



COMPTROLLER GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES

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IN REPLY
REFER TO:

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To the President of the Senate and the
Speaker of the House of Representatives

On November 10, 1977, we received copies of the President's third special message for fiscal year 1978 that was transmitted to the Congress pursuant to the Impoundment Control Act of 1974.

The special message includes four new deferral proposals totaling \$908.6 million in budget authority affecting the Departments of Defense and Energy, the National Science Foundation, and the Emergency Refugee and Migration Assistance Fund. The message includes revisions to five previously transmitted deferrals.

FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE PRESIDENT

D78-43 Emergency Refugee and Migration
 Assistance Fund
 11X0040

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

D78-44 Shipbuilding and Conversion
 Navy
 178/21611

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

D78-31A Energy
 (Plenum Fill Experiment)
 89X0203

D78-32A Energy
 (Clean Boiler Fuel from Coal Project)
 89X0203

D78-36A Energy
 (Molten Salt Breeder Reactor Project)
 89X0203

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D78-45 Energy
10 MW Central Receiver Solar
Thermal Power Plant
89X0203

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

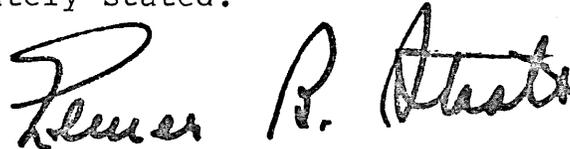
D78-26A Office of the Secretary
Antirecession Financial
Assistance Fund
207/80108
208/90108

D78-27A Office of the Secretary
State and Local Government
Fiscal Assistance Trust Fund
20X8111

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

D78-46 Research and Related Activities
497/80100
498/90100

We conclude that the information provided in the third special message is correct and that the actions being proposed have been clearly and accurately stated.



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