

OBJECTIONABLE PROVISIONS CONTAINED IN S. 544 FY99 EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Bill Language:

A \$3,880,000 earmark for additional research, management, and enforcement activities in the Northeast Multispecies fishery, and for acquisition of shoreline data for nautical charts.

An earmark of \$4,000,000 for Forest Service construction of a new forestry research facility at Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama.

A \$2,200,000 earmark to meet sewer infrastructure needs associated with the 2002 Winter Olympic Games to Wasatch County, UT, for both water and sewer.

Earmark of \$50,000 for a feasibility study and initial planning and design of an effective CD ROM product to the Center for Educational Technologies in Wheeling West Virginia. The CD ROM product would complement the book We the People: The Citizen and the Constitution.

Report Language:

Committee language recommending \$20,000,000 for farm workers in areas of California and Florida impacted by natural disasters through the Emergency Grants to Assist Low-Income Migrant and Seasonal Farm workers Program.

An earmark of \$2,000,000 in section 504 of the Rural Housing Insurance Fund Program, for very low-income repair loans, and to meet rural housing needs in Puerto Rico resulting from Hurricane Georges.

\$12,612,000 for construction to repair damage due to rain, winds, ice, snow, and other acts of nature in the Pacific Northwest and Nevada.

\$2,000,000 in emergency funding earmarked for the Holocaust Memorial Council.

Language urging FEMA to work to ensure that the City of Kelso, Washington, receives such assistance as is necessary and appropriate to compensate homeowners in the federally-declared disaster area impacted by the Aldercrest landslide.

An earmark of \$20,000,000 for partial site and planning for three facilities, one which shall be located in McDowell, West Virginia, to house non-returnable criminal aliens being transferred from the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS).

\$921,000 earmarked for FY 1999 to fund the hiring and equipping of 36 additional police officers to staff the security posts established to improve security for the Supreme Court.

\$1,136,000 earmarked for suppression of western spruce budworm on the Yakama Indian Reservation.

A \$1,000,000 earmark for the Bureau of Land Management's Wyoming and Montana state offices to pay for activities necessary to process applications for Permits to Drill (APD) in the Powder River Basin.

\$5,200,000 for eradication of the Asian Long-horned Beetle, from the Commodity Credit Corporation.

\$2,500,000 of this \$5,200,000 is set aside for the Chicago, Illinois area.

Committee report language urging the Forest Service to transfer funds appropriated in the Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 1999 to Auburn University for construction of a new forestry research

Total in Reported Bill: \$72.25 million

OBJECTIONABLE PROVISIONS ADDED ON AS AMENDMENTS TO S.544

Amendment Provision Language:

An earmark of \$5,000,000 for emergency repairs to the Headgate Rock Hydroelectric Project in Arizona.

\$239,000 to be used to repair damage caused by water infiltration at the White River High School in White River, South Dakota.

An earmark of \$750,000 for drug control activities which shall be used specifically for the state of New Mexico, to include Rio Arriba County, Santa Fe County, and San Juan County.

Earmark of \$500,000 for technical assistance related to shoreline erosion at Lake Tahoe, Nevada.

Language for funds for the construction of a correctional facility in Barrow, Alaska to be made available to the North Slope Borough.

The Corps of Engineers is directed to reprogram \$800,000 of funds made available in Fiscal Year 1999 to perform the preliminary work needed to transfer Federal lands to the tribes and state of South Dakota and to provide tribes within South Dakota with funds for protecting invaluable Indian cultural sites.

Language to appropriate \$700,000 under the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946 and the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act to promote the recovery of the apple industry in New England.

An earmark of \$2,000,000 for the regional applications programs at the University of Northern Iowa.

\$1,000,000 for construction of the Pike's Peak Summit House in Colorado.

\$2,000,000 earmark for the Borough of Ketchikan to participate in a study of the feasibility and dynamics of manufacturing veneer products in Southeast Alaska.

Amendment Total: \$13,189,000

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Final Bill Total: \$85.5 million