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To cut \$500,000,000,000 in spending in fiscal year 2011.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. PAUL introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to  
the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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**A BILL**

To cut \$500,000,000,000 in spending in fiscal year 2011.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Cut Federal Spending  
5 Act of 2011”.

6 **SEC. 2. LEGISLATIVE BRANCH.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Amounts made available for fiscal  
8 year 2011 for the legislative branch are reduced by  
9 \$1,283,000,000.

10 (b) GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE.—The Govern-  
11 ment Printing Office is defunded effective on the date of  
12 enactment of this Act.

1 **SEC. 3. JUDICIAL BRANCH.**

2 Amounts made available to the judicial branch for fis-  
3 cal year 2011 are reduced on a pro rata basis by the  
4 amount required to bring total reduction to  
5 \$2,434,000,000.

6 **SEC. 4. AGRICULTURE.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Including reductions made by  
8 subsection (b), amounts made available to the Department  
9 of Agriculture for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro  
10 rata basis by the amount required to bring total reduction  
11 to \$42,542,000,000.

12 (b) SPECIFIC REDUCTIONS.—

13 (1) DEFUNDING.—The following agencies are  
14 defunded effective on the date of enactment of this  
15 Act:

16 (A) The Agriculture Research Service.

17 (B) The National Institute of Food and  
18 Agriculture.

19 (C) The Resources Conservation Service.

20 (D) The Foreign Agricultural Service.

21 (2) REDUCTION.—Amounts made available to  
22 the Forest Service for fiscal year 2011 are reduced  
23 by \$1,178,000,000.

24 **SEC. 5. COMMERCE.**

25 (a) IN GENERAL.—Including reductions made by  
26 subsection (b), amounts made available to the Department

1 of Commerce for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro  
2 rata basis by the amount required to bring total reduction  
3 to \$5,322,000,000.

4 (b) REDUCTION.—Amounts made available to the  
5 National Oceanic And Atmospheric Administration for fis-  
6 cal year 2011 are reduced by \$857,000,000.

7 **SEC. 6. DEFENSE.**

8 (a) REDUCTION.—

9 (1) MILITARY PERSONNEL.—Amounts made  
10 available to military personnel for fiscal year 2011  
11 are reduced by \$14,000,000,000.

12 (2) PROCUREMENT.—Amounts made available  
13 for procurement for fiscal year 2011 are reduced by  
14 \$13,300,000,000.

15 (3) OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE.—  
16 Amounts made available to the Operations and  
17 Maintenance for fiscal year 2011 are reduced by  
18 \$22,430,000,000.

19 (4) RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT.—Amounts  
20 made available to the Research and Development for  
21 fiscal year 2011 are reduced by \$8,000,000,000.

22 (5) WAR FUNDING.—Amounts made available  
23 to the War funding/Overseas Contingency for fiscal  
24 year 2011 are reduced by \$16,000,000,000.

25 (b) TRANSFERS.—Transfers are as follows:

1           (1) Transfer all Department of Energy ac-  
2           counts to the Department of Defense (DOE capped  
3           at \$17,120,000,000).

4           (2) Transfer the United States Coast Guard ac-  
5           counts from the Department of Homeland Security  
6           to the Department of Defense.

7   **SEC. 7. EDUCATION.**

8           All Department of Education programs are defunded  
9           effective on the date of enactment of this Act, except for  
10          the Pell grant program which shall be capped at  
11          \$16,256,000,000.

12   **SEC. 8. ENERGY.**

13          (a) IN GENERAL.—Amounts made available to the  
14          Department of Energy for fiscal year 2011 are reduced  
15          by \$27,270,000,000.

16          (b) TRANSFER.—Effective on the date of enactment  
17          of this Act, remaining funds and accounts for the Depart-  
18          ment of Energy are transferred to the Department of De-  
19          fense.

20   **SEC. 9. HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.**

21          (a) IN GENERAL.—Including reductions made by  
22          subsection (b), amounts not otherwise required by law  
23          made available to the Department of Health and Human  
24          Services for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro rata

1 basis by the amount required to bring total reduction to  
2 \$26,510,000,000.

3 (b) SPECIFIC REDUCTIONS.—

4 (1) FDA.—Amounts made available to the  
5 Food and Drug Administration for fiscal year 2011  
6 are reduced by \$230,000,000.

7 (2) HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMIN-  
8 ISTRATION.—Amounts made available to the Health  
9 Resources and Services Administration for fiscal  
10 year 2011 are reduced by \$1,410,000,000.

11 (3) INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE.—Amounts made  
12 available to the Indian Health Service for fiscal year  
13 2011 are reduced by \$650,000,000.

14 (4) CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PRE-  
15 VENTION.—Amounts made available to the Center  
16 for Disease Control and Prevention for fiscal year  
17 2011 are reduced by \$1,165,000,000.

18 (5) NIH.—Amounts made available to the Na-  
19 tional Institute of Health for fiscal year 2011 are re-  
20 duced by \$5,825,000,000.

21 (6) SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH  
22 SERVICE ADMINISTRATION.—Amounts made avail-  
23 able to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health  
24 Service Administration for fiscal year 2011 are re-  
25 duced by \$626,000,000.

1 **SEC. 10. HOMELAND SECURITY.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Including reductions made by  
3 subsection (b), amounts made available to the Department  
4 of Homeland Security for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on  
5 a pro rata basis by the amount required to bring total  
6 reduction to \$23,765,000,000.

7 (b) REDUCTIONS.—

8 (1) TRANSFER.—The United States Coast  
9 Guard's funds and accounts are transferred to the  
10 Department of Defense.

11 (2) REDUCTION.—Amounts made available to  
12 the Transportation Security Administration for fis-  
13 cal year 2011 are reduced by \$901,000,000.

14 **SEC. 11. HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT.**

15 (a) DEFUNDING.—Except as provided in subsection  
16 (b), all accounts and programs of the Department of  
17 Housing and Urban Development are defunded effective  
18 on the date of enactment of this Act.

19 (b) TRANSFER.—Effective on the date of enactment  
20 of this Act, Veteran housing programs administered by the  
21 Department of Housing and Urban Development are  
22 transferred to Department of Veterans' Affairs.

23 **SEC. 12. INTERIOR.**

24 (a) IN GENERAL.—Including reductions made by  
25 subsection (b), amounts made available to the Department  
26 of Interior for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro rata

1 basis by the amount required to bring total reduction to  
2 \$10,934,000,000.

3 (b) REDUCTIONS.—

4 (1) LAND AND MINERAL MANAGEMENT.—

5 Amounts made available to the Land and Mineral  
6 Management for fiscal year 2011 are reduced by  
7 \$2,311,000,000.

8 (2) BUREAU OF RECLAMATION.—The Bureau  
9 of Reclamation is defunded effective on the date of  
10 enactment of this Act.

11 (3) UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.—

12 Amounts made available to the United States Geo-  
13 logical Survey for fiscal year 2011 are reduced by  
14 \$198,000,000.

15 (4) PARK SERVICE REDUCTION.—Amounts

16 made available to the national Park Service for fiscal  
17 year 2011 are reduced by \$849,000,000.

18 (5) REPEAL.—All accounts and programs of the  
19 Bureau of Indian Affairs are defunded effective on  
20 the date of enactment of this Act.

21 **SEC. 13. JUSTICE.**

22 (a) IN GENERAL.—Including reductions made by  
23 subsection (b), amounts made available to the Department  
24 of Justice for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro rata

1 basis by the amount required to bring total reduction to  
2 \$9,057,000,000.

3 (b) REPEAL.—All accounts and programs of the Of-  
4 fice of Justice Programs are defunded effective on the date  
5 of enactment of this Act.

6 **SEC. 14. LABOR.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in subsection  
8 (b), amounts made available to the Department of Labor  
9 for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro rata basis by  
10 the amount required to bring total reduction to  
11 \$2,803,000,000.

12 (b) EXEMPTIONS.—The following are exempt from  
13 the reductions required by subsection (a):

14 (1) The Occupational Safety and Health Ad-  
15 ministration.

16 (2) The Mine Safety and Health Administra-  
17 tion.

18 (3) The Employment and Training Administra-  
19 tion (including all unemployment compensation).

20 **SEC. 15. STATE.**

21 (a) IN GENERAL.—Including reductions made by  
22 subsection (b), amounts made available to the Department  
23 of State for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro rata  
24 basis by the amount required to bring total reduction to  
25 \$20,321,000,000.

1 (b) SPECIFIC REDUCTIONS.—The following agencies  
2 are defunded effective on the date of enactment of this  
3 Act:

4 (1) International Organizations and Con-  
5 ferences.

6 (2) International Commissions.

7 **SEC. 16. TRANSPORTATION.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Including reductions made by  
9 subsection (b), amounts made available to the Department  
10 of Transportation for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a  
11 pro rata basis by the amount required to bring total reduc-  
12 tion to \$42,810,000,000.

13 (b) REPEAL.—Effective on the date of enactment of  
14 this Act all Amtrak Federal subsidies are terminated.

15 **SEC. 17. VETERANS' AFFAIRS.**

16 The Department of Veterans' Affairs shall not be  
17 subject to funding cuts in fiscal year 2011.

18 **SEC. 18. CORPS OF ENGINEERS.**

19 Amounts made available to the Corps of Engineers  
20 for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro rata basis by  
21 the amount required to bring total reduction to  
22 \$1,854,000,000.

23 **SEC. 19. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY.**

24 Amounts made available to the Environmental Pro-  
25 tection Agency for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro

1 rata basis by the amount required to bring total reduction  
2 to \$3,238,000,000.

3 **SEC. 20. GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION.**

4 Amounts made available to the General Service Ad-  
5 ministration for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro rata  
6 basis by the amount required to bring total reduction to  
7 \$1,936,000,000.

8 **SEC. 21. NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINIS-**  
9 **TRATION.**

10 Amounts made available to the National Aeronautics  
11 and Space Administration for fiscal year 2011 are reduced  
12 on a pro rata basis by the amount required to bring total  
13 reduction to \$4,488,000,000.

14 **SEC. 22. NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION.**

15 Amounts made available to the National Science  
16 Foundation for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro rata  
17 basis by the amount required to bring total reduction to  
18 \$4,723,000,000.

19 **SEC. 23. OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT.**

20 Amounts made available to the Office of Personnel  
21 Management for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a pro  
22 rata basis by the amount required to bring total reduction  
23 to \$9,070,000,000.

1 **SEC. 24. SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION.**

2 The Social Security Administration shall not be sub-  
3 ject to funding cuts in fiscal year 2011.

4 **SEC. 25. REPEAL OF INDEPENDENT AGENCIES.**

5 The following agencies are defunded effective on the  
6 date of enactment of this Act:

7 (1) Affordable Housing Program.

8 (2) Commission on Fine Arts.

9 (3) Consumer Product Safety Commission.

10 (4) Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

11 (5) National Endowment for the Arts.

12 (6) National Endowment for the Humanities.

13 (7) State Justice Institute.

14 **SEC. 26. FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION.**

15 Amounts made available to the Federal Communica-  
16 tion Commission for fiscal year 2011 are reduced on a  
17 pro rata basis by the amount required to bring total reduc-  
18 tion to \$2,150,000,000.

19 **SEC. 27. MISCELLANEOUS BUDGET SAVINGS.**

20 The following programs shall be implemented or re-  
21 pealed in fiscal year 2011 with the savings provided:

22 (1) Collect delinquent taxes from Federal Em-  
23 ployees, \$3,000,000,000.

24 (2) Freeze Federal Government employee pay,  
25 \$2,000,000,000.

1           (3) Reduce Federal Government travel,  
2           \$7,500,000,000.

3           (4) Davis- Bacon is repealed, \$6,000,000,000.

4           (5) Prohibit union labor project agreements,  
5           \$2,000,000,000.

6           (6) The Troubled Assets Relief Program is re-  
7           pealed, \$4,481,000,000.

8           (7) Unused Federal assets shall be sold,  
9           \$19,000,000,000.

10          (8) Reduce Federal vehicle budget,  
11          \$600,000,000.