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Making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2020, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. LOWEY introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on _____

JOINT RESOLUTION

Making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2020, and for other purposes.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and out of applicable corporate or other revenues, receipts, and funds, for the several departments, agencies, corporations, and other organizational units of Government for fiscal year 2020, and for other purposes, namely:

SEC. 101. Such amounts as may be necessary, at a rate for operations as provided in the applicable appropriations Acts for fiscal year 2019 and under the authority and conditions provided in such Acts, for continuing projects or activities (including the costs of direct loans and loan guarantees) that are not otherwise specifically provided for in this joint resolution, that were conducted in fiscal year 2019, and for which appropriations, funds, or other authority were made available in the following appropriations Acts:

(1) The Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2019 (division B of Public Law 116–6), except that the language under the heading ''Rural Utilities Service—Rural Water and Waste Disposal Program Account'' in title III shall be applied by inserting ''the cost of direct loans,'' before ''loan guarantees'' at the beginning of the second sentence in the matter preceding the first proviso.

(2) The Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2019 (division C of Public Law 116–6), except section 523(b)(6).

(3) The Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2019 (division A of Public Law 115–245).

(4) The Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2019 (division A of Public Law 115–244), except section 505.

(5) The Financial Services and General Government Appropriations Act, 2019 (division D of Public Law 116–6).

(6) The Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2019 (division A of Public Law 116–6) as amended, and title I of division H of Public Law 116–6.

(7) The Department of the Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2019 (division E of Public Law 116–6).

(8) The Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2019 (division B of Public Law 115–245).

(9) The Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2019 (division B of Public Law 115–244).

(10) The Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2019 (division C of Public Law 115–244).

(11) The Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act,

2019 (division F of Public Law 116–6), except section 7058(d).

(12) The Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2019 (division G of Public Law 116–6).

SEC. 102. (a) No appropriation or funds made available or authority granted pursuant to section 101 for the Department of Defense shall be used for:

(1) the new production of items not funded for production in fiscal year 2019 or prior years;

(2) the increase in production rates above those sustained with fiscal year 2019 funds; or

(3) the initiation, resumption, or continuation of any project, activity, operation, or organization (defined as any project, subproject, activity, budget activity, program element, and subprogram within a program element, and for any investment items defined as a P–1 line item in a budget activity within an appropriation account and an R–1 line item that includes a program element and subprogram element within an appropriation account) for which appropriations, funds, or other authority were not available during fiscal year 2019.

(b) No appropriation or funds made available or authority granted pursuant to section 101 for the Depart-

ment of Defense shall be used to initiate multi-year procurements utilizing advance procurement funding for economic order quantity procurement unless specifically appropriated later.

SEC. 103. Appropriations made by section 101 shall be available to the extent and in the manner that would be provided by the pertinent appropriations Act.

SEC. 104. Except as otherwise provided in section 102, no appropriation or funds made available or authority granted pursuant to section 101 shall be used to initiate or resume any project or activity for which appropriations, funds, or other authority were not available during fiscal year 2019.

SEC. 105. Appropriations made and authority granted pursuant to this joint resolution shall cover all obligations or expenditures incurred for any project or activity during the period for which funds or authority for such project or activity are available under this joint resolution.

SEC. 106. Unless otherwise provided for in this joint resolution or in the applicable appropriations Act for fiscal year 2020, appropriations and funds made available and authority granted pursuant to this joint resolution shall be available until whichever of the following first occurs:

(1) The enactment into law of an appropriation for any project or activity provided for in this joint resolution.

(2) The enactment into law of the applicable appropriations Act for fiscal year 2020 without any provision for such project or activity.

(3) [_____].

SEC. 107. Expenditures made pursuant to this joint resolution shall be charged to the applicable appropriation, fund, or authorization whenever a bill in which such applicable appropriation, fund, or authorization is contained is enacted into law.

SEC. 108. Appropriations made and funds made available by or authority granted pursuant to this joint resolution may be used without regard to the time limitations for submission and approval of apportionments set forth in section 1513 of title 31, United States Code, but nothing in this joint resolution, except for sections 120 and 138 of this joint resolution may be construed to waive any other provision of law governing the apportionment of funds.

SEC. 109. Notwithstanding any other provision of this joint resolution, except section 106, for those programs that would otherwise have high initial rates of operation or complete distribution of appropriations at the be-

ginning of fiscal year 2020 because of distributions of funding to States, foreign countries, grantees, or others, such high initial rates of operation or complete distribution shall not be made, and no grants shall be awarded for such programs funded by this joint resolution that would impinge on final funding prerogatives.

SEC. 110. This joint resolution shall be implemented so that only the most limited funding action of that permitted in the joint resolution shall be taken in order to provide for continuation of projects and activities.

SEC. 111. (a) For entitlements and other mandatory payments whose budget authority was provided in appropriations Acts for fiscal year 2019, and for activities under the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008, activities shall be continued at the rate to maintain program levels under current law, under the authority and conditions provided in the applicable appropriations Act for fiscal year 2019, to be continued through the date specified in section 106(3).

(b) Notwithstanding section 106, obligations for mandatory payments due on or about the first day of any month that begins after October 2019 but not later than 30 days after the date specified in section 106(3) may continue to be made, and funds shall be available for such payments.

SEC. 112. Amounts made available under section 101 for civilian personnel compensation and benefits in each department and agency may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to avoid furloughs within such department or agency, consistent with the applicable appropriations Act for fiscal year 2019, except that such authority provided under this section shall not be used until after the department or agency has taken all necessary actions to reduce or defer non-personnel-related administrative expenses.

SEC. 113. Funds appropriated by this joint resolution may be obligated and expended notwithstanding section 10 of Public Law 91–672 (22 U.S.C. 2412), section 15 of the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 (22 U.S.C. 2680), section 313 of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 1994 and 1995 (22 U.S.C. 6212), and section 504(a)(1) of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3094(a)(1)).

SEC. 114. (a) Each amount incorporated by reference in this joint resolution that was previously designated by the Congress for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A)(ii) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 or as being for disaster relief pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(D) of such Act is designated by the Congress

for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism or as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of such Act or as being for disaster relief pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(D) of such Act, respectively.

(b) Section 5 of Public Law 116–6 shall apply to amounts designated in subsection (a) and sections 120 and 138 of this joint resolution for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism.

SEC. 115. (a) Rescissions or cancellations of discretionary budget authority that continue pursuant to section 101 in Treasury Appropriations Fund Symbols (TAFS)—

(1) to which other appropriations are not provided by this joint resolution, but for which there is a current applicable TAFS that does receive an appropriation in this joint resolution; or

(2) which are no-year TAFS and receive other appropriations in this joint resolution

may be continued instead by reducing the rate for operations otherwise provided by section 101 for such current applicable TAFS, as long as doing so does not impinge on the final funding prerogatives of the Congress.

(b) Rescissions or cancellations described in subsection (a) shall continue in an amount equal to the lesser of—

(1) the amount specified for rescission or cancellation in the applicable appropriations Act referenced in section 101 of this joint resolution; or

(2) the amount of balances available, as of October 1, 2019, from the funds specified for rescission or cancellation in the applicable appropriations Act referenced in section 101 of this joint resolution.

(c) No later than October 21, 2019, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall provide to the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate a comprehensive list of the rescissions or cancellations that will continue pursuant to section 101: *Provided,* That the information in such comprehensive list shall be periodically updated to reflect any subsequent changes in the amount of balances available, as of October 1, 2019, from the funds specified for rescission or cancellation in the applicable appropriations Act referenced in section 101, and such updates shall be transmitted to the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate upon request.

SEC. 116. Amounts made available by section 101 for ''Department of Agriculture—Food and Nutrition Service—Child Nutrition Programs'' to carry out section 749(g) of the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropria-

tions Act, 2010 (Public Law 111–80) may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to ensure that the program can be fully operational by May 2020.

SEC. 117. Amounts made available by section 101 for ''International Trade Commission—Salaries and Expenses'' may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to carry out responsibilities under the American Manufacturing Competitiveness Act of 2016 (Public Law 114–159).

SEC. 118. Amounts made available by section 101 to the Department of Commerce for ''Bureau of the Census—Periodic Censuses and Programs'' may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to maintain the schedule and deliver the required data according to the statutory deadlines in the 2020 Decennial Census Program.

SEC. 119. Notwithstanding section 2208(l)(3) of title 10, United States Code, during the period covered by this joint resolution, any advanced billing for background investigation services and related services purchased from activities financed using Defense Working Capital Funds shall be excluded from the calculation of cumulative advance billings under section 2208(l)(3) of such title. In the preceding sentence, the term ''advance billing'' has the meaning given the term in section 2208(l)(4) of such title.

SEC. 120. (a) The remaining unobligated balances of funds as of September 30, 2019, from amounts provided by section 9013 of division A of Public Law 115–255 are hereby rescinded: *Provided,* That such amounts that were previously designated by the Congress as being for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A)(ii) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 are designated by the Congress as being for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to that section of that Act.

(b) In addition to the amount otherwise provided by section 101 for the ''Ukraine Security Assistance Initiative'', there is appropriated on September 30, 2019, for an additional amount for fiscal year 2019, an amount equal to the unobligated balances rescinded pursuant to subsection (a) of this section: *Provided*, That amounts made available pursuant to this subsection shall remain available until September 30, 2020, and shall be available for the same purposes and under the same authorities for which they were originally provided in Public Law 115–255: *Provided further,* That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, such amounts shall be immediately apportioned as available for immediate obligation for the entirety of the period described in the first proviso of this

subsection, and may not be subsequently reapportioned as unavailable for obligation at any point before fiscal year 2021: *Provided further*, That such amounts shall be immediately available and allotted within 60 days after the date of enactment of this joint resolution: *Provided further*, That such amount is designated by the Congress as being for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A)(ii) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985.

(c) This section shall become effective immediately upon enactment of this joint resolution.

(d) If this joint resolution is enacted after September 30, 2019, or if the designation in subsection 114(b) occurs after September 30, 2019, this section shall be applied as if it were in effect on September 30, 2019.

SEC. 121. (a) In accordance with section 3(d)(1) of Public Law 106–392, funds made available by section 505 of division A of Public Law 115–244 shall be treated as nonreimbursable and as having been repaid and returned to the general fund of the Treasury as costs assigned to power for repayment under section 5 of the Colorado River Storage Project Act. No funds shall be transferred directly from ''Department of Energy—Power Marketing Administration—Colorado River Basins Power Marketing Fund,

Western Area Power Administration'' to the general fund of the Treasury in fiscal year 2019.

(b) This section shall become effective immediately upon enactment of this joint resolution.

SEC. 122. During the period covered by this joint resolution, title I of Public Law 108–361 (the Calfed Bay-Delta Authorization Act) (118 Stat. 1681) shall be applied by substituting ''2020'' for ''2019'' each place it appears.

SEC. 123. Notwithstanding section 101, title I of division D of Public Law 116–6 shall be applied by adding the following new heading and appropriation language under the heading ''Department of the Treasury—Departmental Offices'':

''COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES FUND

''For necessary expenses of the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States, $15,000,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided,* That the chairperson of the Committee may transfer funds such amounts to any department or agency represented on the Committee (including the Department of the Treasury) subject to advance notification to the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate: *Provided further,* That amounts so transferred shall remain available until expended for expenses of implementing sec-

tion 721 of the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended (50 U.S.C. 4565), and shall be available in addition to any other funds available to any department or agency: *Provided further,* That fees authorized by section 721(p) of such Act shall be credited to this appropriation as offsetting collections: *Provided further*, That the total amount appropriated pursuant to this section from the general fund shall be reduced as such offsetting collections are received during fiscal year 2020, so as to result in a total appropriation from the general fund estimated at not more than $5,000,000.''.

SEC. 124. Notwithstanding any other provision of this joint resolution, except section 106, the District of Columbia may expend local funds made available under the heading ''District of Columbia—District of Columbia Funds'' for such programs and activities under the District of Columbia Appropriations Act, 2019 (title IV of division D of Public Law 116–6) at the rate set forth in the Fiscal Year 2020 Local Budget Act of 2019 (D.C. Act 23–78), as modified as of the date of enactment of this joint resolution.

SEC. 125. In addition to amounts provided by section 101, amounts are provided to the Office of Personnel Management for ''Salaries and Expenses'' at a rate for operations of $48,000,000, for an additional amount for

administrative expenses: *Provided,* That of such amounts, $29,760,000 shall be transferred from the appropriate trust funds of the Office without regard to any other provision of law: *Provided further*, That such amounts may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to maintain agency operations.

SEC. 126. Notwithstanding section 101, the matter preceding the first proviso under the heading ''Small Business Administration—Business Loans Program Account'' in title V of division D of Public Law 116–6 shall be applied as if the following were inserted before the colon: '', and for the cost of guaranteed loans as authorized by section 7(a) of the Small Business Act (Public Law 83–163), $99,000,000, to remain available until expended'': *Provided*, That amounts made available under such heading by this joint resolution may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to accommodate increased demand for commitments for general business loans authorized under section 7(a) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 636(a)).

SEC. 127. Notwithstanding section 101, amounts are provided for ''Small Business Administration—Disaster Loans Program Account'' at a rate for operations of $177,136,000: *Provided*, That amounts made available under such heading by this joint resolution may be appor-

tioned up to the rate for operations necessary to accommodate increased demand for commitments for disaster administrative expenses authorized under section 20(a) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 631): *Provided further,* That the language under such heading in title V of division D of Public Law 116–6 shall be applied by—

(1) substituting ''$1,600,000'' for ''$1,000,000'';

(2) substituting ''$8,400,000'' for ''$9,000,000''; and

(3) inserting the following before the period: ''; and of which $167,136,000 is for direct administrative expenses of loan making and servicing to carry out the direct loan program, which may be transferred to and merged with the appropriations for Salaries and Expenses: *Provided*, That, of the funds provided under this heading, $150,888,000 shall be for major disasters declared pursuant to the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5122(2)): *Provided further,* That the amount for major disasters under this heading is designated by Congress as being for disaster relief pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(D) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (Public Law 99–177)''.

SEC. 128. Amounts made available by section 101 to the Department of Homeland Security for ''United States Secret Service—Operations and Support'' may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to support hiring and operations required for protective activities associated with the 2020 presidential election campaign.

SEC. 129. Amounts made available by section 101 to the Department of Homeland Security for ''Federal Emergency Management Agency—Disaster Relief Fund'' may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to carry out response and recovery activities under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5121 et seq.).

SEC. 130. (a) Sections 1309(a) and 1319 of the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 4016(a) and 4026) shall be applied by substituting the date specified in section 106(3) of this joint resolution for ''September 30, 2019''.

(b) If this joint resolution is enacted after September 30, 2019, this section shall be applied as if it were in effect on September 30, 2019.

SEC. 131. Amounts made available by section 101 to the Department of Homeland Security for ''Office of the Secretary and Executive Management—Operations and Support'', ''Management Directorate—Operations and

Support'', and ''Intelligence, Analysis, and Operations Coordination—Operations and Support'' may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to carry out activities previously funded by the Working Capital Fund of the Department of Homeland Security, consistent with the fiscal year 2020 President's Budget.

SEC. 132. (a) In addition to amounts provided by section 101, amounts are provided to the ''Department of Health and Human Services—Indian Health Service—Indian Health Services'' at a rate for operations of $18,397,500, for an additional amount for costs of staffing and operating facilities that were opened, renovated, or expanded in fiscal years 2019 and 2020, and such amounts may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to staff and operate such facilities.

(b) In addition to amounts provided by section 101, amounts are provided for ''Department of Health and Human Services—Indian Health Service—Indian Health Facilities'' at a rate for operations of $631,000, for an additional amount for costs of staffing and operating facilities that were opened, renovated, or expanded in fiscal years 2019 and 2020, and such amounts may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to staff and operate such facilities.

SEC. 133. Amounts made available by section 101 to the Department of Health and Human Services for ''Centers for Disease Control and Prevention—Public Health Preparedness and Response'' and ''Office of the Secretary—Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund'' may be obligated in the account and budget structure, and under the authorities and conditions, set forth in H.R. 2740, as passed by the U.S. House of Representatives on June 19, 2019.

SEC. 134. During the period covered by this joint resolution, up to $20,000,000 of the unobligated amounts in the Infectious Diseases Rapid Response Reserve Fund established by section 231 of division B of Public Law 115–245 may be made available for ''Department of Health and Human Services—Centers for Disease Control and Prevention—CDC–Wide Activities and Program Support'' to respond to the Ebola outbreak in Africa without regard to the limitations in the third proviso in such section 231: *Provided*, That the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention may transfer such amounts to any of the appropriations accounts under the heading ''Centers for Disease Control and Prevention'' for Ebola response activities: *Provided further*, That such transfer authority shall be in addition to any other transfer authority provided to the Department of Health and Human Services.

SEC. 135. Section 114(f) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1011c(f)) shall be applied by substituting the date specified in section 106(3) of this joint resolution for ''September 30, 2019''.

SEC. 136. Section 7 of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 (12 U.S.C. 635f) shall be applied by substituting the date specified in section 106(3) of this joint resolution for ''September 30, 2019''.

SEC. 137. Section 209 of the International Religious Freedom Act of 1998 (22 U.S.C. 6436) shall be applied by substituting the date specified in section 106(3) of this joint resolution for ''September 30, 2019''.

SEC. 138. (a) The remaining unobligated balances of funds that will otherwise expire on September 30, 2019, in the following accounts that were reapportioned by the Office of Management and Budget as unavailable for obligation as of 11:59 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time on Saturday, August 3, 2019, in the reapportionment letter referenced in the August 9, 2019 reapportionment of the same funds, are hereby rescinded: *Provided*, That no amounts may be rescinded pursuant to this subsection that were previously designated by the Congress for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A)(ii) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985:

(1) ''Department of State—Contributions to International Organizations'';

(2) ''Department of State—International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement'';

(3) ''International Assistance Programs—Development Assistance'';

(4) ''International Assistance Programs—Assistance for Europe, Eurasia and Central Asia'';

(5) ''International Assistance Programs—Peacekeeping Operations'';

(6) ''International Assistance Programs—Economic Support Fund'';

(7) ''International Assistance Programs—Foreign Military Financing Program''; and

(8) ''International Assistance Programs—International Organizations and Programs''.

(b) The remaining unobligated balances of funds appropriated by title VIII of prior Acts making appropriations for the Department of State, foreign operations, and related programs that will otherwise expire on September 30, 2019, in the following accounts that were reapportioned by the Office of Management and Budget as unavailable for obligation as of 11:59 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time on Saturday, August 3, 2019, in the reapportionment letter referenced in the August 9, 2019 reapportion-

ment of the same funds, are hereby rescinded: *Provided*, That the amounts rescinded pursuant to this subsection that were previously designated by the Congress as being for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A)(ii) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 are designated by the Congress as being for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to that section of that Act:

(1) ''Department of State—International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement'';

(2) ''International Assistance Programs—Peacekeeping Operations'';

(3) ''International Assistance Programs—Economic Support Fund''; and

(4) ''International Assistance Programs—Foreign Military Financing Program''.

(c) In addition to the amounts otherwise provided by section 101 for fiscal year 2020, there is hereby appropriated, effective as of September 30, 2019, to each of the accounts listed in subsection (a), an additional amount for fiscal year 2019 equal to the unobligated balances rescinded from each respective account pursuant to subsection (a): *Provided,* That such amounts shall remain available until September 30, 2020, for the same purposes

and under the same authorities for which the amounts rescinded pursuant to subsection (a) were originally provided: *Provided further,* That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, such amounts shall be immediately apportioned as available for immediate obligation for the entirety of the period described in the preceding proviso, and may not be subsequently reapportioned as unavailable for obligation at any point before fiscal year 2021: *Provided further*, That such funds shall be obligated not less than 90 days prior to the expiration of the period of availability.

(d) In addition to the amounts otherwise provided by section 101 for fiscal year 2020, there is hereby appropriated, effective as of September 30, 2019, to each of the accounts listed in subsection (b), an additional amount for fiscal year 2019 equal to the unobligated balances rescinded from each respective account pursuant to subsection (b): *Provided*, That such amounts shall remain available until September 30, 2020, for the same purposes and under the same authorities for which the amounts rescinded pursuant to subsection (b) were originally provided: *Provided further*, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, such amounts shall be immediately apportioned as available for immediate obligation for the entirety of the period described in the preceding proviso, and may not be subsequently reapportioned as unavailable for

obligation at any point before fiscal year 2021: *Provided further*, That such amounts are designated by the Congress for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A)(ii) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985: *Provided further*, That such funds shall be obligated not less than 90 days prior to the expiration of the period of availability.

(e) This section shall become effective immediately upon enactment of this joint resolution.

(f) If this joint resolution is enacted after September 30, 2019, or if the designation in subsection 114(b) occurs after September 30, 2019, this section shall be applied as if it were in effect on September 30, 2019.

SEC. 139. Title I of division L of Public Law 115–141 and title I of division G of Public Law 116–6 shall be amended in the first provisos in each Act under the headings ''Department of Transportation—Federal Transit Administration—Capital Investment Grants'' by striking ''obligated'' and inserting ''allocated''.

SEC. 140. Section 9503(e)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 shall not apply during the period covered by this joint resolution.

SEC. 141. Amounts made available by section 101 to the Department of Housing and Urban Development for

''Housing Programs—Housing for the Elderly'' may be apportioned up to the rate for operations necessary to maintain project rental assistance for the elderly under section 202(c)(2) of the Housing Act of 1959 (12 U.S.C. 1701q(c)(2)), including making amendments to contracts for such assistance and renewing expiring contracts for such assistance for up to a 1-year term.

This joint resolution may be cited as the ''Continuing Appropriations Act, 2020''.