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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
2 *concurring),*

1 **SECTION 1. CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ON THE BUDGET**
 2 **FOR FISCAL YEAR 2007.**

3 (a) **DECLARATION.**—The Congress declares that this
 4 is the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year
 5 2007, including appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal
 6 years 2008 through 2011.

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1 **TITLE I—RECOMMENDED**
 2 **LEVELS AND AMOUNTS**

3 **SEC. 101. RECOMMENDED LEVELS AND AMOUNTS.**

4 The following budgetary levels are appropriate for
 5 each of fiscal years 2007 through 2011:

6 (1) FEDERAL REVENUES.—For purposes of the
 7 enforcement of this resolution:

8 (A) The recommended levels of Federal
 9 revenues are as follows:

10	Fiscal	year	2007:
11	\$1,780,666,000,000.		
12	Fiscal	year	2008:
13	\$1,913,598,000,000.		
14	Fiscal	year	2009:
15	\$2,011,187,000,000.		
16	Fiscal	year	2010:
17	\$2,122,195,000,000.		
18	Fiscal	year	2011:
19	\$2,212,263,000,000.		

1 (B) The amounts by which the aggregate
2 levels of Federal revenues should be reduced are
3 as follows:

4 Fiscal year 2007: \$38,933,000,000.

5 Fiscal year 2008: \$8,178,000,000.

6 Fiscal year 2009: \$20,384,000,000.

7 Fiscal year 2010: \$13,782,000,000.

8 Fiscal year 2011: \$144,808,000,000.

9 (2) NEW BUDGET AUTHORITY.—For purposes
10 of the enforcement of this resolution, the appropriate
11 levels of total new budget authority are as follows:

12 Fiscal year 2007: \$2,283,029,000,000.

13 Fiscal year 2008: \$2,332,599,000,000.

14 Fiscal year 2009: \$2,426,014,000,000.

15 Fiscal year 2010: \$2,526,861,000,000.

16 Fiscal year 2011: \$2,649,474,000,000.

17 (3) BUDGET OUTLAYS.—For purposes of the
18 enforcement of this resolution, the appropriate levels
19 of total budget outlays are as follows:

20 Fiscal year 2007: \$2,325,998,000,000.

21 Fiscal year 2008: \$2,364,794,000,000.

22 Fiscal year 2009: \$2,434,610,000,000.

23 Fiscal year 2010: \$2,524,168,000,000.

24 Fiscal year 2011: \$2,640,119,000,000.

1 (4) DEFICITS (ON-BUDGET).—For purposes of
2 the enforcement of this resolution, the amounts of
3 the deficits (on-budget) are as follows:

4 Fiscal year 2007: \$545,332,000,000.

5 Fiscal year 2008: \$451,196,000,000.

6 Fiscal year 2009: \$423,423,000,000.

7 Fiscal year 2010: \$401,973,000,000.

8 Fiscal year 2011: \$427,856,000,000.

9 (5) DEBT SUBJECT TO LIMIT.—Pursuant to
10 section 301(a)(5) of the Congressional Budget Act
11 of 1974, the appropriate levels of the public debt are
12 as follows:

13 Fiscal year 2007: \$9,182,000,000,000.

14 Fiscal year 2008: \$9,744,000,000,000.

15 Fiscal year 2009: \$10,275,000,000,000.

16 Fiscal year 2010: \$10,781,000,000,000.

17 Fiscal year 2011: \$11,307,000,000,000.

18 (6) DEBT HELD BY THE PUBLIC.—The appro-
19 priate levels of debt held by the public are as follows:

20 Fiscal year 2007: \$5,328,000,000,000.

21 Fiscal year 2008: \$5,577,000,000,000.

22 Fiscal year 2009: \$5,781,000,000,000.

23 Fiscal year 2010: \$5,946,000,000,000.

24 Fiscal year 2011: \$6,120,000,000,000.

1 **SEC. 102. MAJOR FUNCTIONAL CATEGORIES.**

2 The Congress determines and declares that the ap-
3 propriate levels of new budget authority and outlays for
4 fiscal years 2007 through 2011 for each major functional
5 category are:

6 (1) National Defense (050):

7 Fiscal year 2007:

8 (A) New budget authority,
9 \$512,901,000,000.

10 (B) Outlays, \$534,858,000,000.

11 Fiscal year 2008:

12 (A) New budget authority,
13 \$484,661,000,000.

14 (B) Outlays, \$505,516,000,000.

15 Fiscal year 2009:

16 (A) New budget authority,
17 \$504,753,000,000.

18 (B) Outlays, \$505,874,000,000.

19 Fiscal year 2010:

20 (A) New budget authority,
21 \$514,858,000,000.

22 (B) Outlays, \$512,573,000,000.

23 Fiscal year 2011:

24 (A) New budget authority,
25 \$525,781,000,000.

26 (B) Outlays, \$524,894,000,000.

1 (2) International Affairs (150):

2 Fiscal year 2007:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$31,216,000,000.

5 (B) Outlays, \$34,270,000,000.

6 Fiscal year 2008:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$34,206,000,000.

9 (B) Outlays, \$33,410,000,000.

10 Fiscal year 2009:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$34,178,000,000.

13 (B) Outlays, \$33,275,000,000.

14 Fiscal year 2010:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$33,869,000,000.

17 (B) Outlays, \$33,093,000,000.

18 Fiscal year 2011:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$34,293,000,000.

21 (B) Outlays, \$32,717,000,000.

22 (3) General Science, Space, and Technology

23 (250):

24 Fiscal year 2007:

1 (A) New budget authority,
2 \$25,938,000,000.

3 (B) Outlays, \$25,108,000,000.

4 Fiscal year 2008:

5 (A) New budget authority,
6 \$27,146,000,000.

7 (B) Outlays, \$26,083,000,000.

8 Fiscal year 2009:

9 (A) New budget authority,
10 \$28,193,000,000.

11 (B) Outlays, \$27,135,000,000.

12 Fiscal year 2010:

13 (A) New budget authority,
14 \$29,410,000,000.

15 (B) Outlays, \$28,263,000,000.

16 Fiscal year 2011:

17 (A) New budget authority,
18 \$30,689,000,000.

19 (B) Outlays, \$29,483,000,000.

20 (4) Energy (270):

21 Fiscal year 2007:

22 (A) New budget authority,
23 \$2,262,000,000.

24 (B) Outlays, \$915,000,000.

25 Fiscal year 2008:

1 (A) New budget authority,
2 \$2,688,000,000.

3 (B) Outlays, \$703,000,000.

4 Fiscal year 2009:

5 (A) New budget authority,
6 \$2,317,000,000.

7 (B) Outlays, \$913,000,000.

8 Fiscal year 2010:

9 (A) New budget authority,
10 \$2,190,000,000.

11 (B) Outlays, \$867,000,000.

12 Fiscal year 2011:

13 (A) New budget authority,
14 \$2,094,000,000.

15 (B) Outlays, \$711,000,000.

16 (5) Natural Resources and Environment (300):

17 Fiscal year 2007:

18 (A) New budget authority,
19 \$29,650,000,000.

20 (B) Outlays, \$33,038,000,000.

21 Fiscal year 2008:

22 (A) New budget authority,
23 \$28,833,000,000.

24 (B) Outlays, \$30,756,000,000.

25 Fiscal year 2009:

1 (A) New budget authority,
2 \$29,238,000,000.

3 (B) Outlays, \$30,285,000,000.

4 Fiscal year 2010:

5 (A) New budget authority,
6 \$28,687,000,000.

7 (B) Outlays, \$29,724,000,000.

8 Fiscal year 2011:

9 (A) New budget authority,
10 \$28,595,000,000.

11 (B) Outlays, \$29,313,000,000.

12 (6) Agriculture (350):

13 Fiscal year 2007:

14 (A) New budget authority,
15 \$27,356,000,000.

16 (B) Outlays, \$26,782,000,000.

17 Fiscal year 2008:

18 (A) New budget authority,
19 \$25,205,000,000.

20 (B) Outlays, \$24,564,000,000.

21 Fiscal year 2009:

22 (A) New budget authority,
23 \$24,512,000,000.

24 (B) Outlays, \$23,829,000,000.

25 Fiscal year 2010:

1 (A) New budget authority,
2 \$23,370,000,000.

3 (B) Outlays, \$22,560,000,000.

4 Fiscal year 2011:

5 (A) New budget authority,
6 \$23,011,000,000.

7 (B) Outlays, \$22,281,000,000.

8 (7) Commerce and Housing Credit (370):

9 Fiscal year 2007:

10 (A) New budget authority,
11 \$16,518,000,000.

12 (B) Outlays, \$8,049,000,000.

13 Fiscal year 2008:

14 (A) New budget authority,
15 \$13,178,000,000.

16 (B) Outlays, \$7,997,000,000.

17 Fiscal year 2009:

18 (A) New budget authority,
19 \$13,278,000,000.

20 (B) Outlays, \$7,987,000,000.

21 Fiscal year 2010:

22 (A) New budget authority,
23 \$17,062,000,000.

24 (B) Outlays, \$8,857,000,000.

25 Fiscal year 2011:

1 (A) New budget authority,
2 \$11,866,000,000

3 (B) Outlays, \$5,390,000,000.

4 (8) Transportation (400):

5 Fiscal year 2007:

6 (A) New budget authority,
7 \$78,258,000,000.

8 (B) Outlays, \$75,774,000,000.

9 Fiscal year 2008:

10 (A) New budget authority,
11 \$81,283,000,000.

12 (B) Outlays, \$78,557,000,000.

13 Fiscal year 2009:

14 (A) New budget authority,
15 \$72,878,000,000.

16 (B) Outlays, \$78,329,000,000.

17 Fiscal year 2010:

18 (A) New budget authority,
19 \$72,926,000,000.

20 (B) Outlays, \$77,828,000,000.

21 Fiscal year 2011:

22 (A) New budget authority,
23 \$73,477,000,000.

24 (B) Outlays, \$77,833,000,000.

1 (9) Community and Regional Development

2 (450):

3 Fiscal year 2007:

4 (A) New budget authority,

5 \$15,942,000,000.

6 (B) Outlays, \$31,345,000,000.

7 Fiscal year 2008:

8 (A) New budget authority,

9 \$12,917,000,000.

10 (B) Outlays, \$25,443,000,000.

11 Fiscal year 2009:

12 (A) New budget authority,

13 \$12,981,000,000.

14 (B) Outlays, \$21,661,000,000.

15 Fiscal year 2010:

16 (A) New budget authority,

17 \$12,988,000,000.

18 (B) Outlays, \$17,777,000,000.

19 Fiscal year 2011:

20 (A) New budget authority,

21 \$13,218,000,000.

22 (B) Outlays, \$13,680,000,000.

23 (10) Education, Training, Employment, and

24 Social Services (500):

25 Fiscal year 2007:

1 (A) New budget authority,
2 \$84,849,000,000.

3 (B) Outlays, \$87,530,000,000.

4 Fiscal year 2008:

5 (A) New budget authority,
6 \$84,140,000,000.

7 (B) Outlays, \$85,316,000,000.

8 Fiscal year 2009:

9 (A) New budget authority,
10 \$83,989,000,000.

11 (B) Outlays, \$83,273,000,000.

12 Fiscal year 2010:

13 (A) New budget authority,
14 \$83,393,000,000.

15 (B) Outlays, \$82,575,000,000.

16 Fiscal year 2011:

17 (A) New budget authority,
18 \$83,343,000,000.

19 (B) Outlays, \$82,597,000,000.

20 (11) Health (550):

21 Fiscal year 2007:

22 (A) New budget authority,
23 \$273,450,000,000.

24 (B) Outlays, \$274,616,000,000.

25 Fiscal year 2008:

1 (A) New budget authority,
2 \$289,867,000,000.

3 (B) Outlays, \$291,070,000,000.

4 Fiscal year 2009:

5 (A) New budget authority,
6 \$310,193,000,000.

7 (B) Outlays, \$308,529,000,000.

8 Fiscal year 2010:

9 (A) New budget authority,
10 \$326,949,000,000.

11 (B) Outlays, \$326,511,000,000.

12 Fiscal year 2011:

13 (A) New budget authority,
14 \$348,509,000,000.

15 (B) Outlays, \$346,802,000,000.

16 (12) Medicare (570):

17 Fiscal year 2007:

18 (A) New budget authority,
19 \$382,803,000,000.

20 (B) Outlays, \$388,276,000,000.

21 Fiscal year 2008:

22 (A) New budget authority,
23 \$413,350,000,000.

24 (B) Outlays, \$413,417,000,000.

25 Fiscal year 2009:

1 (A) New budget authority,
2 \$443,331,000,000.

3 (B) Outlays, \$443,022,000,000.

4 Fiscal year 2010:

5 (A) New budget authority,
6 \$472,962,000,000.

7 (B) Outlays, \$473,238,000,000.

8 Fiscal year 2011:

9 (A) New budget authority,
10 \$523,267,000,000.

11 (B) Outlays, \$523,305,000,000.

12 (13) Income Security (600):

13 Fiscal year 2007:

14 (A) New budget authority,
15 \$356,761,000,000.

16 (B) Outlays, \$362,086,000,000.

17 Fiscal year 2008:

18 (A) New budget authority,
19 \$371,174,000,000.

20 (B) Outlays, \$374,267,000,000.

21 Fiscal year 2009:

22 (A) New budget authority,
23 \$381,732,000,000.

24 (B) Outlays, \$384,278,000,000.

25 Fiscal year 2010:

1 (A) New budget authority,
2 \$391,682,000,000.

3 (B) Outlays, \$393,209,000,000.

4 Fiscal year 2011:

5 (A) New budget authority,
6 \$406,687,000,000.

7 (B) Outlays, \$406,960,000,000.

8 (14) Social Security (650):

9 Fiscal year 2007:

10 (A) New budget authority,
11 \$16,922,000,000.

12 (B) Outlays, \$16,922,000,000.

13 Fiscal year 2008:

14 (A) New budget authority,
15 \$18,814,000,000.

16 (B) Outlays, \$18,814,000,000.

17 Fiscal year 2009:

18 (A) New budget authority,
19 \$20,694,000,000.

20 (B) Outlays, \$20,694,000,000.

21 Fiscal year 2010:

22 (A) New budget authority,
23 \$22,866,000,000.

24 (B) Outlays, \$22,866,000,000.

25 Fiscal year 2011:

1 (A) New budget authority,
2 \$26,480,000,000.

3 (B) Outlays, \$26,480,000,000.

4 (15) Veterans Benefits and Services (700):

5 Fiscal year 2007:

6 (A) New budget authority,
7 \$74,627,000,000.

8 (B) Outlays, \$73,944,000,000.

9 Fiscal year 2008:

10 (A) New budget authority,
11 \$76,925,000,000.

12 (B) Outlays, \$77,200,000,000.

13 Fiscal year 2009:

14 (A) New budget authority,
15 \$77,814,000,000.

16 (B) Outlays, \$77,982,000,000.

17 Fiscal year 2010:

18 (A) New budget authority,
19 \$78,232,000,000.

20 (B) Outlays, \$78,264,000,000.

21 Fiscal year 2011:

22 (A) New budget authority,
23 \$82,398,000,000.

24 (B) Outlays, \$82,249,000,000.

25 (16) Administration of Justice (750):

1 Fiscal year 2007:
2 (A) New budget authority,
3 \$42,795,000,000.
4 (B) Outlays, \$43,621,000,000.
5 Fiscal year 2008:
6 (A) New budget authority,
7 \$42,908,000,000.
8 (B) Outlays, \$43,578,000,000.
9 Fiscal year 2009:
10 (A) New budget authority,
11 \$43,454,000,000.
12 (B) Outlays, \$43,716,000,000.
13 Fiscal year 2010:
14 (A) New budget authority,
15 \$43,816,000,000.
16 (B) Outlays, \$43,903,000,000.
17 Fiscal year 2011:
18 (A) New budget authority,
19 \$44,862,000,000.
20 (B) Outlays, \$44,492,000,000.
21 (17) General Government (800):
22 Fiscal year 2007:
23 (A) New budget authority,
24 \$18,981,000,000.
25 (B) Outlays, \$18,873,000,000.

1 Fiscal year 2008:

2 (A) New budget authority,

3 \$18,332,000,000.

4 (B) Outlays, \$18,318,000,000.

5 Fiscal year 2009:

6 (A) New budget authority,

7 \$18,365,000,000.

8 (B) Outlays, \$18,099,000,000.

9 Fiscal year 2010:

10 (A) New budget authority,

11 \$18,250,000,000.

12 (B) Outlays, \$18,020,000,000.

13 Fiscal year 2011:

14 (A) New budget authority,

15 \$18,479,000,000.

16 (B) Outlays, \$18,213,000,000.

17 (18) Net Interest (900):

18 Fiscal year 2007:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$354,138,000,000.

21 (B) Outlays, \$354,138,000,000.

22 Fiscal year 2008:

23 (A) New budget authority,

24 \$383,621,000,000.

25 (B) Outlays, \$383,621,000,000.

1 Fiscal year 2009:
2 (A) New budget authority,
3 \$405,846,000,000.
4 (B) Outlays, \$405,846,000,000.

5 Fiscal year 2010:
6 (A) New budget authority,
7 \$427,510,000,000.
8 (B) Outlays, \$427,510,000,000.

9 Fiscal year 2011:
10 (A) New budget authority,
11 \$449,248,000,000.
12 (B) Outlays, \$449,248,000,000.

13 (19) Allowances (920):
14 Fiscal year 2007:
15 (A) New budget authority,
16 \$6,247,000,000.
17 (B) Outlays, \$5,280,000,000.

18 Fiscal year 2008:
19 (A) New budget authority,
20 - \$7,922,000,000.
21 (B) Outlays, - \$5,437,000,000.

22 Fiscal year 2009:
23 (A) New budget authority,
24 - \$7,252,000,000.
25 (B) Outlays, - \$5,918,000,000.

1 Fiscal year 2010:
2 (A) New budget authority,
3 –\$7,384,000,000.
4 (B) Outlays, –\$6,882,000,000.
5 Fiscal year 2011:
6 (A) New budget authority,
7 –\$7,539,000,000.
8 (B) Outlays, –\$7,282,000,000.
9 (20) Undistributed Offsetting Receipts (950):
10 Fiscal year 2007:
11 (A) New budget authority,
12 –\$68,585,000,000.
13 (B) Outlays, –\$69,427,000,000.
14 Fiscal year 2008:
15 (A) New budget authority,
16 –\$68,727,000,000.
17 (B) Outlays, –\$68,399,000,000.
18 Fiscal year 2009:
19 (A) New budget authority,
20 –\$74,480,000,000.
21 (B) Outlays, –\$74,199,000,000.
22 Fiscal year 2010:
23 (A) New budget authority,
24 –\$66,775,000,000.
25 (B) Outlays, –\$66,588,000,000.

1 Fiscal year 2011:

2 (A) New budget authority,
3 –\$69,284,000,000.

4 (B) Outlays, –\$69,247,000,000.

5 **TITLE II—RECONCILIATION**

6 **SEC. 201. RECONCILIATION IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENT-** 7 **ATIVES.**

8 (a) SUBMISSIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTINUED
9 REFORM OF MANDATORY SPENDING.—(1) Not later than
10 June 9, 2006, the House committees named in paragraph
11 (2) shall submit their recommendations to the House
12 Committee on the Budget. After receiving those rec-
13 ommendations, the House Committee on the Budget shall
14 report to the House a reconciliation bill carrying out all
15 such recommendations without any substantive revision.

16 (2) INSTRUCTIONS.—

17 (A) COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE.—The
18 House Committee on Agriculture shall report
19 changes in laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to
20 reduce the deficit by \$55,000,000 for the period of
21 fiscal years 2007 through 2011.

22 (B) COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES.—The
23 House Committee on Armed Services shall report
24 changes in laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to

1 reduce the deficit by \$175,000,000 for the period of
2 fiscal years 2007 through 2011.

3 (C) COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND THE
4 WORKFORCE.—The House Committee on Education
5 and the Workforce shall report changes in laws with-
6 in its jurisdiction sufficient to reduce the deficit by
7 \$1,323,000,000 for the period of fiscal years 2007
8 through 2011.

9 (D) COMMITTEE ON FINANCIAL SERVICES IN-
10 STRUCTION TO TRIGGER RELEASE OF FLOOD INSUR-
11 ANCE RESERVE FUND TO COVER ADDITIONAL
12 CLAIMS IN THE GULF REGION.—The House Com-
13 mittee on Financial Services shall report changes in
14 laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to reduce the
15 deficit by \$400,000,000 for the period of fiscal years
16 2007 through 2011.

17 (E) COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL RELA-
18 TIONS.—The House Committee on International Re-
19 lations shall report changes in laws within its juris-
20 diction sufficient to reduce the deficit by
21 \$250,000,000 for the period of fiscal years 2007
22 through 2011.

23 (F) COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY.—The
24 House Committee on the Judiciary shall report
25 changes in laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to

1 reduce the deficit by \$500,000,000 for the period of
2 fiscal years 2007 through 2011.

3 (G) COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND IN-
4 FRASTRUCTURE.—The House Committee on Trans-
5 portation and Infrastructure shall report changes in
6 laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to reduce the
7 deficit by \$50,000,000 for the period of fiscal years
8 2007 through 2011.

9 (H) COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS.—The
10 House Committee on Ways and Means shall report
11 changes in laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to
12 reduce the deficit by \$4,000,000,000 for the period
13 of fiscal years 2007 through 2011.

14 (b) SUBMISSION OF REVISED ALLOCATIONS.—(1)
15 Upon the submission to the Committee on the Budget of
16 the House of a recommendation that has complied with
17 its reconciliation instructions solely by virtue of section
18 310(e) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, the
19 chairman of that committee may file with the House ap-
20 propriately revised allocations under section 302(a) of
21 such Act and revised functional levels and aggregates.

22 (2) Upon the submission to the House of a conference
23 report recommending a reconciliation bill or resolution in
24 which a committee has complied with its reconciliation in-
25 structions solely by virtue of this section, the chairman

1 of the Committee on the Budget of the House may file
2 with the House appropriately revised allocations under
3 section 302(a) of such Act and revised functional levels
4 and aggregates.

5 (3) Allocations and aggregates revised pursuant to
6 this subsection shall be considered to be allocations and
7 aggregates established by the concurrent resolution on the
8 budget pursuant to section 301 of such Act.

9 **TITLE III—RESERVE FUNDS**

10 **SEC. 301. RESERVE FUND FOR THE DISPOSAL OF UNDER-** 11 **UTILIZED FEDERAL REAL PROPERTY.**

12 If the Committee on Government Reform of the
13 House reports a bill or joint resolution, or an amendment
14 is offered thereto or a conference report is submitted
15 thereon, that enhances the Government's real property
16 disposal authority and generates discretionary savings, the
17 chairman of the Committee on the Budget may make the
18 appropriate adjustments in allocations and aggregates by
19 the amount provided by that measure for that purpose,
20 but not to exceed \$25,000,000 in new budget authority
21 and outlays flowing therefrom for fiscal year 2007, and
22 \$25,000,000 in new budget authority and outlays flowing
23 therefrom for the period of fiscal years 2007 through
24 2011.

1 **SEC. 302. RESERVE FUND FOR SECURE RURAL SCHOOLS**
2 **AND COMMUNITY SELF-DETERMINATION ACT**
3 **REAUTHORIZATION.**

4 In the House, after the filing of a rule that provides
5 for the consideration of any bill or joint resolution or
6 whenever any bill or joint resolution is placed on any cal-
7 endar, or if an amendment is offered to or conference re-
8 port is submitted on any bill or joint resolution that pro-
9 vides for the reauthorization of the Secure Rural Schools
10 and Community Self-Determination Act (Public Law 106–
11 393), then the chairman of the Committee on the Budget
12 may make the appropriate adjustments in allocations and
13 aggregates to the extent that such legislation would not
14 increase the deficit for the period of fiscal years 2007
15 through 2011.

16 **SEC. 303. RESERVE FUND FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2007 AL-**
17 **TERNATIVE MINIMUM TAX RELIEF.**

18 If the Committee on Ways and Means reports a bill,
19 or an amendment is offered thereto or a conference report
20 is submitted thereon, that would increase the exemption
21 amounts specified in section 55(d)(1) of the Internal Rev-
22 enue Code of 1986 with respect to taxable years beginning
23 in calendar year 2007, the chairman of the Committee on
24 the Budget may make the appropriate adjustments in allo-
25 cations and aggregates for fiscal year 2007 to the extent
26 that such legislation would not reduce revenues below the

1 aggregate level of revenues provided in section 101(1)(A)
2 for the period of fiscal years 2007 through 2011.

3 **SEC. 304. RESERVE FUND FOR THE NATIONAL FLOOD IN-**
4 **SURANCE PROGRAM TO MEET OUTSTANDING**
5 **CLAIMS FOR FLOOD DAMAGE IN THE GULF.**

6 If the Committee on Financial Services of the House
7 reports a bill or joint resolution, or an amendment is of-
8 fered thereto or a conference report is submitted thereon,
9 that—

10 (1) establishes more actuarially sound rates on
11 policies issued by the National Flood Insurance Pro-
12 gram; and

13 (2) phases out flood insurance subsidies on pre-
14 FIRM structures not used as primary residences;

15 the chairman of the Committee on the Budget may make
16 the appropriate adjustments in allocations and aggregates
17 by the amount provided by that measure for the purpose
18 of liquidating the National Flood Insurance Fund's re-
19 maining contractual obligations resulting from claims
20 made as a result of floods that occurred in 2005, but not
21 to exceed \$3,325,000,000 in new budget authority for fis-
22 cal year 2007 for that purpose. Such adjustments may
23 also be made if the reforms set forth in paragraphs (1)
24 and (2) have been enacted prior to the consideration of
25 the measure referred to in this section.

1 **SEC. 305. RESERVE FUND FOR THE REFORM OF THE REGU-**
2 **LATION OF GOVERNMENT-SPONSORED EN-**
3 **TERPRISES.**

4 In the House, if—

5 (1) the Committee on Financial Services of the
6 House reports a bill or joint resolution, or if an
7 amendment is offered thereto or a conference report
8 is submitted thereon, that reforms the regulation of
9 certain housing-related Government-sponsored enter-
10 prises; and

11 (2) that committee is within its allocation as
12 provided under section 302(a) of the Congressional
13 Budget Act of 1974;

14 the chairman of the Committee on the Budget may make
15 the appropriate adjustments in allocations and aggregates
16 to the extent that such legislation would not increase the
17 deficit for fiscal year 2007 and the period of fiscal years
18 2007 through 2011.

19 **SEC. 306. RESERVE FUND TO ACCOMMODATE FULLY OFF-**
20 **SET APPROPRIATIONS FOR LABOR/HHS, EDU-**
21 **CATION, AND OTHER DOMESTIC PRIORITIES.**

22 In the House, if any measure is enacted that reduces
23 direct spending for fiscal year 2007 and for the period
24 of fiscal years 2007 through 2011, and so designates some
25 or all of such savings provisions pursuant to this section,
26 then the chairman of the Committee on Budget shall in-

1 crease the allocation of new budget authority (and outlays
2 flowing therefrom) to the Committee on Appropriations
3 for fiscal year 2007 by an amount not to exceed the reduc-
4 tion in budget authority for that fiscal year achieved by
5 such designated provisions. Adjustments made pursuant
6 to this section may not be—

7 (1) greater than the savings achieved by the
8 measure in which such designated provisions are in-
9 cluded; or

10 (2) in excess of \$3,100,000,000 for fiscal year
11 2007.

12 Such chairman may make any other appropriate adjust-
13 ments to applicable aggregates and allocations under this
14 section.

15 **TITLE IV—BUDGET** 16 **ENFORCEMENT**

17 **SEC. 401. RESTRICTIONS ON ADVANCE APPROPRIATIONS.**

18 (a) IN GENERAL.—(1) In the House, except as pro-
19 vided in subsection (b), an advance appropriation may not
20 be reported in a bill or joint resolution making a general
21 appropriation or continuing appropriation, and may not
22 be in order as an amendment thereto.

23 (2) Managers on the part of the House may not agree
24 to a Senate amendment that would violate paragraph (1)
25 unless specific authority to agree to the amendment first

1 is given by the House by a separate vote with respect
2 thereto.

3 (b) ADVANCE APPROPRIATION.—In the House, an
4 advance appropriation may be provided for the fiscal years
5 2008 and 2009 for programs, projects, activities, or ac-
6 counts identified in the joint explanatory statement of
7 managers accompanying this resolution under the heading
8 “Accounts Identified for Advance Appropriations” in an
9 aggregate amount not to exceed \$23,565,000,000 in new
10 budget authority in each year.

11 (c) DEFINITION.—In this section, the term “advance
12 appropriation” means any new budget authority provided
13 in a bill or joint resolution making general appropriations
14 or any new budget authority provided in a bill or joint
15 resolution making continuing appropriations for fiscal
16 year 2007 that first becomes available for any fiscal year
17 after 2007.

18 **SEC. 402. CONTINGENCY OPERATIONS RELATED TO THE**
19 **GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM AND FOR UN-**
20 **ANTICIPATED DEFENSE NEEDS.**

21 (a) EXEMPTION OF CONTINGENCY OPERATIONS RE-
22 LATED TO THE GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM AND FOR
23 UNANTICIPATED DEFENSE NEEDS.—In the House, if any
24 bill or joint resolution is reported, or an amendment is
25 offered thereto or a conference report is filed thereon, that

1 makes appropriations for fiscal year 2007 for contingency
2 operations directly related to the global war on terrorism,
3 and other unanticipated defense-related operations, then
4 the new budget authority, new entitlement authority, out-
5 lays, or receipts resulting therefrom shall not count for
6 purposes of titles III or IV of the Congressional Budget
7 Act of 1974.

8 (b) CURRENT LEVEL.—Amounts included in this res-
9 olution for the purpose set forth in this section shall be
10 considered to be current law for purposes of the prepara-
11 tion of the current level of budget authority and outlays
12 and the appropriate levels shall be adjusted upon the en-
13 actment of such bill.

14 **SEC. 404. APPLICATION AND EFFECT OF CHANGES IN ALLO-**
15 **CATIONS AND AGGREGATES.**

16 (a) APPLICATION.—Any adjustments of allocations
17 and aggregates made pursuant to this resolution shall—

18 (1) apply while that measure is under consider-
19 ation;

20 (2) take effect upon the enactment of that
21 measure; and

22 (3) be published in the Congressional Record as
23 soon as practicable.

24 (b) EFFECT OF CHANGED ALLOCATIONS AND AG-
25 GREGATES.—Revised allocations and aggregates resulting

1 from these adjustments shall be considered for the pur-
2 poses of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 as alloca-
3 tions and aggregates contained in this resolution.

4 (c) BUDGET COMMITTEE DETERMINATIONS.—For
5 purposes of this resolution—

6 (1) the levels of new budget authority, outlays,
7 direct spending, new entitlement authority, revenues,
8 deficits, and surpluses for a fiscal year or period of
9 fiscal years shall be determined on the basis of esti-
10 mates made by the appropriate Committee on the
11 Budget; and

12 (2) such chairman may make any other nec-
13 essary adjustments to such levels, including adjust-
14 ments necessary, and in the House separate alloca-
15 tions, to reflect the timing of responses to reconcili-
16 ation directives pursuant to section 201 of this reso-
17 lution.

18 **SEC. 405. ADJUSTMENTS TO REFLECT CHANGES IN CON-**
19 **CEPTS AND DEFINITIONS.**

20 Upon the enactment of a bill or joint resolution pro-
21 viding for a change in concepts or definitions, the appro-
22 priate chairman of the Committee on the Budget shall
23 make adjustments to the levels and allocations in this res-
24 olution in accordance with section 251(b) of the Balanced

1 Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (as
2 in effect prior to September 30, 2002).

3 **SEC. 406. COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 13301 OF THE BUDG-**
4 **ET ENFORCEMENT ACT OF 1990.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—In the House and the Senate, not-
6 withstanding section 302(a)(1) of the Congressional
7 Budget Act of 1974 and section 13301 of the Budget En-
8 forcement Act of 1990, the joint explanatory statement
9 accompanying the conference report on any concurrent
10 resolution on the budget shall include in its allocation
11 under section 302(a) of the Congressional Budget Act of
12 1974 to the Committee on Appropriations amounts for the
13 discretionary administrative expenses of the Social Secu-
14 rity Administration.

15 (b) SPECIAL RULE.—In the House, for purposes of
16 applying section 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act
17 of 1974, estimates of the level of total new budget author-
18 ity and total outlays provided by a measure shall include
19 any discretionary amounts provided for the Social Security
20 Administration.

21 **SEC. 407. EXERCISE OF RULEMAKING POWERS.**

22 Congress adopts the provisions of this title—

23 (1) as an exercise of the rulemaking power of
24 the Senate and the House, respectively, and as such
25 they shall be considered as part of the rules of each

1 House, or of that House to which they specifically
2 apply, and such rules shall supersede other rules
3 only to the extent that they are inconsistent there-
4 with; and

5 (2) with full recognition of the constitutional
6 right of either House to change those rules (so far
7 as they relate to that house) at any time, in the
8 same manner, and to the same extent as in the case
9 of any other rule of that House.

10 **SEC. 408. TREATMENT OF ALLOCATIONS IN THE HOUSE.**

11 (a) IN GENERAL.—In the House, the Committee on
12 Appropriations may make a separate suballocation for ap-
13 propriations for the legislative branch for the first fiscal
14 year of this resolution. Such suballocation shall be deemed
15 to be made under section 302(b) of the Congressional
16 Budget Act of 1974 and shall be treated as such a sub-
17 allocation for all purposes under section 302 of such Act.

18 (b) DISPLAY OF COMMITTEE ALLOCATIONS.—An al-
19 location to a committee under section 302(a) of the Con-
20 gressional Budget Act of 1974 may display an amount to
21 reflect a committee's instruction under the reconciliation
22 process, but it shall not constitute an allocation within the
23 meaning of section 302 of such Act. Any deficit reduction
24 achieved in a reconciliation bill submitted pursuant to title
25 II of this resolution shall not be included in current levels

1 of new budget authority and outlays for purposes of en-
2 forcing an allocation under 302(a) of such Act.

3 **SEC. 409. BUDGETARY TREATMENT OF THE NATIONAL**
4 **FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM.**

5 (a) TREATMENT.—For purposes of the allocations
6 and aggregates in this resolution, the reconciliation direc-
7 tives established by this resolution, and for any other pur-
8 pose under titles III and IV of the Congressional Budget
9 Act of 1974, the budgetary effects of any bill or joint reso-
10 lution, amendment thereto, or conference report thereon,
11 or any recommendations submitted pursuant to section
12 201 that includes the reforms set forth in subsection (b)
13 shall be scored without regard to the obligations resulting
14 from the enactment of Public Law 109–208. Such esti-
15 mate shall assume the liquidating of the National Flood
16 Insurance Fund’s remaining contractual obligations re-
17 sulting from claims made as a result of floods that oc-
18 curred in 2005.

19 (b) LEGISLATION.—The legislation referred to in
20 subsection (a) shall—

21 (1) establish more actuarially sound rates on
22 policies issued by the National Flood Insurance Pro-
23 gram; and

24 (2) end flood insurance subsidies on pre-FIRM
25 structures not used as primary residences.

1 **SEC. 410. ADJUSTMENTS FOR TAX LEGISLATION.**

2 In the House, if the Committee on Ways and Means
 3 reports a bill or joint resolution, or an amendment is of-
 4 fered thereto or a conference report is submitted thereon,
 5 that amends the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 by ex-
 6 tending the expiration dates for Federal tax policies that
 7 expired during fiscal year 2006 or that expire during the
 8 period of fiscal years 2007 through 2011, then the chair-
 9 man of the Committee on the Budget may make appro-
 10 priate adjustments in the allocations and aggregates of
 11 budget authority, outlays, and revenue set forth in this
 12 resolution to reflect the budgetary effects of such legisla-
 13 tion, but only to the extent the adjustments would not
 14 cause the level of revenue to be less than the level of rev-
 15 enue provided for in this resolution for the period of fiscal
 16 years 2007 through 2011 and would not cause the deficit
 17 to exceed the appropriate level of deficits provided for in
 18 this resolution for the period of fiscal years 2007 through
 19 2011.

20 **TITLE V—EMERGENCY RESERVE**
 21 **FUND**

22 **SEC. 501. NONDEFENSE RESERVE FUND FOR EMER-**
 23 **GENCIES.**

24 (a) NONDEFENSE RESERVE FUNDS.—

25 (1) DISCRETIONARY RESERVE FUND.—In the
 26 House and except as provided by subsection (b), if

1 a bill or joint resolution is reported, or an amend-
2 ment is offered thereto (or considered as adopted) or
3 a conference report is filed thereon, that provides
4 new discretionary budget authority (and outlays
5 flowing therefrom), and such provision is designated
6 as an emergency pursuant to this section, the chair-
7 man of the Committee on the Budget shall make ad-
8 justments to the allocations and aggregates set forth
9 in this resolution up to the amount of such provi-
10 sions if the requirements set forth in section 504 are
11 met, but the sum of all adjustments made under this
12 paragraph shall not exceed \$6,450,000,000 for fiscal
13 year 2007.

14 (2) OTHER ADJUSTMENTS.—In the House, if a
15 bill or joint resolution is reported or a conference re-
16 port is filed thereon, and a direct spending or receipt
17 provision included therein is designated as an emer-
18 gency pursuant to this paragraph, the chairman of
19 the Committee on the Budget may make adjust-
20 ments to the allocations and aggregates set forth in
21 this resolution.

22 (b) ADDITIONAL ADJUSTMENT PROCEDURES.—In
23 the House, before any adjustment is made pursuant to
24 this section for any bill, joint resolution, or conference re-
25 port that designates a provision an emergency, the enact-

1 ment of which would cause the total amount of the reserve
2 fund set forth in subsection (a)(1) for fiscal year 2007
3 to be exceeded:

4 (1) The chairman of the Committee on the
5 Budget shall convene a meeting of that committee,
6 where it shall be in order, subject to the terms set
7 forth in this section, for one motion described in
8 paragraph (2) to be made to authorize the chairman
9 to make adjustments above the maximum amount of
10 adjustments set forth in subsection (a).

11 (2) The motion referred to in paragraph (1)
12 shall be in the following form: ‘I move that the
13 chairman of the Committee on the Budget be au-
14 thorized to adjust the allocations and aggregates set
15 forth in the concurrent resolution on the budget for
16 fiscal year 2007 by the following amount: \$_____

17 for fiscal year 2007.’, with the blank being filled in
18 with amount determined by the chairman of the
19 Committee on the Budget. For any measure referred
20 to in subsection (a)(1), such amount shall not exceed
21 the total amount for fiscal year 2007 designated as
22 an emergency in excess of the applicable amount re-
23 maining in the reserve fund.

24 (3) The motion set forth in paragraph (2) shall
25 be open for debate and amendment, but any amend-

1 ment offered thereto is only in order if limited to
2 changing an amount in the motion.

3 (4) Except as provided by paragraph (5), the
4 chairman of the Committee on the Budget may not
5 make any adjustments under subsection (a) or sub-
6 section (b) unless or until the committee filing a re-
7 port or joint statement of managers on a conference
8 report on a measure including an emergency des-
9 ignation fulfills the terms set forth in section 504.

10 (5) The chairman of the Committee on the
11 Budget shall make any adjustments he deems nec-
12 essary under this section if he determines the enact-
13 ment of the provision or provisions designated as an
14 emergency is essential to respond to an urgent and
15 imminent need, the chairman determines the excep-
16 tional circumstances referred to in rule 3 of the
17 rules of the committee are met and the committee
18 cannot convene to consider the motion referred to in
19 this section in a timely fashion.

20 (c) APPLICATION OF ADJUSTMENTS.—The adjust-
21 ments made pursuant to subsection (a) or (b) shall—

22 (1) apply while that bill, joint resolution, con-
23 ference report or amendment is under consideration;

24 (2) take effect upon the enactment of that leg-
25 islation; and

1 (3) be published in the Congressional Record as
2 soon as practicable.

3 **SEC. 502. EMERGENCY CRITERIA.**

4 As used in this title:

5 (1) The term “emergency” means a situation
6 that—

7 (A) requires new budget authority and out-
8 lays (or new budget authority and the outlays
9 flowing therefrom) for the prevention or mitiga-
10 tion of, or response to, loss of life or property,
11 or a threat to national security; and

12 (B) is unanticipated.

13 (2) The term “unanticipated” means that the
14 underlying situation is—

15 (A) Sudden, which means quickly coming
16 into being or not building up over time;

17 (B) Urgent, which means a pressing and
18 compelling need requiring immediate action;

19 (C) Unforeseen, which means not predicted
20 or anticipated as an emerging need; and

21 (D) Temporary, which means not of a per-
22 manent duration.

1 **SEC. 503. DEVELOPMENT OF GUIDELINES FOR APPLICA-**
2 **TION OF EMERGENCY DEFINITION.**

3 In the House, as soon as practicable after the adop-
4 tion of this resolution, the chairman of the Committee on
5 the Budget shall, after consultation with the chairmen of
6 the applicable committees, and the Director of the Con-
7 gressional Budget Office, prepare guidelines for applica-
8 tion of the definition of an emergency and publish such
9 guidelines in the Congressional Record, and may issue any
10 committee print from the Committee on the Budget for
11 this or other purposes.

12 **SEC. 504. COMMITTEE NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY LEG-**
13 **ISLATION.**

14 (a) COMMITTEE NOTIFICATION.—Whenever a com-
15 mittee of the House (including a committee of conference)
16 reports any bill or joint resolution that includes a provision
17 designated as an emergency pursuant to this title, the re-
18 port accompanying that bill or joint resolution (or the joint
19 explanatory statement of managers in the case of a con-
20 ference report on any such bill or joint resolution) shall
21 identify all provisions that provide amounts designated as
22 an emergency and shall provide an explanation of the
23 manner in which the provision meets the criteria set forth
24 in section 502.

25 (b) CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.—If such a measure is
26 to be considered by the House without being reported by

1 the committee of jurisdiction, then the committee shall
 2 cause the explanation to be published in the Congressional
 3 Record as soon as practicable.

4 **SEC. 505. UP-TO-DATE TABULATIONS.**

5 The Committee on the Budget of the House shall
 6 publish in the Congressional Record up-to-date tabulations
 7 of amounts remaining in the reserve fund set forth in sec-
 8 tion 501, or authorized in excess thereof, as soon as prac-
 9 ticable after the enactment of such amounts designated
 10 as emergencies.

11 **TITLE VI—SENSE OF CONGRESS**

12 **SEC. 601. SENSE OF CONGRESS ON LONG-TERM BUDG-**
 13 **ETING.**

14 It is the sense of Congress that the determination of
 15 the congressional budget for the United States Govern-
 16 ment and the President's budget request should include
 17 consideration of the Financial Report of the United States
 18 Government, especially its information regarding the Gov-
 19 ernment's net operating cost, financial position, and long-
 20 term liabilities.

21 **SEC. 602. SENSE OF CONGRESS ON CLOSING THE TAX GAP**
 22 **TO REDUCE THE DEFICIT.**

23 It is the sense of Congress that any revenues in-
 24 creases achieved through recovery of taxes legally owed to
 25 the U.S. Treasury but not actually paid, the so-called "tax

1 gap”, shall be dedicated entirely to reducing the deficit
2 and the accumulated debt, and not to financing additional
3 spending.

4 **SEC. 603. IMPORTANCE OF FUNDING FY2007 DEPARTMENTS**
5 **OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES,**
6 **EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES AP-**
7 **PROPRIATION BILL.**

8 (a) FINDINGS.—The House of Representatives finds
9 that—

10 (1) the budget resolution sets total discre-
11 tionary spending at \$872,778,000,000; and

12 (2) additional funding can be provided for dis-
13 cretionary programs under the budget resolution
14 provided that it is offset with mandatory or discre-
15 tionary savings in negotiations with the Senate.

16 (b) RECOGNITION.—The House of Representatives
17 recognizes the need to increase the President’s fiscal year
18 2007 request for the Departments of Labor, Health and
19 Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies Appro-
20 priation bill by not less than \$7,158,000,000.

21 **SEC. 604. UNOBLIGATED FUNDING OFFSET.**

22 There should be included in any offsets enacted to
23 provide for the increases relative to the President’s request
24 for the Labor, Health and Human Services, Education,
25 and Related Agencies Appropriations bill a rescission of

- 1 at least \$1,000,000,000 from available, unobligated funds
- 2 previously appropriated for reconstruction activities in
- 3 Iraq.

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Attest:

Clerk.

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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Establishing the congressional budget for the
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fiscal years 2008 through 2011.