

## TITLE VI

INVESTING IN AMERICAN SECURITY, GROWTH, AND  
OPPORTUNITY

## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

SEC. 601. *Employment and Training Administration, Training and Employment Services.*—An additional \$765,973,000 to restore the proposed reductions, as well as provide additional resources, to support job training for in-demand industries, and help the unemployed and those with barriers to employment secure new jobs. Of the funds provided, \$300,000,000 is for a new national registered apprenticeship program.

SEC. 602. *Employment and Training Administration, Office of Job Corps.*—An additional \$32,789,000 to restore the proposed reductions, as well as provide additional resources to support young people ages 16 through 24 to improve the quality of their lives through vocational and academic training nationwide.

SEC. 603. *Employment and Training Administration, Community Service Employment for Older Americans.*—An additional \$34,371,000 is provided to restore reductions to the community service and work-based job training program for older Americans.

SEC. 604. *Employment and Training Administration, State Unemployment Insurance and Employment Services.*—An additional \$618,462,000 is provided to restore reductions, as well as provide additional resources.

SEC. 605. *Employment and Training Administration, Program Administration.*—An additional \$67,547,000 is provided, of which \$35,000,000 is included for a State Paid Leave program.

SEC. 606. *Wage and Hour Division.*—An additional \$67,100,000 is provided for the Wage and Hour Division. These funds will prevent the reduction of compliance assistance to the regulated community and improve the recovery of tens of millions in back wages earned by workers around the Nation.

SEC. 607. *Occupational Safety and Health Administration.*—An additional \$67,595,000 is provided for the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, to help improve health and safety of workers covered by the Occupational Safety and Health Act. Of the funds provided, \$6,306,000 is for safety and health standards, \$31,608,000 is for Federal enforcement, \$6,878,000 is for whistleblower enforcement, \$5,591,000 is for State programs, \$8,357,000 is for compliance assistance programs, \$7,082,000 is for safety and health statistics, \$614,000 is for technical support and \$1,159,000 is for executive direction.

SEC. 608. *Departmental Management.*—An additional \$64,517,000 is provided for the Bureau of International Labor Affairs, so that it can better support U.S. workers by promoting fair working conditions around the world, particularly in those countries with which the United States has Free Trade Agreements and trade preferences.

SEC. 609. *Veterans Employment and Training.*—An additional \$16,110,000 is provided to the Veterans Employment and Training Service to support servicemembers' transition to civilian life.

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

SEC. 610. *Health Resources and Services Administration, Primary Health Care.*—An additional \$402,522,000 is provided to restore the proposed rescission to the fiscal year 2015 mandatory funding, as well as to provide additional resources, for community health centers.

SEC. 611. *Health Resources and Services Administration, Health Workforce.*—An additional \$135,850,000 is provided to restore proposed reductions, as well as provide additional resources, to the Health Profession Bureau.

SEC. 612. *Health Resources and Services Administration, Family Planning.*—An additional \$42,168,000 is provided to restore proposed reductions and to provide additional resources to title X family planning clinics.

SEC. 613. *Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.*—An additional \$489,843,000 is provided to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to restore proposed reductions and address public health threats. Of the funds provided, \$71,138,000 is provided to the National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention. Of the funds provided, \$234,328,000 is provided to the National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Diseases for an initiative to combat antibiotic resistant bacteria. Of the funds provided, \$148,298,000 is for the following programs at the National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention: \$80,000,000 for Partnerships to Improve Community Health; \$50,950,000 for Racial and Ethnic Approaches to Community Health [REACH]; \$11,000,000 for tobacco cessation; and \$6,348,000 for Community Health Promotion. In addition, \$36,079,000 is provided to the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control for activities that respond to, and reverse, the opioid epidemic in the United States.

SEC. 614. *National Institutes of Health, Office of the Director.*—An additional \$1,000,000,000 is provided for the National Institutes of Health to ensure it can fund 24 percent of grant applications, the same share as in fiscal year 2004.

SEC. 615. *Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Substance Abuse Treatment.*—An additional \$150,000,000 is provided to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration to increase substance abuse treatment services. Of the total provided, \$100,000,000 is for the Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant and \$50,000,000 is for expanding treatment services to those with heroin and other opioid dependence. These grants should include as an allowable use medication assisted treatment and other clinically appropriate services.

SEC. 616. *Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Healthcare Research and Quality.*—An additional \$127,697,000 is provided to the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality so it can continue to produce evidence making healthcare safer, more accessible and of higher quality. Of the total provided, \$73,693,000 is for Health Costs, Quality and Outcomes to support health services research on patient safety, prevention and care management, and ways to improve the use of health information technology.

SEC. 617. *Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Program Management.*—An additional \$1,217,708,000 is included to restore

proposed reductions and provide additional resources for necessary expenses to operate the Medicare, Medicaid and Affordable Care Act programs.

SEC. 618. *Administration for Children and Families, Low Income Home Energy Assistance.*—An additional \$1,309,696,000 is provided for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance program to restore funding for the program to the fiscal year 2011 level.

SEC. 619. *Administration for Children and Families, Refugee and Entrant Assistance.*—This provides a contingency fund which would trigger the release of additional funding if caseloads are higher than could be accommodated with existing funds, which have been reduced significantly in the Senate bill.

SEC. 620. *Administration for Children and Families, Children and Families Services Programs.*—An additional \$1,419,611,000 is provided for the Head Start program. Of the funding provided, \$1,078,000,000 is to allow Head Start programs to provide services to children for a full school day and a full school year. It also includes \$50,000,000 to expand early Head Start, including through the Early Head Start-Child Care partnership program. This increase will also provide \$284,482,375 for a cost-of-living adjustment, avoiding the need to compromise program quality and reduce enrollment.

SEC. 621. *Administration for Community Living, Aging and Disability Services Programs.*—An additional \$234,566,000 is provided to restore proposed reductions, as well as provide additional resources, to support core programs that assist seniors and people of all ages with disabilities.

SEC. 622. *Office of the Secretary, General Departmental Management.*—An additional \$91,590,000 is provided to the Office of the Secretary for the Teen Pregnancy Prevention program, which provides funding for medically accurate and age appropriate programs that have been proven effective at reducing teen pregnancy.

SEC. 623. *Office of the Secretary, Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund.*—An additional \$538,251,000 is provided to the Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund for activities that will help the United States prepare for the health consequences of bioterrorism and other public health emergencies, including pandemic influenza. Of the total provided, \$48,732,000 is for supporting advanced research and development of medical countermeasures at the Biomedical Advanced Research and Development Authority; \$391,425,000 is for the Project BioShield Special Reserve Fund, and \$98,094,000 is for pandemic influenza preparedness and response activities.

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

SEC. 624. *Education for the Disadvantaged.*—An additional \$1,020,000,000 is provided for currently funded programs within the Education for the Disadvantaged account. This includes \$425,000,000 for education finance incentive grants and \$425,000,000 for targeted grants under the title I formula grant program. It also provides \$170,000,000 to restore funding that would be eliminated in the bill for the striving readers comprehensive literacy program, which is showing success in improving lit-

eracy achievement of students in the six States that are currently funded through the program.

SEC. 625. *School Improvement Programs.*—An additional \$116,673,000 is provided to restore proposed reductions to the 21st Century Learning Centers program to ensure that students continue to have quality afterschool programming and extended learning opportunities before and after school and during the summer.

SEC. 626. *Innovation and Improvement.*—An additional \$1,050,000,000 is provided to restore proposed reductions, as well as expand, programs within the Innovation and Improvement account. This includes \$750,000,000 for the Preschool Development Grants program. With full funding over the life of the grants for the 18 States currently receiving funds, they are expecting to enroll an additional 177,000 children in high-quality preschool programs, which will help put more children on a path to success in school and in life. In addition, about 285,000 preschoolers could have been served in the 18 States that did not receive a Preschool Development Grant in the competition completed last year. These funds will allow States currently receiving grants to continue serving these children, as well as provide an opportunity for those States interested in doing more to offer high quality preschool.

The balance of funds would provide \$300,000,000 to continue the Investing in Innovation program. This program is supporting investments that scale up interventions that are improving student achievement, as well as the validation of programs with some evidence of effectiveness, and the development of new interventions that achieve this goal.

SEC. 627. *English Language Acquisition.*—An additional \$61,379,000 is provided for English Language Acquisition State grants under title III of ESEA. These funds will help all State and local education agencies address the learning needs of English Language learners.

SEC. 628. *Special Education.*—An additional \$75,000,000 is provided for State grants for Special Education under section 611 of the IDEA. These funds will help all State and local education agencies pay for the cost of providing a free and appropriate public education to students with disabilities. In recent years, Federal funding has been declining as a share of the excess cost of special education, leaving State and local taxpayers to make up the difference.

SEC. 629. *Student Financial Assistance.*—An additional \$68,800,000 is provided for currently funded programs within the Student Financial Assistance account. This includes \$29,130,000 for the Federal supplemental educational opportunity grants. It also provides \$39,670,000 for the Federal work study program.

SEC. 630. *Higher Education.*—An additional \$195,000,000 is provided to reverse the bill's elimination of the First in the World program. This evidence-based grant program supports grants to build knowledge about and develop solutions for persistent challenges to degree completion in higher education. One quarter of the grants in the first competition in fiscal year 2014 were awarded to minority-serving institutions.

SEC. 631. *Pell Grants.*—This provision eliminates a rescission of \$300,000,000 in prior year unobligated balances in the Pell Grant program that will be needed for estimated program costs in fiscal

year 2017. While the current bill complies with the requirement to pay for the discretionary base of the program, the Congressional Budget Office currently forecasts increased program costs in fiscal year 2017 of roughly \$26,000,000,000, almost \$4,000,000,000 more than the appropriation in this bill. If sufficient funding is not provided to maintain the award, either the maximum award will need to be cut or eligibility restrictions imposed.

#### RELATED AGENCIES

SEC. 632. *Corporation for National and Community Service*.—An additional \$241,191,000 is provided to restore proposed cuts, as well as provide additional resources, for Operating Expenses that will help million Americans improve the lives of their fellow citizens through service.

SEC. 633. *Corporation for National and Community Service*.—An additional \$92,077,000 is provided to restore proposed cuts, as well as provide additional resources, for Payments to the National Service Trust.

SEC. 634. *Corporation for National and Community Service*.—An additional \$6,716,000 is provided to restore proposed cuts, as well as provide additional resources, for Salaries and Expenses.

SEC. 635. *National Labor Relations Board, Salaries and Expenses*.—An additional \$31,198,000 is provided to the NLRB. These funds will allow the agency to maintain a skilled workforce necessary to resolve labor disputes and enforce the National Labor Relations Act.

SEC. 636. *Social Security Administration, Salaries and Expenses*.—An additional \$1,042,000,000 is provided for inflation and other necessary expenses of the Social Security Administration. These funds will enable the agency to avoid layoffs and improve customer service at a time when its workload is rapidly increasing, including reducing the hearings backlog, decreasing wait times in field offices and improving response times on phone calls to the agency.

In addition, \$150,000,000 of the funds provided are available until expended to address renovation and modernization needs of the agency's facilities.

SEC. 637. Language is included limiting the availability of funds in this title until enactment of the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015, an act increasing the post-sequester discretionary caps contained in the Budget Control Act of 2011.