or
21	employee remained in the service until the expiration
22	of the period of annual leave;
23	(B) shall be paid from amounts appropriated to
24	the Capitol Police;

1	(C) shall be based on the rate of basic pay in ef-
2	fect with respect to the member or civilian employee
3	on the last day of service of the member or civilian
4	employee;
5	(D) shall not be calculated on the basis of extend-
6	ing the period of leave described under subparagraph
7	(A) by any holiday occurring after the date of separa-
8	tion from service;
9	(E) shall be considered pay for taxation purposes
10	only; and
11	(F) shall be paid only after the Chairman of the
12	Capitol Police Board certifies the applicable period of
13	leave to the Secretary of the Senate or the Chief Ad-
14	ministrative Officer of the House of Representatives,
15	as appropriate.
16	(3) A member or civilian employee of the Capitol Po-
17	lice who enters active duty in the armed forces may—
18	(A) receive a lump sum payment for accrued an-
19	nual leave in accordance with this subsection, in ad-
20	dition to any pay or allowance payable from the
21	armed forces; or
22	(B) elect to have the leave remain to the credit
23	of such member or civilian employee until such mem-
24	ber or civilian employee returns from active duty.

- 1 (4) The Capitol Police Board may prescribe regula-
- 2 tions to carry out this subsection. No lump sum payment
- 3 may be paid under this subsection until such regulations
- 4 are approved by the Committee on Rules and Administra-
- 5 tion of the Senate and the Committee on House Oversight
- 6 of the House of Representatives. All regulations approved
- 7 under this subsection shall have the force and effect of law.
- 8 (d) Nothing in this section shall be construed to effect
- 9 the appointing authority of any officer of the Senate or the
- 10 House of Representatives.
- 11 Capitol Guide Service and Special Services Office
- 12 For salaries and expenses of the Capitol Guide Service
- 13 and Special Services Office, \$1,991,000, to be disbursed by
- 14 the Secretary of the Senate: Provided, That no part of such
- 15 amount may be used to employ more than forty individuals:
- 16 Provided further, That the Capitol Guide Board is author-
- 17 ized, during emergencies, to employ not more than two ad-
- 18 ditional individuals for not more than one hundred twenty
- 19 days each, and not more than ten additional individuals
- 20 for not more than six months each, for the Capitol Guide
- 21 Service.
- 22 Statements of Appropriations
- 23 For the preparation, under the direction of the Com-
- 24 mittees on Appropriations of the Senate and the House of
- 25 Representatives, of the statements for the first session of the

1	One Hundred Fifth Congress, showing appropriations
2	made, indefinite appropriations, and contracts authorized,
3	together with a chronological history of the regular appro-
4	priations bills as required by law, \$30,000, to be paid to
5	the persons designated by the chairmen of such committees
6	to supervise the work.
7	OFFICE OF COMPLIANCE
8	Salaries and Expenses
9	For salaries and expenses of the Office of Compliance,
10	as authorized by section 305 of the Congressional Account-
11	ability Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1385), \$2,600,000.
12	CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
13	Salaries and Expenses
14	For salaries and expenses necessary to carry out the
15	provisions of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 (Public
16	Law 93-344), including not more than \$2,500 to be ex-
17	pended on the certification of the Director of the Congres-
18	sional Budget Office in connection with official representa-
19	tion and reception expenses, \$24,995,000: Provided, That
20	no part of such amount may be used for the purchase or
21	hire of a passenger motor vehicle.

1	ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL
2	Capitol Buildings and Grounds
3	CAPITOL BUILDINGS
4	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
5	For salaries for the Architect of the Capitol, the Assist-
6	ant Architect of the Capitol, and other personal services,
7	at rates of pay provided by law; for surveys and studies
8	in connection with activities under the care of the Architect
9	of the Capitol; for all necessary expenses for the mainte-
10	nance, care and operation of the Capitol and electrical sub-
11	stations of the Senate and House office buildings under the
12	jurisdiction of the Architect of the Capitol, including fur-
13	nishings and office equipment; including not more than
14	\$1,000 for official reception and representation expenses, to
15	be expended as the Architect of the Capitol may approve,
16	purchase or exchange, maintenance and operation of a pas-
17	senger motor vehicle; and not to exceed \$20,000 for attend-
18	ance, when specifically authorized by the Architect of the
19	Capitol, at meetings or conventions in connection with sub-
20	jects related to work under the Architect of the Capitol,
21	\$39,554,000, of which \$7,500,000 shall remain available
22	until expended.
23	CAPITOL GROUNDS
24	For all necessary expenses for care and improvement
25	of grounds surrounding the Capitol, the Senate and House

- 1 office buildings, and the Capitol Power Plant, \$6,203,000,
- 2 of which \$745,000 shall remain available until expended.
- 3 House office buildings
- 4 For all necessary expenses for the maintenance, care
- 5 and operation of the House office buildings, \$37,181,000,
- 6 of which \$8,082,000 shall remain available until expended.

7 (2) CAPITOL POWER PLANT

- 8 For all necessary expenses for the maintenance, care
- 9 and operation of the Capitol Power Plant; lighting, heat-
- 10 ing, power (including the purchase of electrical energy)
- 11 and water and sewer services for the Capitol, Senate and
- 12 House office buildings, Library of Congress buildings, and
- 13 the grounds about the same, Botanie Garden, Senate ga-
- 14 rage, and air conditioning refrigeration not supplied from
- 15 plants in any of such buildings; heating the Government
- 16 Printing Office and Washington City Post Office, and
- 17 heating and chilled water for air conditioning for the Su-
- 18 preme Court Building, the Union Station complex, the
- 19 Thurgood Marshall Federal Judiciary Building and the
- 20 Folger Shakespeare Library, expenses for which shall be
- 21 advanced or reimbursed upon request of the Architect of
- 22 the Capitol and amounts so received shall be deposited
- 23 into the Treasury to the credit of this appropriation,
- 24 \$32,032,000, of which \$550,000 shall remain available
- 25 until expended: Provided, That not more than \$4,000,000
- 26 of the funds credited or to be reimbursed to this appro-

1	priation as herein provided shall be available for obligation
2	during fiscal year 1998.
3	LIBRARY OF CONGRESS
4	Congressional Research Service
5	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
6	For necessary expenses to earry out the provisions
7	of section 203 of the Legislative Reorganization Act of
8	1946 (2 U.S.C. 166) and to revise and extend the Anno-
9	tated Constitution of the United States of America,
10	\$64,603,000: Provided, That no part of such amount may
11	be used to pay any salary or expense in connection with
12	any publication, or preparation of material therefor (ex-
13	cept the Digest of Public General Bills), to be issued by
14	the Library of Congress unless such publication has ob-
15	tained prior approval of either the Committee on House
16	Oversight of the House of Representatives or the Commit-
17	tee on Rules and Administration of the Senate: Provided
18	further, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law,
19	the compensation of the Director of the Congressional Re-
20	search Service, Library of Congress, shall be at an annual
21	rate which is equal to the annual rate of basic pay for
22	positions at level IV of the Executive Schedule under sec-
23	tion 5315 of title 5, United States Code.

1	GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE
2	Congressional Printing and Binding
3	(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)
4	For authorized printing and binding for the Congress
5	and the distribution of Congressional information in any
6	format; printing and binding for the Architect of the Cap-
7	itol; expenses necessary for preparing the semimonthly
8	and session index to the Congressional Record, as author-
9	ized by law (44 U.S.C. 902); printing and binding of Gov-
10	ernment publications authorized by law to be distributed
11	to Members of Congress; and printing, binding, and dis-
12	tribution of Government publications authorized by law to
13	be distributed without charge to the recipient,
14	\$81,669,000, of which \$11,017,000 shall be derived by
15	transfer from the Government Printing Office revolving
16	fund under section 309 of title 44, United States Code:
17	Provided, That this appropriation shall not be available
18	for paper copies of the permanent edition of the Congres-
19	sional Record for individual Representatives, Resident
20	Commissioners or Delegates authorized under 44 U.S.C.
21	906: Provided further, That this appropriation shall be
22	available for the payment of obligations incurred under the
23	appropriations for similar purposes for preceding fiscal
24	years.

1	This title may be cited as the "Congressional Oper-
2	ations Appropriations Act, 1998".
3	TITLE II—OTHER AGENCIES
4	BOTANIC GARDEN
5	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
6	For all necessary expenses for the maintenance, care
7	and operation of the Botanic Garden and the nurseries,
8	buildings, grounds, and collections; and purchase and ex-
9	change, maintenance, repair, and operation of a passenger
10	motor vehicle; all under the direction of the Joint Commit-
11	tee on the Library, \$1,771,000.
12	LIBRARY OF CONGRESS
13	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
14	For necessary expenses of the Library of Congress
15	not otherwise provided for, including development and
16	maintenance of the Union Catalogs; custody and custodial
17	eare of the Library buildings; special clothing; cleaning,
18	laundering and repair of uniforms; preservation of motion
19	pictures in the custody of the Library; operation and
20	maintenance of the American Folklife Center in the Li-
21	brary; preparation and distribution of eatalog records and
22	other publications of the Library; hire or purchase of one
	other publications of the Library; hire or purchase of one passenger motor vehicle; and expenses of the Library of
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1	\$223,507,000, of which not more than \$7,869,000 shall
2	be derived from collections credited to this appropriation
3	during fiscal year 1998, and shall remain available until
4	expended, under the Act of June 28, 1902 (chapter 1301;
5	32 Stat. 480; 2 U.S.C. 150): Provided, That the Library
6	of Congress may not obligate or expend any funds derived
7	from collections under the Act of June 28, 1902, in excess
8	of the amount authorized for obligation or expenditure in
9	appropriations Acts: Provided further, That the total
10	amount available for obligation shall be reduced by the
11	amount by which collections are less than the \$7,869,000:
12	Provided further, That of the total amount appropriated,
13	\$8,845,000 is to remain available until expended for ac-
14	quisition of books, periodicals, newspapers, and all other
15	materials including subscriptions for bibliographic services
16	for the Library, including \$40,000 to be available solely
17	for the purchase, when specifically approved by the Librar-
18	ian, of special and unique materials for additions to the
19	collections.
20	COPYRIGHT OFFICE
21	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
22	For necessary expenses of the Copyright Office, in-
23	eluding publication of the decisions of the United States
24	courts involving copyrights, \$34,361,000, of which not
2.5	more than \$17.340,000 shall be derived from collections

- 1 credited to this appropriation during fiscal year 1998
- 2 under 17 U.S.C. 708(d), and not more than \$5,086,000
- 3 shall be derived from collections during fiscal year 1998
- 4 under 17 U.S.C. 111(d)(2), 119(b)(2), 802(h), and 1005:
- 5 Provided, That the total amount available for obligation
- 6 shall be reduced by the amount by which collections are
- 7 less than \$22,426,000: Provided further, That not more
- 8 than \$100,000 of the amount appropriated is available for
- 9 the maintenance of an "International Copyright Institute"
- 10 in the Copyright Office of the Library of Congress for the
- 11 purpose of training nationals of developing countries in
- 12 intellectual property laws and policies: Provided further,
- 13 That not more than \$2,250 may be expended, on the cer-
- 14 tification of the Librarian of Congress, in connection with
- 15 official representation and reception expenses for activities
- 16 of the International Copyright Institute.
- 17 Books for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
- 18 salaries and expenses
- 19 For salaries and expenses to earry out the Act of
- 20 March 3, 1931 (chapter 400; 46 Stat. 1487; 2 U.S.C.
- 21 135a), \$45,936,000, of which \$12,319,000 shall remain
- 22 available until expended.

1	Furniture and Furnishings
2	For necessary expenses for the purchase and repair
3	of furniture, furnishings, office and library equipment
4	\$4,178,000.
5	Administrative Provisions
6	SEC. 201. Appropriations in this Act available to the
7	Library of Congress shall be available, in an amount of
8	not more than \$194,290, of which \$58,100 is for the Con
9	gressional Research Service, when specifically authorized
10	by the Librarian, for attendance at meetings concerned
11	with the function or activity for which the appropriation
12	is made.
13	SEC. 202. (a) No part of the funds appropriated in
14	this Act shall be used by the Library of Congress to ad
15	minister any flexible or compressed work schedule which
16	(1) applies to any manager or supervisor in a
17	position the grade or level of which is equal to or
18	higher than GS-15; and
19	(2) grants such manager or supervisor the right
20	to not be at work for all or a portion of a workday
21	because of time worked by the manager or super
22	visor on another workday.
23	(b) For purposes of this section, the term "manager
24	or supervisor" means any management official or super

visor, as such terms are defined in section 7103(a)(10) and (11) of title 5, United States Code. 3 SEC. 203. Appropriated funds received by the Library of Congress from other Federal agencies to cover general and administrative overhead costs generated by performing reimbursable work for other agencies under the authority of 31 U.S.C. 1535 and 1536 shall not be used to 8 employ more than 65 employees and may be expended or 9 obligated 10 (1) in the case of a reimbursement, only to such 11 extent or in such amounts as are provided in appro-12 priations Acts; or 13 (2) in the case of an advance payment, only— 14 (A) to pay for such general or administra-15 tive overhead costs as are attributable to the 16 work performed for such agency; or 17 (B) to such extent or in such amounts as 18 are provided in appropriations Acts, with re-19 spect to any purpose not allowable under sub-20 paragraph (A). 21 SEC. 204. Of the amounts appropriated to the Library of Congress in this Act, not more than \$5,000 may be expended, on the certification of the Librarian of Congress, in connection with official representation and reception expenses for the incentive awards program.

1	SEC. 205. Of the amount appropriated to the Library
2	of Congress in this Act, not more than \$12,000 may be
3	expended, on the certification of the Librarian of Con-
4	gress, in connection with official representation and recep-
5	tion expenses for the Overseas Field Offices.
6	SEC. 206. (a) For fiscal year 1998, the obligational
7	authority of the Library of Congress for the activities de-
8	seribed in subsection (b) may not exceed \$97,490,000.
9	(b) The activities referred to in subsection (a) are re-
10	imbursable and revolving fund activities that are funded
11	from sources other than appropriations to the Library in
12	appropriations Acts for the legislative branch.
13	ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL
14	LIBRARY BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS
15	STRUCTURAL AND MECHANICAL CARE
16	For all necessary expenses for the mechanical and
17	structural maintenance, eare and operation of the Library
18	buildings and grounds, \$10,073,000, of which \$710,000
19	shall remain available until expended.
20	GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE
21	Office of Superintendent of Documents
22	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
23	For expenses of the Office of Superintendent of Doc-
24	uments necessary to provide for the cataloging and index-
25	ing of Government publications and their distribution to

- 1 the public, Members of Congress, other Government agen-
- 2 cies, and designated depository and international exchange
- 3 libraries as authorized by law, \$29,264,000: Provided,
- 4 That travel expenses, including travel expenses of the De-
- 5 pository Library Council to the Public Printer, shall not
- 6 exceed \$150,000: Provided further, That amounts of not
- 7 more than \$2,000,000 from current year appropriations
- 8 are authorized for producing and disseminating Congres-
- 9 sional serial sets and other related publications for 1996
- 10 and 1997 to depository and other designated libraries.
- 11 GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE REVOLVING FUND
- 12 The Government Printing Office is hereby authorized
- 13 to make such expenditures, within the limits of funds
- 14 available and in accord with the law, and to make such
- 15 contracts and commitments without regard to fiscal year
- 16 limitations as provided by section 9104 of title 31, United
- 17 States Code, as may be necessary in carrying out the pro-
- 18 grams and purposes set forth in the budget for the current
- 19 fiscal year for the Government Printing Office revolving
- 20 fund: Provided, That not more than \$2,500 may be ex-
- 21 pended on the certification of the Public Printer in connec-
- 22 tion with official representation and reception expenses:
- 23 Provided further, That the revolving fund shall be available
- 24 for the hire or purchase of not more than twelve passenger
- 25 motor vehicles: *Provided further*, That expenditures in con-

1	nection with travel expenses of the advisory councils to
2	the Public Printer shall be deemed necessary to earry out
3	the provisions of title 44, United States Code: Provided
4	further, That the revolving fund shall be available for tem-
5	porary or intermittent services under section 3109(b) of
6	title 5, United States Code, but at rates for individuals
7	not more than the daily equivalent of the annual rate of
8	basic pay for level V of the Executive Schedule under sec-
9	tion 5316 of such title: Provided further, That the revolv-
10	ing fund and the funds provided under the headings "OF-
11	FICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF DOCUMENTS" and "SALA-
12	RIES AND EXPENSES" together may not be available for
13	the full-time equivalent employment of more than 3,550
14	workyears: Provided further, That activities financed
15	through the revolving fund may provide information in any
16	format: Provided further, That the revolving fund shall not
17	be used to administer any flexible or compressed work
18	schedule which applies to any manager or supervisor in
19	a position the grade or level of which is equal to or higher
20	than GS-15: Provided further, That expenses for attend-
21	ance at meetings shall not exceed \$75,000.
22	GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE
23	Salaries and Expenses
24	For necessary expenses of the General Accounting
25	Office, including not more than \$7,000 to be expended or

the certification of the Comptroller General of the United States in connection with official representation and reception expenses; temporary or intermittent services under 3 4 section 3109(b) of title 5, United States Code, but at rates for individuals not more than the daily equivalent of the annual rate of basic pay for level IV of the Executive Schedule under section 5315 of such title; hire of one pas-8 senger motor vehicle; advance payments in foreign countries in accordance with 31 U.S.C. 3324; benefits com-10 parable to those payable under sections 901(5), 901(6), and 901(8) of the Foreign Service Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 4081(5), 4081(6), and 4081(8)); and under regulations prescribed by the Comptroller General of the United States, rental of living quarters in foreign countries; 14 \$323,520,000: Provided, That not more than \$1,000,000 15 of reimbursements received incident to the operation of the General Accounting Office Building shall be available for use in fiscal year 1998: Provided further, That an additional amount of \$4,404,000 shall be made available by transfer from funds previously deposited in the special account established pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 782: Provided 21 further, That notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 9105 hereafter amounts reimbursed to the Comptroller General pursuant to that section shall be deposited to the appropriation of the General Accounting Office and remain available until

expended, and not more than \$2,000,000 of such funds shall be available for use in fiscal year 1998: Provided further, That this appropriation and appropriations for ad-4 ministrative expenses of any other department or agency which is a member of the Joint Financial Management Improvement Program (JFMIP) shall be available to finance an appropriate share of JFMIP costs as determined 8 by the JFMIP, including the salary of the Executive Director and secretarial support: Provided further, That this 10 appropriation and appropriations for administrative expenses of any other department or agency which is a member of the National Intergovernmental Audit Forum or a Regional Intergovernmental Audit Forum shall be available to finance an appropriate share of Forum costs as 15 determined by the Forum, including necessary travel expenses of non-Federal participants. Payments hereunder to either the Forum or the JFMIP may be credited as reimbursements to any appropriation from which costs involved are initially financed: Provided further, That this appropriation and appropriations for administrative expenses of any other department or agency which is a member of the American Consortium on International Public Administration (ACIPA) shall be available to finance an appropriate share of ACIPA costs as determined by the ACIPA, including any expenses attributable to member-

- 1 ship of ACIPA in the International Institute of Adminis-
- 2 trative Sciences.

3 TITLE III—GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 4 Sec. 301. No part of the funds appropriated in this
- 5 Act shall be used for the maintenance or care of private
- 6 vehicles, except for emergency assistance and cleaning as
- 7 may be provided under regulations relating to parking fa-
- 8 cilities for the House of Representatives issued by the
- 9 Committee on House Oversight and for the Senate issued
- 10 by the Committee on Rules and Administration.
- 11 Sec. 302. No part of the funds appropriated in this
- 12 Act shall remain available for obligation beyond fiscal year
- 13 1998 unless expressly so provided in this Act.
- 14 SEC. 303. Whenever in this Act any office or position
- 15 not specifically established by the Legislative Pay Act of
- 16 1929 is appropriated for or the rate of compensation or
- 17 designation of any office or position appropriated for is
- 18 different from that specifically established by such Act,
- 19 the rate of compensation and the designation in this Act
- 20 shall be the permanent law with respect thereto: Provided,
- 21 That the provisions in this Act for the various items of
- 22 official expenses of Members, officers, and committees of
- 23 the Senate and House of Representatives, and clerk hire
- 24 for Senators and Members of the House of Representa-
- 25 tives shall be the permanent law with respect thereto.

- 1 Sec. 304. The expenditure of any appropriation
- 2 under this Act for any consulting service through procure-
- 3 ment contract, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3109, shall be limited
- 4 to those contracts where such expenditures are a matter
- 5 of public record and available for public inspection, except
- 6 where otherwise provided under existing law, or under ex-
- 7 isting Executive order issued pursuant to existing law.
- 8 Sec. 305. (a) It is the sense of the Congress that,
- 9 to the greatest extent practicable, all equipment and prod-
- 10 ucts purchased with funds made available in this Act
- 11 should be American-made.
- 12 (b) In providing financial assistance to, or entering
- 13 into any contract with, any entity using funds made avail-
- 14 able in this Act, the head of each Federal agency, to the
- 15 greatest extent practicable, shall provide to such entity a
- 16 notice describing the statement made in subsection (a) by
- 17 the Congress.
- (e) If it has been finally determined by a court or
- 19 Federal agency that any person intentionally affixed a
- 20 label bearing a "Made in America" inscription, or any in-
- 21 scription with the same meaning, to any product sold in
- 22 or shipped to the United States that is not made in the
- 23 United States, such person shall be ineligible to receive
- 24 any contract or subcontract made with funds provided
- 25 pursuant to this Act, pursuant to the debarment, suspen-

- 1 sion, and ineligibility procedures described in section
- 2 9.400 through 9.409 of title 48, Code of Federal Regula-
- 3 tions.
- 4 SEC. 306. Such sums as may be necessary are appro-
- 5 priated to the account described in subsection (a) of sec-
- 6 tion 415 of Public Law 104-1 to pay awards and settle-
- 7 ments as authorized under such subsection.
- 8 SEC. 307. Amounts available for administrative ex-
- 9 penses of any legislative branch entity which participates
- 10 in the Legislative Branch Financial Managers Council
- 11 (LBFMC) established by charter on March 26, 1996, shall
- 12 be available to finance an appropriate share of LBFMC
- 13 costs as determined by the LBFMC, except that the total
- 14 LBFMC costs to be shared among all participating legisla-
- 15 tive branch entities (in such allocations among the entities
- 16 as the entities may determine) may not exceed \$1,500.
- 17 Sec. 308. (a) Section 713(a) of title 18, United
- 18 States Code, is amended by inserting after "Senate," the
- 19 following: "or the seal of the United States House of Rep-
- 20 resentatives, or the seal of the United States Congress,".
- 21 (b) Section 713 of title 18, United States Code, is
- 22 amended—
- 23 (1) by redesignating subsection (d) as sub-
- 24 section (f); and

- 1 (2) by inserting after subsection (e) the follow-2 ing new subsections:
- 3 "(d) Whoever, except as directed by the United
- 4 States House of Representatives, or the Clerk of the
- 5 House of Representatives on its behalf, knowingly uses,
- 6 manufactures, reproduces, sells or purchases for resale, ei-
- 7 ther separately or appended to any article manufactured
- 8 or sold, any likeness of the seal of the United States
- 9 House of Representatives, or any substantial part thereof,
- 10 except for manufacture or sale of the article for the official
- 11 use of the Government of the United States, shall be fined
- 12 under this title or imprisoned not more than six months,
- 13 or both.
- 14 "(e) Whoever, except as directed by the United States
- 15 Congress, or the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk
- 16 of the House of Representatives, acting jointly on its be-
- 17 half, knowingly uses, manufactures, reproduces, sells or
- 18 purchases for resale, either separately or appended to any
- 19 article manufactured or sold, any likeness of the seal of
- 20 the United States Congress, or any substantial part there-
- 21 of, except for manufacture or sale of the article for the
- 22 official use of the Government of the United States, shall
- 23 be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than six
- 24 months, or both.".

1	(e) Section 713(f) of title 18, United States Code (as
2	redesignated by subsection (b)(1)), is amended—
3	(1) by striking "and" at the end of paragraph
4	(1);
5	(2) by striking the period at the end of para-
6	graph (2) and inserting a semicolon; and
7	(3) by adding at the end the following new
8	paragraphs:
9	"(3) in the ease of the seal of the United States
10	House of Representatives, upon complaint by the
11	Clerk of the House of Representatives; and
12	"(4) in the case of the seal of the United States
13	Congress, upon complaint by the Secretary of the
14	Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representa-
15	tives, acting jointly.".
16	(d) The heading of section 713 of title 18, United
17	States Code, is amended by striking "and the seal of
18	the United States Senate" and inserting the follow-
19	ing: "the seal of the United States Senate, the
20	seal of the United States House of Representa-
21	tives, and the seal of the United States Con-
22	gress".
23	(e) The table of sections for chapter 33 of part I of
24	title 18, United States Code, is amended by amending the
25	item relating to section 713 to read as follows:

"713. Use of likenesses of the great seal of the United States, the seals of the President and Vice President, the seal of the United States Senate, the seal of the United States House of Representatives, and the seal of the United States Congress.".

1	SENATE OFFICE BUILDINGS
2	For all necessary expenses for maintenance, care and
3	operation of Senate Office Buildings; and furniture and
4	furnishings to be expended under the control and super-
5	vision of the Architect of the Capitol, \$50,922,000, of which
6	\$13,200,000 shall remain available until expended: Pro-
7	vided, That appropriations under this heading for manage-
8	ment personnel and miscellaneous restaurant expenses here-
9	after shall be transferred at the beginning of each fiscal year
10	to the special deposit account in the United States Treasury
11	established under Public Law 87–82, approved July 6,
12	1961, as amended (40 U.S.C. 174j-4), and effective October
13	1, 1997, all management personnel of the Senate Res-
14	taurant facilities shall be paid from the special deposit ac-
15	count. Management personnel transferred hereunder shall be
16	paid at the same rates of pay applicable immediately prior
17	to the date of transfer, and annual and sick leave balances
18	shall be credited to leave accounts of such personnel in the
19	Senate Restaurants.
20	CAPITOL POWER PLANT
21	For all necessary expenses for the maintenance, care
22	and operation of the Capitol Power Plant; lighting, heating,
23	power (including the purchase of electrical energy) and

1	water and sewer services for the Capitol, Senate and House
2	office buildings, Library of Congress buildings, and the
3	grounds about the same, Botanic Garden, Senate garage,
4	and air conditioning refrigeration not supplied from plants
5	in any of such buildings; heating the Government Printing
6	Office and Washington City Post Office, and heating and
7	chilled water for air conditioning for the Supreme Court
8	Building, Union Station complex, Thurgood Marshall Fed-
9	eral Judiciary Building and the Folger Shakespeare Li-
10	brary, expenses for which shall be advanced or reimbursed
11	upon request of the Architect of the Capitol and amounts
12	so received shall be deposited into the Treasury to the credit
13	of this appropriation, \$33,645,000, of which \$1,650,000
14	shall remain available until expended: Provided, That not
15	more than \$4,000,000 of the funds credited or to be reim-
16	bursed to this appropriation as herein provided shall be
17	available for obligation during fiscal year 1998.
18	LIBRARY OF CONGRESS
19	Congressional Research Service
20	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
21	For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions of
22	section 203 of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946
23	(2 U.S.C. 166) and to revise and extend the Annotated Con-
24	stitution of the United States of America, \$65,134,000: Pro-
25	vided, That no part of such amount may be used to pay

- 1 any salary or expense in connection with any publication,
- 2 or preparation of material therefor (except the Digest of
- 3 Public General Bills), to be issued by the Library of Con-
- 4 gress unless such publication has obtained prior approval
- 5 of either the Committee on House Oversight of the House
- 6 of Representatives or the Committee on Rules and Adminis-
- 7 tration of the Senate: Provided further, That, notwithstand-
- 8 ing any other provision of law, the compensation of the Di-
- 9 rector of the Congressional Research Service, Library of
- 10 Congress, shall be at an annual rate which is equal to the
- 11 annual rate of basic pay for positions at level IV of the
- 12 Executive Schedule under section 5315 of title 5, United
- 13 States Code.
- 14 GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE
- 15 Congressional Printing and Binding
- 16 For authorized printing and binding for the Congress
- 17 and the distribution of Congressional information in any
- 18 format; printing and binding for the Architect of the Cap-
- 19 itol; expenses necessary for preparing the semimonthly and
- 20 session index to the Congressional Record, as authorized by
- 21 law (44 U.S.C. 902); printing and binding of Government
- 22 publications authorized by law to be distributed to Members
- 23 of Congress; and printing, binding, and distribution of Gov-
- 24 ernment publications authorized by law to be distributed
- 25 without charge to the recipient, \$82,269,000: Provided,

1	That this appropriation shall not be available for paper
2	copies of the permanent edition of the Congressional Record
3	for individual Representatives, Resident Commissioners or
4	Delegates authorized under 44 U.S.C. 906: Provided further,
5	That none of the funds appropriated or made available
6	under this Act may be expended for printing and binding
7	and related services provided to Congress under chapter 7
8	of title 44, United States Code, unless such printing and
9	binding and related services are provided during fiscal year
10	1998 and the billing of such printing and binding and re-
11	lated services occurs not later than December 31, 1998.
12	This title may be cited as the "Congressional Oper-
13	ations Appropriations Act, 1998".
14	TITLE II—OTHER AGENCIES
15	$BOTANIC\ GARDEN$
16	Salaries and Expenses
17	For all necessary expenses for the maintenance, care
18	and operation of the Botanic Garden and the nurseries,
19	buildings, grounds, and collections; and purchase and ex-
20	change, maintenance, repair, and operation of a passenger
21	motor vehicle; all under the direction of the Joint Commit-
22	tee on the Library, \$3,228,000.

1 LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

2	Salaries and Expenses
3	For necessary expenses of the Library of Congress not
4	otherwise provided for, including development and mainte-
5	nance of the Union Catalogs; custody and custodial care
6	of the Library buildings; special clothing; cleaning, laun-
7	dering and repair of uniforms; preservation of motion pic-
8	tures in the custody of the Library; operation and mainte-
9	nance of the American Folklife Center in the Library; prep-
10	aration and distribution of catalog records and other publi-
11	cations of the Library; hire or purchase of one passenger
12	motor vehicle; and expenses of the Library of Congress Trust
13	Fund Board not properly chargeable to the income of any
14	trust fund held by the Board, \$229,904,000, of which not
15	more than \$7,869,000 shall be derived from collections cred-
16	ited to this appropriation during fiscal year 1998, and
17	shall remain available until expended, under the Act of
18	June 28, 1902 (chapter 1301; 32 Stat. 480; 2 U.S.C. 150):
19	Provided, That the Library of Congress may not obligate
20	or expend any funds derived from collections under the Act
21	of June 28, 1902, in excess of the amount authorized for
22	obligation or expenditure in appropriations Acts: Provided
23	further, That the total amount available for obligation shall
24	be reduced by the amount by which collections are less than
25	the \$7,869,000: Provided further, That of the total amount

- 1 appropriated, \$9,619,000 is to remain available until ex-
- 2 pended for acquisition of books, periodicals, newspapers,
- 3 and all other materials including subscriptions for biblio-
- 4 graphic services for the Library, including \$40,000 to be
- 5 available solely for the purchase, when specifically approved
- 6 by the Librarian, of special and unique materials for addi-
- 7 tions to the collections: Provided further, That of the total
- 8 amount appropriated, \$5,584,000 is to remain available
- 9 until expended for the acquisition and partial support for
- 10 implementation of an integrated library system (ILS).

11 Copyright Office

12 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

- 13 For necessary expenses of the Copyright Office, includ-
- 14 ing publication of the decisions of the United States courts
- 15 involving copyrights, \$34,567,000, of which not more than
- 16 \$17,340,000 shall be derived from collections credited to this
- 17 appropriation during fiscal year 1998 under 17 U.S.C.
- 18 708(d), and not more than \$5,086,000 shall be derived from
- 19 collections during fiscal year 1998 under 17 U.S.C.
- 20 111(d)(2), 119(b)(2), 802(h), and 1005: Provided, That the
- 21 total amount available for obligation shall be reduced by
- 22 the amount by which collections are less than \$22,426,000:
- 23 Provided further, That not more than \$100,000 of the
- 24 amount appropriated is available for the maintenance of
- 25 an "International Copyright Institute" in the Copyright

- 1 Office of the Library of Congress for the purpose of training
- 2 nationals of developing countries in intellectual property
- 3 laws and policies: Provided further, That not more than
- 4 \$2,250 may be expended, on the certification of the Librar-
- 5 ian of Congress, in connection with official representation
- 6 and reception expenses for activities of the International
- 7 Copyright Institute.
- 8 Books for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
- 9 SALARIES AND EXPENSES
- 10 For salaries and expenses to carry out the Act of March
- 11 3, 1931 (chapter 400; 46 Stat. 1487; 2 U.S.C. 135a),
- 12 \$47,870,000, of which \$14,194,000 shall remain available
- 13 until expended.
- 14 Furniture and Furnishings
- 15 For necessary expenses for the purchase, installation,
- 16 and repair of furniture, furnishings, office and library
- 17 equipment, \$4,178,000.
- 18 Administrative Provisions
- 19 Sec. 201. Appropriations in this Act available to the
- 20 Library of Congress shall be available, in an amount of not
- 21 more than \$194,290, of which \$58,100 is for the Congres-
- 22 sional Research Service, when specifically authorized by the
- 23 Librarian, for attendance at meetings concerned with the
- 24 function or activity for which the appropriation is made.

1	Sec. 202. (a) No part of the funds appropriated in
2	this Act shall be used by the Library of Congress to admin-
3	ister any flexible or compressed work schedule which—
4	(1) applies to any manager or supervisor in a
5	position the grade or level of which is equal to or
6	higher than GS-15; and
7	(2) grants such manager or supervisor the right
8	to not be at work for all or a portion of a workday
9	because of time worked by the manager or supervisor
10	on another workday.
11	(b) For purposes of this section, the term "manager
12	or supervisor" means any management official or super-
13	visor, as such terms are defined in section 7103(a) (10) and
14	(11) of title 5, United States Code.
15	Sec. 203. Appropriated funds received by the Library
16	of Congress from other Federal agencies to cover general and
17	administrative overhead costs generated by performing re-
18	imbursable work for other agencies under the authority of
19	31 U.S.C. 1535 and 1536 shall not be used to employ more
20	than 65 employees and may be expended or obligated—
21	(1) in the case of a reimbursement, only to such
22	extent or in such amounts as are provided in appro-
23	priations Acts; or
24	(2) in the case of an advance payment, only—

1	(A) to pay for such general or administra-
2	tive overhead costs as are attributable to the
3	work performed for such agency; or
4	(B) to such extent or in such amounts as
5	are provided in appropriations Acts, with re-
6	spect to any purpose not allowable under sub-
7	paragraph (A).
8	Sec. 204. Of the amounts appropriated to the Library
9	of Congress in this Act, not more than \$5,000 may be ex-
10	pended, on the certification of the Librarian of Congress,
11	in connection with official representation and reception ex-
12	penses for the incentive awards program.
13	Sec. 205. Of the amount appropriated to the Library
14	of Congress in this Act, not more than \$12,000 may be ex-
15	pended, on the certification of the Librarian of Congress,
16	in connection with official representation and reception ex-
17	penses for the Overseas Field Offices.
18	SEC. 206. (a) For fiscal year 1998, the obligational
19	authority of the Library of Congress for the activities de-
20	scribed in subsection (b) may not exceed \$100,490,000.
21	(b) The activities referred to in subsection (a) are re-
22	imbursable and revolving fund activities that are funded
23	from sources other than appropriations to the Library in
24	appropriations Acts for the legislative branch.

1	Sec. 207. (a) Establishment.—Effective October 1,
2	1997, there is established in the Treasury of the United
3	States a revolving fund to be known as the Cooperative Ac-
4	quisitions Program Revolving Fund (in this section referred
5	to as the "revolving fund"). Moneys in the revolving fund
6	shall be available to the Librarian of Congress, without fis-
7	cal year limitation, for financing the cooperative acquisi-
8	tions program (in this section referred to as the "program")
9	under which the Library acquires foreign publications and
10	research materials on behalf of participating institutions
11	on a cost-recovery basis. Obligations under the revolving
12	fund are limited to amounts specified in the appropriations
13	Act for that purpose for any fiscal year.
14	(b) Amounts Deposited.—The revolving fund shall
15	consist of—
16	(1) any amounts appropriated by law for the
17	purposes of the revolving fund;
18	(2) any amounts held by the Librarian as of Oc-
19	tober 1, 1997 or the date of enactment, whichever is
20	later, that were collected as payment for the Library's
21	indirect costs of the program; and
22	(3) the difference between (A) the total value of
23	the supplies, equipment, gift fund balances, and other
24	assets of the program, and (B) the total value of the
25	liabilities (including unfunded liabilities such as the

- 1 value of accrued annual leave of employees) of the
- 2 program.
- 3 (c) Credits to the Revolving Fund.—The revolv-
- 4 ing fund shall be credited with all advances and amounts
- 5 received as payment for purchases under the program and
- 6 services and supplies furnished to program participants, at
- 7 rates estimated by the Librarian to be adequate to recover
- 8 the full direct and indirect costs of the program to the Li-
- 9 brary over a reasonable period of time.
- 10 (d) Unobligated Balances.—Any unobligated and
- 11 unexpended balances in the revolving fund that the Librar-
- 12 ian determines to be in excess of amounts needed for activi-
- 13 ties financed by the revolving fund, shall be deposited in
- 14 the Treasury of the United States as miscellaneous receipts.
- 15 Amounts needed for activities financed by the revolving
- 16 fund means the direct and indirect costs of the program,
- 17 including the costs of purchasing, shipping, binding of
- 18 books and other library materials; supplies, materials,
- 19 equipment and services needed in support of the program;
- 20 salaries and benefits; general overhead; and travel.
- 21 (e) Annual Report.—Not later than March 31 of
- 22 each year, the Librarian of Congress shall prepare and sub-
- 23 mit to Congress an audited financial statement for the re-
- 24 volving fund for the preceding fiscal year. The audit shall
- 25 be conducted in accordance with Government Auditing

1	Standards for financial audits issued by the Comptroller
2	General of the United States.
3	Sec. 208. Authority of the Board to Invest Gift
4	Funds.—Section 4 of the Act entitled "An Act to create
5	a Library of Congress Trust Fund Board, and for other
6	purposes", approved March 3, 1925 (2 U.S.C. 160), is
7	amended by adding at the end the following new undesig-
8	nated paragraph:
9	"Upon agreement by the Librarian of Congress and
10	the board, a gift or bequest accepted by the Librarian under
11	the first paragraph of this section may be invested or rein-
12	vested in the same manner as provided for trust funds
13	under the second paragraph of section 2.".
14	ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL
15	Library Buildings and Grounds
16	STRUCTURAL AND MECHANICAL CARE
17	For all necessary expenses for the mechanical and
18	structural maintenance, care and operation of the Library
19	buildings and grounds, \$14,699,000, of which \$3,910,000
20	shall remain available until expended.
21	GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE
22	Office of Superintendent of Documents
23	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
24	For expenses of the Office of Superintendent of Docu-
25	ments necessary to provide for the cataloging and indexing

- 1 of Government publications and their distribution to the
- 2 public, Members of Congress, other Government agencies,
- 3 and designated depository and international exchange li-
- 4 braries as authorized by law, \$29,077,000: Provided, That
- 5 travel expenses, including travel expenses of the Depository
- 6 Library Council to the Public Printer, shall not exceed
- 7 \$150,000: Provided further, That amounts of not more than
- 8 \$2,000,000, from current year appropriations are author-
- 9 ized for producing and disseminating Congressional serial
- 10 sets and other related publications for 1996 and 1997 to
- 11 depository and other designated libraries.
- 12 Government Printing Office Revolving Fund
- 13 The Government Printing Office is hereby authorized
- 14 to make such expenditures, within the limits of funds avail-
- 15 able and in accord with the law, and to make such contracts
- 16 and commitments without regard to fiscal year limitations
- 17 as provided by section 9104 of title 31, United States Code,
- 18 as may be necessary in carrying out the programs and pur-
- 19 poses set forth in the budget for the current fiscal year for
- 20 the Government Printing Office revolving fund: Provided,
- 21 That not more than \$2,500 may be expended on the certifi-
- 22 cation of the Public Printer in connection with official rep-
- 23 resentation and reception expenses: Provided further, That
- 24 the revolving fund shall be available for the hire or purchase
- 25 of not more than twelve passenger motor vehicles: Provided

- 1 further, That expenditures in connection with travel ex-
- 2 penses of the advisory councils to the Public Printer shall
- 3 be deemed necessary to carry out the provisions of title 44,
- 4 United States Code: Provided further, That the revolving
- 5 fund shall be available for temporary or intermittent serv-
- 6 ices under section 3109(b) of title 5, United States Code,
- 7 but at rates for individuals not more than the daily equiva-
- 8 lent of the annual rate of basic pay for level V of the Execu-
- 9 tive Schedule under section 5316 of such title: Provided fur-
- 10 ther, That the revolving fund and the funds provided under
- 11 the headings "Office of Superintendent of Docu-
- 12 MENTS" and "SALARIES AND EXPENSES" together may not
- 13 be available for the full-time equivalent employment of more
- 14 than 3,550 workyears by the end of fiscal year 1998: Pro-
- 15 vided further, That activities financed through the revolving
- 16 fund may provide information in any format: Provided fur-
- 17 ther, That the revolving fund shall not be used to administer
- 18 any flexible or compressed work schedule which applies to
- 19 any manager or supervisor in a position the grade or level
- 20 of which is equal to or higher than GS-15: Provided further,
- 21 That expenses for attendance at meetings shall not exceed
- 22 \$75,000: Provided further, That, \$1,500,000 may be ex-
- 23 pended on the certification of the Public Printer, for reim-
- 24 bursement to the General Accounting Office, for a manage-
- 25 ment audit.

1 GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE

2	Salaries and Expenses
3	For necessary expenses of the General Accounting Of-
4	fice, including not more than \$7,000 to be expended on the
5	certification of the Comptroller General of the United States
6	in connection with official representation and reception ex-
7	penses; temporary or intermittent services under section
8	3109(b) of title 5, United States Code, but at rates for indi-
9	viduals not more than the daily equivalent of the annual
10	rate of basic pay for level IV of the Executive Schedule
11	under section 5315 of such title; hire of one passenger motor
12	vehicle; advance payments in foreign countries in accord-
13	ance with 31 U.S.C. 3324; benefits comparable to those pay-
14	able under sections 901(5), 901(6) and 901(8) of the For-
15	eign Service Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 4081(5), 4081(6) and
16	4081(8)); and under regulations prescribed by the Comp-
17	troller General of the United States, rental of living quar-
18	ters in foreign countries; \$346,751,000: Provided, That not
19	more than \$1,000,000 of reimbursements received incident
20	to the operation of the General Accounting Office Building
21	shall be available for use in fiscal year 1998: Provided fur-
22	ther, That an additional amount of \$4,404,000 shall be
23	available by transfer from funds previously deposited in the
24	special account established pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 782: Pro-
25	vided further, That notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 9105 here-

after amounts reimbursed to the Comptroller General pursuant to that section shall be deposited to the appropriation 3 of the General Accounting Office then available and remain 4 available until expended, and not more than \$2,000,000 of such funds shall be available for use in fiscal year 1998: 5 Provided further, That this appropriation and appropria-6 tions for administrative expenses of any other department 8 or agency which is a member of the Joint Financial Management Improvement Program (JFMIP) shall be available 10 to finance an appropriate share of JFMIP costs as determined by the JFMIP, including the salary of the Executive 12 Director and secretarial support: Provided further, That this appropriation and appropriations for administrative expenses of any other department or agency which is a 14 15 member of the National Intergovernmental Audit Forum or a Regional Intergovernmental Audit Forum shall be avail-16 able to finance an appropriate share of either Forum's costs 18 as determined by the respective Forum, including necessary 19 travel expenses of non-Federal participants. Payments here-20 under to either the Forum or the JFMIP may be credited 21 as reimbursements to any appropriation from which costs involved are initially financed: Provided further, That this 23 appropriation and appropriations for administrative expenses of any other department or agency which is a mem-

ber of the American Consortium on International Public

- 1 Administration (ACIPA) shall be available to finance an
- 2 appropriate share of ACIPA costs as determined by the
- 3 ACIPA, including any expenses attributable to membership
- 4 of ACIPA in the International Institute of Administrative
- 5 Sciences: Provided further, That \$500,000 shall be available
- 6 only for expenditure on studies and assessments, to be car-
- 7 ried out by not-for-profit scientific, technological, or edu-
- 8 cational institutions, of the matters described in section
- 9 472(c) of title 2, United States Code: Provided further, That
- 10 topics for studies and assessments under the previous pro-
- 11 viso, and the institutions designated to carry out the studies
- 12 and assessments, shall be selected by the voting members of
- 13 the Technology Assessment Board under section 473 of title
- 14 2, United States Code, from among topics requested pursu-
- 15 ant to paragraphs (1) or (2) of section 472(d) of such title.

16 TITLE III—GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 17 Sec. 301. No part of the funds appropriated in this
- 18 Act shall be used for the maintenance or care of private
- 19 vehicles, except for emergency assistance and cleaning as
- 20 may be provided under regulations relating to parking fa-
- 21 cilities for the House of Representatives issued by the Com-
- 22 mittee on House Oversight and for the Senate issued by the
- 23 Committee on Rules and Administration.

- 1 Sec. 302. No part of the funds appropriated in this
- 2 Act shall remain available for obligation beyond fiscal year
- 3 1997 unless expressly so provided in this Act.
- 4 Sec. 303. Whenever in this Act any office or position
- 5 not specifically established by the Legislative Pay Act of
- 6 1929 is appropriated for or the rate of compensation or des-
- 7 ignation of any office or position appropriated for is dif-
- 8 ferent from that specifically established by such Act, the rate
- 9 of compensation and the designation in this Act shall be
- 10 the permanent law with respect thereto: Provided, That the
- 11 provisions in this Act for the various items of official ex-
- 12 penses of Members, officers, and committees of the Senate
- 13 and House of Representatives, and clerk hire for Senators
- 14 and Members of the House of Representatives shall be the
- 15 permanent law with respect thereto.
- 16 Sec. 304. The expenditure of any appropriation under
- 17 this Act for any consulting service through procurement
- 18 contract, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3109, shall be limited to
- 19 those contracts where such expenditures are a matter of pub-
- 20 lic record and available for public inspection, except where
- 21 otherwise provided under existing law, or under existing
- 22 Executive order issued pursuant to existing law.
- 23 Sec. 305. Such sums as may be necessary are appro-
- 24 priated to the account described in subsection (a) of section

- 1 415 of Public Law 104-1 to pay awards and settlements
- 2 as authorized under such subsection.
- 3 Sec. 306. Section 316 of Public Law 101–302 is
- 4 amended in the first sentence of subsection (a) by striking
- 5 "1997" and inserting "1998".
- 6 Sec. 307. The Government Printing Office shall be
- 7 considered an agency for the purposes of the election in sec-
- 8 tion 801(b)(2)(B) of the National Energy Conservation Pol-
- 9 icy Act and the Public Printer shall be considered the head
- 10 of the agency for purposes of subsection (b)(2)(C) of such
- 11 section.
- 12 Sec. 308. Residence of Members of Congress.—
- 13 Section 113 of title 4, United States Code, is amended—
- 14 (1) in the section heading by striking "for State
- 15 income tax laws"; and
- 16 (2) by striking subsection (b) and inserting the
- 17 following new subsections:
- 18 "(b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a
- 19 Member of Congress and the Member's spouse, dependents,
- 20 and staff shall be treated as permanent residents and domi-
- 21 ciliaries of the State or district which the Member rep-
- 22 resents, notwithstanding that the Member and the Member's
- 23 spouse, dependents, and staff may be absent from, or may
- 24 maintain a place of abode outside of, such State. A Member
- 25 of Congress and the Member's spouse, dependents, and staff

1	shall be entitled to the same rights, privileges, immunities,
2	and benefits and shall be subject to the same responsibilities,
3	taxation, and liabilities as other residents and domiciliaries
4	who physically reside in such State, including maintaining
5	a State driver's license, registering vehicles in such State
6	(without regard to whether such vehicle is physically located
7	in such State), registering to vote in such State, and quali-
8	fying for benefits, loans, or other programs that such State
9	may make available to other residents and domiciliaries
10	who physically reside in such State.
11	"(c) For the purposes of this section—
12	"(1) the term 'Member of Congress' includes the
13	delegates from the District of Columbia, Guam, and
14	the Virgin Islands, and the Resident Commissioner
15	from Puerto Rico;
16	"(2) the term 'State' includes the District of Co-
17	lumbia; and
18	"(3) the term 'dependents' includes any person—
19	"(A) who derives his or her support from a
20	Member of Congress; and
21	" $(B)(i)$ is a child of such Member who is
22	age 23 or younger; or
23	"(ii) is a ward of such Member; and
24	"(4) the term 'staff' means any person who—

1	"(A) is in the employ of the Member of Con-
2	gress for the purpose of assisting the Member in
3	the performance of official duties; and
4	"(B) was resident and domiciliary of the
5	State or district which the Member represents
6	when such person entered the employ of the
7	Member.
8	"(d) This section shall not apply to any spouse, de-
9	pendent, or staff of a Member of Congress who claims resi-
10	dency or a domicile in a State other than the State which
11	the Member represents or in which the Member's district
12	is located.".
13	(b) The chapter analysis for chapter 4 of title 4, Unit-
14	ed States Code, is amended in the item for section 113 by
15	striking "for State income tax laws".
16	Sec. 309. (a) Severance Pay.—Section 5595 of title
17	5, United States Code, is amended—
18	(1) in subsection $(a)(1)$ —
19	(A) in subparagraph (D) by striking "and"
20	after the semicolon; and
21	(B) by adding after subparagraph (E) the
22	following new subparagraph:
23	"(F) the Office of the Architect of the Cap-
24	itol, but only with respect to the United States
25	Senate Restaurants: and":

1	(2) in subsection $(a)(2)$ —
2	(A) in clause (vii) by striking "or" after the
3	semicolon;
4	(B) by redesignating clause (viii) as clause
5	(ix) and inserting after clause (vii) the following:
6	"(viii) an employee of the United
7	States Senate Restaurants of the Office of
8	the Architect of the Capitol, who is em-
9	ployed on a temporary when actually em-
10	ployed basis; or"; and
11	(3) in subsection (b) by adding at the end the
12	following: "The Architect of the Capitol may prescribe
13	regulations to effect the application and operation of
14	this section to the agency specified in subsection
15	(a)(1)(F) of this section.".
16	(b) Early Retirement.—(1) This subsection applies
17	to an employee of the United States Senate Restaurants of
18	the Office of the Architect of the Capitol who—
19	(A) voluntarily separates from service on or after
20	the date of enactment of this Act and before October
21	1, 1999; and
22	(B) on such date of separation—
23	(i) has completed 25 years of service as de-
24	fined under section 8331(12) or 8401(26) of title
25	5, United States Code; or

1	(ii) has completed 20 years of such service
2	and is at least 50 years of age.
3	(2) Notwithstanding any provision of chapter 83 or
4	84 of title 5, United States Code, an employee described
5	under paragraph (1) is entitled to an annuity which shall
6	be computed consistent with the provisions of law applicable
7	to annuities under section 8336(d) or 8414(b) of title 5,
8	United States Code.
9	(c) Voluntary Separation Incentive Payments.—
10	(1) In this subsection, the term "employee" means an em-
11	ployee of the United States Senate Restaurants of the Office
12	of the Architect of the Capitol, serving without limitation,
13	who has been currently employed for a continuous period
14	of at least 12 months, except that such term shall not in-
15	clude—
16	(A) a reemployed annuitant under subchapter
17	III of chapter 83 or chapter 84 of title 5, United
18	States Code, or another retirement system for employ-
19	ees of the Government;
20	(B) an employee having a disability on the basis
21	of which such employee is or would be eligible for dis-
22	ability retirement under any of the retirement sys-
23	tems referred to in subparagraph (A); or
24	(C) an employee who is employed on a tem-
25	porary when actually employed basis.

- 1 (2) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, in
- 2 order to avoid or minimize the need for involuntary separa-
- 3 tions due to a reduction in force, reorganization, transfer
- 4 of function, or other similar action affecting the agency, the
- 5 Architect of the Capitol shall establish a program under
- 6 which voluntary separation incentive payments may be of-
- 7 fered to encourage not more than 50 eligible employees to
- 8 separate from service voluntarily (whether by retirement or
- 9 resignation) during the period beginning on the date of the
- 10 enactment of this Act through September 30, 1999.
- 11 (3) Such voluntary separation incentive payments
- 12 shall be paid in accordance with the provisions of section
- 13 5597(d) of title 5, United States Code. Any such payment
- 14 shall not be a basis of payment, and shall not be included
- 15 in the computation, of any other type of Government bene-
- 16 fit.
- 17 (4)(A) Subject to subparagraph (B), an employee who
- 18 has received a voluntary separation incentive payment
- 19 under this section and accepts employment with the Govern-
- 20 ment of the United States within 5 years after the date of
- 21 the separation on which the payment is based shall be re-
- 22 quired to repay the entire amount of the incentive payment
- 23 to the agency that paid the incentive payment.
- 24 (B)(i) If the employment is with an Executive agency
- 25 (as defined by section 105 of title 5, United State Code),

- 1 the Director of the Office of Personnel Management may,
- 2 at the request of the head of the agency, waive the repay-
- 3 ment if the individual involved possesses unique abilities
- 4 and is the only qualified applicant available for the posi-
- 5 tion.
- 6 (ii) If the employment is with an entity in the legisla-
- 7 tive branch, the head of the entity or the appointing official
- 8 may waive the repayment if the individual involved pos-
- 9 sesses unique abilities and is the only qualified applicant
- 10 available for the position.
- 11 (iii) If the employment is with the judicial branch, the
- 12 Director of the Administrative Office of the United States
- 13 Courts may waive the repayment if the individual involved
- 14 possesses unique abilities and is the only qualified appli-
- 15 cant available for the position.
- 16 (C) For purposes of subparagraph (A) (but not sub-
- 17 paragraph (B)), the term "employment" includes employ-
- 18 ment under a personal services contract with the United
- 19 States.
- 20 (5) The Architect of the Capitol may prescribe regula-
- 21 tions to carry out this subsection.
- 22 (d) Competitive Service Treatment for Certain
- 23 Employees.—(1) This subsection applies to any employee
- 24 of the United States Senate Restaurants of the Office of the
- 25 Architect of the Capitol who—

1	(A) is involuntarily separated from service on or
2	after the date of the enactment of this Act and before
3	October 1, 1999 (except by removal for cause on
4	charges of misconduct or delinquency); and
5	(B) has performed any period of service em-
6	ployed in the Office of the Architect of the Capitol
7	(including the United States Senate Restaurants) in
8	a position in the excepted service as defined under
9	section 2103 of title 5, United States Code.
10	(2) For purposes of applying for employment for any
11	position in the executive branch (including for purposes of
12	the administration of chapter 33 of title 5, United States
13	Code, with respect to such employment application), any
14	period of service described under paragraph (1)(B) of this
15	subsection shall be deemed a period of service in the com-
16	petitive service as defined under section 2102 of title 5,
17	United States Code.
18	(3) This subsection shall—
19	(A) take effect on the date of enactment of this
20	Act; and
21	(B) apply only to an employment application
22	submitted by an employee during the 2-year period
23	beginning on the date of such employee's separation
24	from service described under paragraph (1)(A).

1	(e) Retraining, Job Placement, and Counseling
2	Services.—(1) In this subsection, the term "employee"—
3	(A) means an employee of the United States Sen-
4	ate Restaurants of the Office of the Architect of the
5	Capitol; and
6	(B) shall not include—
7	(i) a reemployed annuitant under sub-
8	chapter III of chapter 83 or chapter 84 of title
9	5, United States Code, or another retirement sys-
10	tem for employees of the Government; or
11	(ii) an employee who is employed on a tem-
12	porary when actually employed basis.
13	(2) The Architect of the Capitol may establish a pro-
14	gram to provide retraining, job placement, and counseling
15	services to employees and former employees.
16	(3) A former employee may not participate in a pro-
17	gram established under this subsection, if—
18	(A) the former employee was separated from
19	service with the United States Senate Restaurants of
20	the Office of the Architect of the Capitol for more than
21	1 year; or
22	(B) the separation was by removal for cause on
23	charges of misconduct or delinquency.

1	(4) Retraining costs for the program established under
2	this subsection may not exceed \$5,000 for each employee or
3	former employee.
4	(f) Administrative Provisions.—(1) The Architect
5	of the Capitol—
6	(A) may use employees of the Office of the Archi-
7	tect of the Capitol to establish and administer pro-
8	grams and carry out the provisions of this section;
9	and
10	(B) may procure temporary and intermittent
11	services under section 3109(b) of title 5, United States
12	Code, to carry out such provisions—
13	(i) not subject to the 1 year of service limi-
14	tation under such section 3109(b); and
15	(ii) at rates for individuals which do not
16	exceed the daily equivalent of the annual rate of
17	basic pay prescribed for level V of the Executive
18	Schedule under section 5316 of such title.
19	(2) Funds to carry out subsections (a) and (c) may
20	be expended only from funds available for the basic pay
21	of the employee who is receiving the applicable payment.
22	(3) Funds to carry out subsection (e) may be expended
23	from any funds made available to the Architect of the Cap-
24	itol.

- 1 Sec. 309. Any amount appropriated in this Act for
- 2 "HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES—SALARIES AND
- 3 Expenses—Members' Representational Allow-
- 4 ANCES" shall be available only for fiscal year 1998. Any
- 5 amount remaining after all payments are made under such
- 6 allowances for such fiscal year shall be deposited in the
- 7 Treasury, to be used for deficit reduction.
- 8 This Act may be cited as the "Legislative Branch Ap-
- 9 propriations Act, 1998".

Passed the House of Representatives July 28, 1997.

Attest:

ROBIN H. CARLE,

Clerk.

Passed the Senate July 29, 1997.

Attest:

GARY SISCO,

Secretary.