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JULY 7, 2009

Reported by Mrs. FEINSTEIN, with an amendment

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AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, environment, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 ~~That the following sums are appropriated, out of any~~
4 ~~money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the~~
5 ~~Department of the Interior, environment, and related~~
6 ~~agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010,~~
7 ~~and for other purposes, namely:~~

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TITLE II

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

For science and technology, including research and development activities, which shall include research and development activities under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended; necessary expenses for personnel and related costs and travel expenses; procurement of laboratory equipment and supplies; and other operating expenses in support of research and development, \$842,799,000, to remain available until September 30, 2011.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS AND MANAGEMENT

For environmental programs and management, including necessary expenses, not otherwise provided for, for personnel and related costs and travel expenses; hire of passenger motor vehicles; hire, maintenance, and operation of aircraft; purchase of reprints; library memberships in societies or associations which issue publications to members only or at a price to members lower than to subscribers who are not members; administrative costs of the brownfields program under the Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act of 2002; and not to exceed \$9,000 for official reception and representation expenses, \$2,878,780,000, to remain available until Sep-

1 *the Solid Waste Disposal Act to provide financial assistance*
2 *to federally recognized Indian tribes for the development*
3 *and implementation of programs to manage underground*
4 *storage tanks.*

5 *OIL SPILL RESPONSE*

6 *For expenses necessary to carry out the Environmental*
7 *Protection Agency's responsibilities under the Oil Pollution*
8 *Act of 1990, \$18,379,000, to be derived from the Oil Spill*
9 *Liability trust fund, to remain available until expended.*

10 *STATE AND TRIBAL ASSISTANCE GRANTS*

11 *For environmental programs and infrastructure as-*
12 *sistance, including capitalization grants for State revolving*
13 *funds and performance partnership grants, \$4,954,274,000,*
14 *to remain available until expended, of which*
15 *\$2,100,000,000 shall be for making capitalization grants for*
16 *the Clean Water State Revolving Funds under title VI of*
17 *the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (the*
18 *"Act"); of which \$1,387,000,000 shall be for capitalization*
19 *grants for the Drinking Water State Revolving Funds under*
20 *section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, as amended:*
21 *Provided, That, for fiscal year 2010, to the extent that there*
22 *are sufficient applications, not less than 20 percent of the*
23 *funds made available for the Clean Water State Revolving*
24 *Fund or Drinking Water State Revolving Fund capitaliza-*
25 *tion grants shall be for projects to address green infrastruc-*

1 *ture, water or energy efficiency improvements, or other en-*
2 *vironmentally innovative activities; \$10,000,000 shall be for*
3 *architectural, engineering, planning, design, construction*
4 *and related activities in connection with the construction*
5 *of high priority water and wastewater facilities in the area*
6 *of the United States-Mexico Border, after consultation with*
7 *the appropriate border commission; \$15,000,000 shall be for*
8 *grants to the State of Alaska to address drinking water and*
9 *wastewater infrastructure needs of rural and Alaska Native*
10 *Villages: Provided further, That, of these funds: (1) the State*
11 *of Alaska shall provide a match of 25 percent; (2) no more*
12 *than 5 percent of the funds may be used for administrative*
13 *and overhead expenses; and (3) the State of Alaska shall*
14 *make awards consistent with the State-wide priority list*
15 *established in conjunction with the Agency and the U.S.*
16 *Department of Agriculture for all water, sewer, waste dis-*
17 *posal, and similar projects carried out by the State of Alas-*
18 *ka that are funded under section 221 of the Federal Water*
19 *Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1301) or the Consolidated*
20 *Farm and Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C. 1921 et seq.)*
21 *which shall allocate not less than 25 percent of the funds*
22 *provided for projects in regional hub communities;*
23 *\$150,000,000 shall be for making special project grants for*
24 *the construction of drinking water, wastewater and storm*
25 *water infrastructure and for water quality protection in ac-*

1 *cordance with the terms and conditions specified for such*
2 *grants in the committee report accompanying this Act, and,*
3 *for purposes of these grants, each grantee shall contribute*
4 *not less than 45 percent of the cost of the project unless*
5 *the grantee is approved for a waiver by the Agency;*
6 *\$101,000,000 shall be to carry out section 104(k) of the*
7 *Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation,*
8 *and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA), as amended, includ-*
9 *ing grants, interagency agreements, and associated pro-*
10 *gram support costs; \$60,000,000 shall be for grants under*
11 *title VII, subtitle G of the Energy Policy Act of 2005, as*
12 *amended; \$20,000,000 shall be for targeted airshed grants*
13 *in accordance with the terms and conditions of the com-*
14 *mittee report accompanying this Act; and \$1,111,274,000*
15 *shall be for grants, including associated program support*
16 *costs, to States, federally recognized tribes, interstate agen-*
17 *cies, tribal consortia, and air pollution control agencies for*
18 *multi-media or single media pollution prevention, control*
19 *and abatement and related activities, including activities*
20 *pursuant to the provisions set forth under this heading in*
21 *Public Law 104–134, and for making grants under section*
22 *103 of the Clean Air Act for particulate matter monitoring*
23 *and data collection activities subject to terms and condi-*
24 *tions specified by the Administrator, of which \$49,495,000*
25 *shall be for carrying out section 128 of CERCLA, as amend-*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, ENVIRONMENT, AND
RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS BILL, 2010

JULY 7, 2009.—Ordered to be printed

Mrs. FEINSTEIN, from the Committee on Appropriations,
submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H.R. 2996]

The Committee on Appropriations to which was referred the bill (H.R. 2996) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, environment, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes, reports the same to the Senate with an amendment and recommends that the bill as amended do pass.

Total obligational authority, fiscal year 2010

Total of bill as reported to the Senate	\$32,154,084,000
Amount of 2009 appropriations (including emergency appropriations)	38,540,958,000
Amount of 2010 budget estimate	32,382,043,000
Amount of 2010 House allowance	32,353,850,000
Bill as recommended to Senate compared to—	
2009 appropriations (including emergency appropriations)	-6,386,874,000
2010 budget estimate	-227,959,000
2010 House allowance	-199,216,000

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OIL SPILL RESPONSE

Appropriations, 2009	\$17,687,000
Budget estimate, 2010	18,379,000
House allowance	18,379,000
Committee recommendation	18,379,000

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This appropriation, authorized by the Federal Water Pollution Control Act of 1987 and amended by the Oil Pollution Act of 1990, provides funds to prepare for and prevent releases of oil and other petroleum products into navigable waterways. EPA is also reimbursed for incident specific response costs through the Oil Spill Liability Trust Fund, which pursuant to law is managed by the United States Coast Guard. EPA is responsible for: directing all cleanup and removal activities posing a threat to public health and the environment; conducting site inspections, including compelling responsible parties to undertake cleanup actions; reviewing containment plans at facilities; reviewing area contingency plans; pursuing cost recovery of fund-financed cleanups; and conducting research of oil cleanup techniques. Funds for this appropriation are provided through the Oil Spill Liability Trust Fund which is composed of fees and collections made through provisions of the Oil Pollution Act of 1990, the Comprehensive Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act, the Deepwater Port Act of 1974, the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act Amendments of 1978, and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

The Committee recommends \$18,379,000 for oil spill response and prevention activities, equal to the request.

STATE AND TRIBAL ASSISTANCE GRANTS

Appropriations, 2009	\$2,968,464,000
Emergency supplementals, 2009	6,400,000,000
Budget estimate, 2010	5,191,274,000
House allowance	5,215,446,000
Committee recommendation	4,954,274,000

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The "State and tribal assistance grants" account funds grants to support the State revolving fund programs; State, tribal, regional, and local environmental programs; and special projects to address critical water and waste water treatment needs.

Included in this account are funds for the following infrastructure grant programs: Clean Water and Drinking Water State Revolving Funds; United States-Mexico Border Program; Alaska Native villages; and Brownfield State and Tribal Response program grants authorized by CERCLA section 128(a).

It also contains the following categorical environmental grants, State/tribal program grants, and assistance and capacity building grants: (1) air resource assistance to State, regional, local, and tribal governments (secs. 105 and 103 of the Clean Air Act); (2) radon State and tribal grants; (3) water pollution control agency resource

supplementation (sec. 106 of the FWPCA); (4) BEACHS Protection grants (sec. 406 of FWPCA as amended); (5) nonpoint source (sec. 319 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act); (6) wetlands State program development; (7) water quality cooperative agreements (sec. 104(b)(3) of FWPCA); (8) targeted watershed grants; (9) wastewater operator training grants; (10) public water system supervision; (11) underground injection control; (12) drinking water program State homeland security coordination grants; (13) hazardous waste financial assistance; (14) Brownfields activities authorized by CERCLA section 104(k); (15) underground storage tanks; (16) pesticides program implementation; (17) lead grants; (18) toxic substances compliance; (19) pesticides enforcement; (20) the Environmental Information Exchange Network; (21) pollution prevention; (22) sector program; and (23) Indians general assistance grants.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

The Committee recommends \$4,954,274,000 for State and tribal assistance grants, a decrease of \$237,000,000 below the request and an increase of \$1,985,810,000 above the fiscal year 2009 enacted, non-emergency level.

Infrastructure Assistance.—The Committee’s recommendation includes a total of \$3,843,000,000 for infrastructure improvement programs, a decrease of \$237,000,000 below the request and \$1,969,391,000 above the enacted, non-emergency level.

The Committee’s recommendation includes \$2,100,000,000 for the Clean Water State Revolving Fund program, a decrease of \$300,000,000 from the request. That amount provides a 204 percent increase for the program compared to the fiscal year 2009 enacted, non-emergency level. The Committee also provides \$1,387,000,000 for the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund program, a decrease of \$113,000,000 below the request. These funding levels would bring the total amount appropriated to States for water and sewer improvements to more than \$11,000,000,000 over the past 2 fiscal years.

The Committee has also included language proposed by the administration to modify a number of provisions relating to the Clean and Drinking Water State Revolving Fund programs, including: (1) increasing the percentage of funds set aside for grants to Tribes from each Revolving Fund program to 2 percent; (2) increasing the percentage of funds set aside from each Revolving Fund program for grants to U.S. territories to 1.5 percent; and (3) requiring 20 percent of the funds provided for the Revolving Funds be targeted to green infrastructure, water and energy efficiency and other environmentally innovative projects.

In addition, the Committee’s recommendation includes \$150,000,000 to fund targeted infrastructure assistance grants not included in the budget request. These grants shall require a local match of 45 percent of the total project cost unless EPA grants a hardship waiver. Funds shall be distributed as follows:

State	Project description	Amount
AK	City of Kodiak for water and sewer improvements	\$300,000
AK	City of Buckland for construction of a piped water and sewer system	500,000
AK	City of Homer for planning and design of a new drinking water system	500,000

State	Project description	Amount
AK	City of Soldotna for a water and wastewater improvements project	500,000
AK	Municipality of Skagway for a wastewater treatment facility expansion project	300,000
AL	Fayette County for the construction of a drinking water reservoir	6,000,000
AL	City of Brewton for a wastewater improvements project	300,000
AR	City of Forrest City for water infrastructure improvements	300,000
AR	City of Dardanelle for water treatment plant expansion	300,000
AR	Fort Chaffee Redevelopment Authority for water system improvements	300,000
AR	City of Warren for water infrastructure improvements	300,000
AZ	City of Safford for water infrastructure improvements	300,000
CA	City of Rialto for Inland Empire groundwater remediation and drinking water system improvements	300,000
CA	City of East Palo Alto for the East Palo Alto water supply improvement project	1,000,000
CA	City of Eureka for the Martin Slough intercepter project	1,000,000
CA	City of Santa Monica for the Santa Monica water system reliability project	1,250,000
CA	Municipal Water District of Orange County for water supply improvements	1,000,000
CA	Shasta County for Elk Trail Water System Improvements	1,000,000
CA	City of Westminster for Stormwater System improvements	1,000,000
CO	City of Monte Vista for wastewater facility consolidation	300,000
CO	City of Rifle for drinking water infrastructure improvements	300,000
CT	Town of East Lyme for drinking water system improvements	300,000
CT	City of Norwich for wastewater treatment facility improvements	300,000
DE	New Castle County for Turkey Run intercepter improvements	300,000
DE	Sussex County Council for the Johnson's Corner wastewater improvement project	300,000
FL	St. Johns River Water Management District for the East-Central Florida Integrated Water Resources Project	300,000
FL	City of Tampa for reclaimed water expansion project	300,000
GA	Metropolitan North Georgia Water Planning District for watershed management and wastewater treatment projects	300,000
GA	City of Rome for construction of a new drinking water transmission main	300,000
HI	Maui County for Kaa Force main replacement	1,000,000
HI	Hawaii County for the Kapulea drinking water source development project	739,750
HI	County of Kauai for the Waimea Wastewater Treatment Plant expansion project	1,000,000
HI	Hawaii County for the Hawaii Ocean View Estates drinking water source development project	220,000
HI	Maui County for infrastructure improvements at the Kamole Water Treatment Plant	1,000,000
IA	City of Ottumwa for wastewater and stormwater infrastructure improvements	300,000
IA	City of Boone for wastewater and stormwater infrastructure improvements	300,000
IA	City of Clinton for construction of a new wastewater treatment facility	300,000
IA	City of Keokuk for a stormwater and sewer separation project	300,000
ID	Granite Reeder Water and Sewer District for construction of a sewage collection system	300,000
ID	City of American Falls for construction of a wastewater treatment facility	300,000
IL	City of Peoria for sewer and stormwater improvements	300,000
IL	Will County for Ridgewood water and wastewater infrastructure improvements	300,000
IL	City of Decatur for water infrastructure improvements	250,000
IL	City of Lexington for water infrastructure improvements	100,000
IL	Macoupin County for water infrastructure improvements	250,000
IL	City of Quincy for drinking water system improvement (reallocate fiscal year 2009 project)	300,000
IN	City of Tipton for drinking water and wastewater infrastructure upgrades project	300,000
KS	City of Buhler for construction of an adsorption media drinking water treatment facility	600,000
KS	City of Russell for replacement of cast iron drinking water lines	400,000
KS	City of Junction City for construction of a drinking water project	250,000
KS	City of Marion for construction of a wastewater project	150,000
KS	Pottawatomie County for construction of a main pump wastewater station	400,000
KS	City of Iola for drinking water and wastewater pipe improvements project	300,000
KY	City of Vine Grove for construction of additional sewer lines	840,000
KY	City of Burgin for upgrades to the drinking water distribution system	340,000
KY	Fleming County for a sewer collection expansion project	620,000
KY	City of Eubank for a water line replacement project	200,000
KY	City of Franklin for a sewer line replacement project	100,000
LA	City of Lake Charles for wastewater system improvements	300,000
LA	City of Baton Rouge for East Baton Rouge Parish wastewater system improvements	300,000
LA	Lafayette Utilities System for drinking water and wastewater line relocations and upgrades project	300,000
LA	City of Grambling for drinking water system improvements	300,000
MA	Cities of New Bedford and Fall River for combined sewer overflow abatement in Bristol County	300,000

State	Project description	Amount
MA	City of Marlborough for infrastructure upgrades at the Westerly Wastewater Treatment Facility	300,000
MD	City of Frostburg for combined sewer overflow improvements	300,000
MD, DC, VA	Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, MD; Washington Area Sewer Authority; Fairfax County Public Works Department, VA	1,200,000
ME	City of Portland for a combined sewer overflow and storm water runoff improvements project	1,250,000
ME	Limestone Water and Sewer District for design and construction of new wastewater pipes and pumping stations	550,000
ME	Town of Machias for a sewer extension construction project	300,000
MI	Oakland/Macomb County Drain Drainage District for interceptor improvements	300,000
MI	City of Port Huron for combined sewer overflow improvements	300,000
MN	City of St. Cloud for water infrastructure improvements	300,000
MN	City of Faribault for wastewater infrastructure improvements	150,000
MO	City of Lee's Summit for a wastewater infrastructure improvements project	1,500,000
MO	City of New Haven for consolidation and replacement of wastewater pump stations	300,000
MS	Leflore County Board of Supervisors for a stormwater project	143,000
MS	Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians for rehabilitation of wastewater pump stations	380,000
MS	City of Batesville for design and construction of wastewater improvements projects	275,000
MS	Tunica County Utility District for construction of a wastewater treatment facility	400,000
MS	Hinds County Board of Supervisors for planning and design of a centralized wastewater system	300,000
MS	City of Pearl for rehabilitation of wastewater gravity mains	277,000
MS	City of Ridgeland for construction of a new potable water well	200,000
MS	City of Carthage for a wastewater improvements and rehabilitation project	275,000
MT	Crow Tribe in Crow Agency for wastewater infrastructure improvements	300,000
MT	City of Bozeman for water treatment facility improvements	500,000
MT	Butte-Silver Bow Consolidated Government for drinking water improvements for the City of Butte	500,000
MT	City of Missoula for wastewater facility improvements	200,000
NC	Town of Ahoskie for wastewater system improvements	300,000
NC	Greenville Utilities Commission for construction of a wastewater pumping station	300,000
ND	City of Valley City for drinking water system improvements	400,000
ND	City of Washburn for drinking water treatment facility upgrades	400,000
ND	Stutsman Rural Water District, Stutsman County for drinking water system improvements	400,000
NE	City of Plattsmouth for combined sewer overflow improvements	1,200,000
NH	City of Nashua for combined sewer overflow improvements	300,000
NH	City of Berlin for replacement and upgrades of water lines and mains	450,000
NH	City of Manchester for the Phase II combined sewer overflow abatement program	450,000
NH	City of Keene for a wastewater treatment facility upgrades project	300,000
NH	Conway Village Fire District for water and wastewater treatment extension project	300,000
NH	Town of Winchester for a wastewater treatment facility upgrades project	300,000
NJ	City of New Brunswick for water pumping station improvements	300,000
NJ	City of Orange Township for drinking water system improvements	300,000
NJ	City of Hackensack for the Clay Street area combined sewer overflow improvement project	300,000
NJ	City of Perth Amboy for drinking water infrastructure improvements	300,000
NM	City of Portales for wastewater treatment plant improvements	300,000
NM	City of Carlsbad for a water reuse project	300,000
NV	Las Vegas Paiute Tribe for water infrastructure improvements	550,000
NV	City of Carson City for the Marlette-Hobart water system improvements	350,000
NV	City of Boulder City for water infrastructure improvements	290,000
NV	City of Fernley for a wastewater infrastructure project	300,000
NY	Nassau County for Bay Park STP outfall project	300,000
NY	Saratoga Hospital in Saratoga, NY for water supply improvements	300,000
OH	City of Fremont for combined sewer overflow improvements	500,000
OH	Belmont County Commissioners for construction of sanitary sewer system	400,000
OH	Knox County for construction of wastewater collection and treatment system	400,000
OH	City of Fostoria for the planning, design and construction of a new sanitary pump station and force main	500,000
OK	City of Enid for planning, design and construction of a wastewater treatment plant	300,000
OR	Umatilla County for Milton-Freewater stormwater system improvements	300,000
OR	City of Vernonia wastewater system improvements	300,000
PA	Allegheny County Sanitary Authority for the Three Rivers Wet Weather Demonstration Program	225,000
PA	Westmoreland County Industrial Development Corporation for wastewater infrastructure replacement	300,000

State	Project description	Amount
PA	Chester County Economic Development Council for the Upper Worthington Infrastructure Improvement Project	225,000
PA	City of Reading for expansion of wastewater infrastructure	225,000
PA	York City Sewer Authority for wastewater infrastructure	225,000
RI	City of Cranston for wastewater infrastructure	400,000
RI	Town of North Providence for storm water infrastructure improvements	400,000
RI	City of East Providence for drinking water infrastructure improvements	400,000
RI	City of Newport for water infrastructure improvements	300,000
SC	Laurens Commission of Public Works for construction of a pump station, water lines and water tank	300,000
SD	City of Elk Point for water and wastewater infrastructure improvements	400,000
SD	City of Lead for water and wastewater infrastructure improvements	400,000
SD	City of Rapid City for wastewater infrastructure improvements	300,000
SD	Brant Lake Sanitary District for wastewater infrastructure improvements	400,000
TN	City of Tusculum for planning, design and construction of a wastewater treatment facility and collection system	500,000
TN	Henry County for construction of a drinking water system	500,000
TN	Dickson County Water Authority for construction of a drinking water system	250,000
TN	Campbell County for construction of a connection between utility districts and a drinking water system	500,000
TN	Hancock County for a drinking water extension project	500,000
TN	City of Harrogate for sewer collection system improvements	300,000
TX	City of Nacogdoches for construction of two detention ponds	500,000
TX	City of Temple for construction of a wastewater main line and wastewater interceptor	300,000
TX	City of Lufkin for design and construction of drinking water infrastructure, storage and treatment capacity	400,000
TX	City of Beaumont for a sewer line rehabilitation project	400,000
TX	City of Lubbock for a treated drinking water pipeline project	200,000
TX	City of Round Rock for planning, design and construction of a regional water supply system	300,000
UT	City of Taylorsville for stormwater infrastructure improvements and upgrades	500,000
UT	Draper City for construction of a culinary reservoir	500,000
UT	City of Lindon for channel improvements in a stormwater detention and management area	500,000
UT	Clearfield City for a drinking water and wastewater improvements project	300,000
UT	South Salt Lake City for a waterline replacement project	300,000
VA	Caroline County for the Dawn Community Decentralized Wastewater System project	300,000
VA	Town of Onancock for wastewater treatment system improvements	300,000
VT	Village of Waterbury for wastewater system improvements	825,000
VT	Town of Guilford for drinking water system improvements	375,000
VT	Ferrisburgh Fire District #1 for water infrastructure improvements	300,000
WA	Whatcom County for stormwater system improvements	300,000
WA	City of Puyallap for wastewater pump and main force upgrades	500,000
WA	Cowlitz Public Utility District in Cowlitz County for replacement of wastewater infrastructure ..	400,000
WI	City of Janesville for wastewater treatment plant improvements	400,000
WI	Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District for the replacement of a central sewer system	400,000
WI	City of Waukesha Water Utility for drinking water system improvements	400,000
WV	Ohio River Valley Sanitation Commission of organic detection system improvements	1,200,000
WV	Town of Moorefield for wastewater treatment facility upgrades	2,500,000
WV	Marshall County Sewerage District for wastewater infrastructure improvements	800,000

The Committee's recommendation includes an increase of \$5,000,000 above the request for the Alaska Native Villages infrastructure assistance program, for a total of \$15,000,000.

The Committee has provided \$101,000,000 for Brownfields project grants. The increase of \$1,000,000 above the request shall be used to expand the Technical Assistance to Brownfields Community program. The Committee also concurs with the budget request and has provided \$60,000,000 for the Diesel Emission Reduction Act grant program.

The Committee recommends an increase of \$20,000,000 above the request to fund targeted airshed grants to reduce air pollution in the Nation's most polluted air districts. Of these funds, \$10,000,000 shall be divided equally between the San Joaquin Air

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Pollution Control District and South Coast Air Quality Management District in California. These funds shall be used to continue emission reduction activities in the transportation, agriculture, and ports sectors and shall be matched on at least a one-to-one basis. The remaining \$10,000,000 shall be used for grants distributed on a competitive basis to nonattainment areas that EPA determines are ranked as the top five most polluted areas relative to annual ozone or particulate matter_{2.5} standards. To determine these areas, the Agency shall use the most recent design values calculated from validated air quality data. The Committee notes that these funds are available for emission reduction activities deemed necessary for compliance with national ambient air quality standards and included in a State Implementation Plan submitted to EPA.

Categorical Grants.—The Committee recommends \$1,111,274,000 for categorical grants, equal to the request.

State and Local Air Quality Grants.—The Committee has not agreed to the request to change the authorities under which State and local air district grants are administered from section 103 to section 105 of the Clean Air Act, which require additional State and local matching funds.

Rescission.—The Committee is aware that the Agency has large unobligated and unliquidated balances of prior-year State and Tribal Assistance Grants funds, including those identified by the Office of the Inspector General in its May 1, 2009 report. The Committee believes the Agency should make every effort to reduce these balances and, accordingly, has included bill language in the Administrative Provisions section increasing the amount recommended for rescission to \$40,000,000. Consistent with prior years, the Committee directs the Agency to take its first amounts from unobligated balances from the title II construction grants program, unobligated prior-year balances from State categorical grants and balances for special projects appropriated in fiscal year 2003 or earlier which have not been obligated on an approved grants as of the date of enactment of this bill. The Committee has also agreed to include language proposed in the budget request prohibiting the Agency from rescinding amounts designated by Congress as emergency funding.

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

(INCLUDING RESCISSION OF FUNDS)

As in prior years, the Committee has retained language, as proposed by the administration, relating to tribal programs and pesticide registration service fees. The Committee has included language relating to rescission of prior-year funds as part of the State and Tribal Assistance Grants appropriation rather than carrying the language as an administrative provision, as proposed in the budget request.

As noted previously, the Committee has included modified bill language relating the Great Lakes Restoration Initiative that allows EPA to: (1) to transfer up to half of funds appropriated for the initiative through the Environmental Programs and Management account to other Federal agencies to facilitate restoration projects; (2) establish interagency agreements with other Federal agencies to

U.S. Geological Survey	Surveys, Investigations & Research	VT	Lake Champlain Basin streamflow monitoring/toxic studies.	\$346,000	Leahy
U.S. Geological Survey	Surveys, Investigations & Research	WA	Columbia River Basin, design/test monitoring protocols-invasive species.	\$350,000	Murray
Minerals Management Service	Royalty and Offshore Minerals Management.	MS	Center for Marine Resources and Environmental Technology.	\$900,000	Cochran; Wicker
Bureau of Indian Affairs	Operation of Indian Programs	Multi	Upper Columbia United Tribes, resource management program.	\$350,000	Cantwell; Crapo; Murray; Risch
Bureau of Indian Affairs	Operation of Indian Programs	ND	United Tribes Technical College	\$400,000	Conrad; Dorgan
Bureau of Indian Affairs	Operation of Indian Programs	NM	Navajo Technical College	\$200,000	Bingaman; Udall, Tom
Bureau of Indian Affairs	Operation of Indian Programs	SD	Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe, prairie management program.	\$500,000	Johnson
Environmental Protection Agency	Environmental Programs and Management.	CA	Increase budget request for San Francisco Bay competitive grant program.	\$1,000,000	Feinstein
Environmental Protection Agency	Environmental Programs and Management.	VT	Increase budget request for Lake Champlain environmental improvement program.	\$1,566,000	Leahy
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AK	City of Kodiak for water and sewer improvements	\$300,000	Begich
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AK	City of Buckland for construction of a piped water and sewer system.	\$500,000	Begich; Murkowski
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AK	Increase budget request for the Alaska Native Villages water infrastructure program.	\$5,000,000	Murkowski
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AK	City of Homer for planning and design of a new drinking water system.	\$500,000	Murkowski
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AK	City of Soldotna for a water and wastewater improvements project.	\$500,000	Begich; Murkowski
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AK	Municipality of Skagway for a wastewater treatment facility expansion project.	\$300,000	Begich; Murkowski
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AL	Fayette County for the construction of a drinking water reservoir.	\$6,000,000	Shelby
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AL	City of Brewton for a wastewater improvements project.	\$300,000	Sessions
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AR	City of Forrest City for water infrastructure improvements.	\$300,000	Lincoln; Pryor
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AR	City of Dardanelle for water treatment plant expansion.	\$300,000	Lincoln; Pryor
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AR	Fort Chaffee Redevelopment Authority for water system improvements.	\$300,000	Lincoln; Pryor
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AR	City of Warren for water infrastructure improvements ..	\$300,000	Lincoln; Pryor
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	AZ	City of Safford for water infrastructure improvements ..	\$300,000	Kyl

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Agency	Account	State	Project	Amount	Requesting Senator(s)
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CA	City of Rialto for Inland Empire groundwater remediation and drinking water system improvements.	\$300,000	Boxer
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CA	City of East Palo Alto for the East Palo Alto water supply improvement project.	\$1,000,000	Feinstein
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CA	City of Eureka for the Martin Slough inteceptor project.	\$1,000,000	Boxer; Feinstein
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CA	City of Santa Monica for the Santa Monica water system reliability project.	\$1,250,000	Feinstein
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CA	Municipal Water Disctrict of Orange County for water supply improvements.	\$1,000,000	Boxer; Feinstein
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CA	Shasta County for Elk Trail Water System Improvements.	\$1,000,000	Feinstein
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CA	City of Westminster for Stormwater System improvements.	\$1,000,000	Feinstein
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CA	Emissions Reduction Grants to the South Coast Air Quality Management District and San Joaquin Air Pollution Control District.	\$10,000,000	Boxer; Feinstein
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CO	City of Monte Vista for wastewater facility consolidation.	\$300,000	Bennet
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CO	City of Rifle for drinking water infrastructure improvements.	\$300,000	Udall, Mark
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CT	Town of East Lyme for drinking water system improvements.	\$300,000	Dodd
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	CT	City of Norwich for wastewater treatment facility improvements.	\$300,000	Dodd; Lieberman
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	DE	New Castle County for Turkey Run interceptor improvements.	\$300,000	Carper; Kaufman
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	DE	Sussex County Council for the Johnson's Corner wastewater improvement project.	\$300,000	Carper; Kaufman
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	FL	St. Johns River Water Management District for the East-Central Florida Integrated Water Resources Project.	\$300,000	Martinez; Nelson, Bill
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	FL	City of Tampa for reclaimed water expansion project ...	\$300,000	Martinez; Nelson, Bill
Environmental Protection Agency	State and Tribal Assistance Grants	GA	Metropolitan North Georgia Water Planning District for watershed management and wastewater treatment projects.	\$300,000	Chambliss