

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH, 2021

\$5.300 billion total base discretionary funding

BILL HIGHLIGHTS

- **U.S. Senate** – \$998.559 million, \$29.2 million above the FY20 enacted level. The increase provides for new investments in the Senate’s cybersecurity and communications infrastructure to further ensure the safety of Senate systems.
 - **Member Pay Freeze** – The omnibus continues a provision to freeze the pay of Members of Congress, preventing any pay increases in FY2021. A freeze on Members’ salaries has been in place since 2009.
- **U.S. Capitol Police** – \$515.5 million, \$51.2 million above the FY20 enacted level. The increase will support the current officer and civilian workforce level, provide for mission-essential equipment and training, and invest in security related infrastructure across the Capitol campus.
- **Congressional Budget Office (CBO)** – \$57.3 million, \$2.4 million above the FY20 enacted level. This funding level will allow CBO to maintain current staffing levels, make information technology investments, and continue transparency and responsiveness efforts.
- **Architect of the Capitol (AOC)** – \$675.1 million, \$12.9 million below the FY20 enacted level. Increases are provided for the operating budgets of the AOC jurisdictions to facilitate greater day-to-day maintenance. Funding is also provided for numerous new projects across the Capitol campus to make needed safety and security upgrades, and to provide the Library with additional capacity to store collections.
- **Library of Congress** – \$757.4 million, \$32 million above the FY20 enacted level. Funding increases are provided for the Congressional Research Service, the Veterans History Project, the National Library Service for the Blind and Print Disabled, as well as several initiatives to continue modernization across the Library. Funding is continued for the Visitor Experience project. The bill also includes increased funding for the Copyright Office to hire additional staff to assist with meeting the requirements of the Music Modernization Act.
- **Government Printing Office** – \$117 million, equal to the FY20 enacted level. This funding level will maintain congressional printing activities and public information systems.
- **Government Accountability Office (GAO)** – \$661.1 million, \$31.1 million above the FY20 enacted level. This funding level increases support for GAO’s oversight of federal spending to track the expenditure of taxpayer dollars, and will enhance the agency’s ability meet additional congressional requests to assess technology and science advancements.