

**CUMULATIVE REPORT ON RESCISSIONS
AND DEFERRALS, MARCH 1, 1998**

COMMUNICATION

FROM

**THE DIRECTOR, THE OFFICE OF
MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET**

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THE CUMULATIVE REPORT ON RESCISSIONS AND DEFERRALS OF
BUDGET AUTHORITY AS OF MARCH 1, 1998, PURSUANT TO 2
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THE DIRECTOR

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

March 6, 1998

The Honorable Newt Gingrich
Speaker of the House of
Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Executive Order 11845, I am transmitting the cumulative report on rescissions and deferrals. This report is required by Section 1014(e) of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974. In accordance with the Act, the report is being transmitted concurrently to the Senate and will be published in the Federal Register.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Franklin D. Raines", written over a horizontal line.

Franklin D. Raines
Director

Enclosure

Similar Letter Sent to the President of the Senate

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET
CUMULATIVE REPORT ON RESCISSIONS AND DEFERRALS

March 1, 1998

This report is submitted in fulfillment of the requirement of Section 1014(e) of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-344). Section 1014(e) requires a monthly report listing all budget authority for the current fiscal year for which, as of the first day of the month, a special message had been transmitted to Congress.

This report gives the status, as of March 1, 1998, of 24 rescission proposals and eight deferrals contained in two special messages for FY 1998. These messages were transmitted to Congress on February 3 and February 20, 1998.

Rescissions (Attachments A and C)

As of March 1, 1998, 24 rescission proposals totaling \$20 million had been transmitted to the Congress. Attachment C shows the status of the FY 1998 rescission proposals.

Deferrals (Attachments B and D)

As of March 1, 1998, \$3,606 million in budget authority was being deferred from obligation. Attachment D shows the status of each deferral reported during FY 1998.

Information from Special Messages

The special messages containing information on the rescission proposals and deferrals that are covered by this cumulative report are printed in the editions of the Federal Register cited below:

63 FR 7004, Wednesday, February 11, 1998

63 FR 10076, Friday, February 27, 1998

Attachments

ATTACHMENT A**STATUS OF FY 1998 RESCISSIONS**
(in millions of dollars)

	Budgetary Resources
Rescissions proposed by the President	20.1
Rejected by the Congress	---
Amounts rescinded	---
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Currently before the Congress	20.1

ATTACHMENT B**STATUS OF FY 1998 DEFERRALS**
(in millions of dollars)

	Budgetary Resources
Deferrals proposed by the President	4,833.0
Routine Executive releases through March 1, 1998 (OMB/Agency releases of \$1,227.5 million.)	1,227.5
Overturned by the Congress	---
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Currently before the Congress	3,605.5

ATTACHMENT C
Status of FY 1998 Rescission Proposals - As of March 1, 1998
(Amounts in thousands of dollars)

Agency/Bureau/Account	Rescission Number	Amounts Pending Before Congress		Date of Message	Previously Withheld and Made Available	Date Made Available	Amount Rescinded	Congressional Action
		Less than 45 days	More than 45 days					
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE								
Agricultural Research Service	R98-1		223	2-20-98				
Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service	R98-2		350	2-20-98				
Salaries and expenses	R98-3		502	2-20-98				
Food Safety and Inspection Service	R98-4		38	2-20-98				
Salaries and expenses	R98-5		25	2-20-98				
Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration	R98-6		1,080	2-20-98				
Salaries and expenses	R98-7		378	2-20-98				
Agricultural Marketing Service	R98-8		846	2-20-98				
Marketing services	R98-9		114	2-20-98				
Farm Service Agency	R98-10		1,084	2-20-98				
Salaries and expenses	R98-11		30	2-20-98				
Natural Resources Conservation Service	R98-12		148	2-20-98				
Conservation operations	R98-13		59	2-20-98				
Rural Housing Service	R98-14		148	2-20-98				
Salaries and expenses								
Food and Nutrition Service								
Child nutrition programs								
Forest Service								
National forest systems								
Reconstruction and construction								
Forest and rangeland research								
State and private forestry								
Wildland fire management								

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ATTACHMENT C
Status of FY 1988 Rescission Proposals - As of March 1, 1988
(Amounts in thousands of dollars)

Agency/Bureau/Account	Rescission Number	Amounts Pending Before Congress		Date of Message	Previously Withheld and Made Available	Date Made Available	Amount Rescinded	Congressional Action
		Less than 45 days	More than 45 days					
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR								
Bureau of Land Management								
Management of lands and resources	R88-15	1,188		2-20-88				
Oregon and California grant lands	R88-16	2,500		2-20-88				
Bureau of Reclamation								
Water and related resources	R88-17	532		2-20-88				
Bureau of Mines								
Mines and minerals	R88-18	1,805		2-20-88				
United States Fish and Wildlife Service								
Construction	R88-19	1,188		2-20-88				
National Park Service								
Construction	R88-20	1,638		2-20-88				
Bureau of Indian Affairs								
Construction	R88-21	737		2-20-88				
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION								
Office of the Secretary								
Payments to air carriers	R88-22	2,499		2-20-88				
Payments to air carriers (Airport and airway trust fund)	R88-23	1,000		2-20-88				
Maritime Administration								
Maritime guaranteed loan (Title XI) program account	R88-24	2,138		2-20-88				
TOTAL, RESCISSIONS		20,060	0		0		0	

ATTACHMENT D
Status of FY 1988 Deferrals - As of March 1, 1988
 (Amounts in thousands of dollars)

Agency/Bureau/Account	Deferral Number	Amounts Transmitted		Date of Message	Releases(-)		Congressional Action	Cumulative Adjustments	Amount Deferred as of 3-1-88
		Original Request	Subsequent Change (+)		Cumulative OMB/Agency	Congressional Required			
FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE PRESIDENT									
International Security Assistance Economic support fund and International Fund for Ireland	D88-1	2,330,088		2-3-88	1,164,145				1,165,553
International military education and training	D88-2	43,300		2-3-88	41,900				1,400
Foreign military financing program	D88-3	1,483,803		2-3-88	1,200				1,482,703
Foreign military financing loan program	D88-4	60,000		2-3-88					60,000
Foreign military financing direct loan financing account	D88-5	657,000		2-3-88					657,000
Agency for International Development International disaster assistance, Executive	D88-6	135,697		2-3-88	20,250				115,447
DEPARTMENT OF STATE									
Other United States emergency refugee and migration assistance fund	D88-7	115,640		2-3-88					115,640
SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION									
Limitation on administrative expenses	D88-8	7,369		2-3-88					7,369
TOTAL DEFERRALS		4,833,007	0		1,227,495			0	3,605,512

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