Subject: F/A-22 Test Aircraft

Appropriation Title: Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation, Air Force, 05/06;
Aircraft Procurement, Air Force, 05/07

Includes Transfer?
Yes

Component Serial Number:	(Amounts in Thousands of Dollars)								
FY 05-14 PA	Program Base Reflecting Program Previo			Reprogramming Action		Revised Program			
	Congressional Action		Approved by Sec Def						
Line Item	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount	
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This reprogramming action is submitted for prior approval because it uses general transfer authority pursuant to section 8005 of Public Law 108-287, the DoD Appropriations Act, 2005; and section 1001 of Public Law 108-375, the Ronald W. Reagan National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year (FY) 2005, and is determined to be necessary in the national interest. This reprogramming action transfers \$20.927 million from the Aircraft Procurement, Air Force, 05/07, appropriation to the Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force, 05/06, appropriation. This action reprograms funding in support of higher priority items, based on unforeseen military requirements, than those for which funds were originally appropriated. It meets all administrative and legal requirements of the Congress and the Congress has not denied the items.

FY 2005 REPROGRAMMING IN		+20,927		
Research, Development, Test, and Budget Activity 7: Operational Systems		<u>+20,927</u>		
PE 0207138F F-22 Squadrons				
	344,528	344,528	+20,927	365,455
FY 2005 REPROGRAMMING DE	ECREASE:		<u>-20,927</u>	
Aircraft Procurement, Air Force, 6 Budget Activity 1: Combat Aircraft		<u>-20,927</u>		
F-22 Raptor Advance Procurement (,	500 105	AA AA	500.060
	523,187	523,187	-20,927	502,260

Explanation: This action transfers \$20.927 million of F/A-22 Advance Procurement funds from the Aircraft Procurement, Air Force appropriation to the Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force appropriation to support making an F/A-22 production aircraft a dedicated test aircraft. The requirements for a Seek Eagle and Flight Sciences test aircraft were consolidated into a single, dedicated test aircraft that would not return to operational use. There will be no impact from the loss of these funds, as the same activities will be accomplished using the reprogrammed funding. The FY 2006 adjustment only realigns existing Air Force funds within the F/A-22 program to be consistent with the intended use of a test aircraft, and it does not impact the aircraft quantities in Lot 6 (25) funded in FY 2006.

Approved (Signature and Date)

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