

REPROGRAMMING ACTION - PRIOR APPROVAL																		
Appropriation Account Title: Procurement of Weapons and Tracked Combat Vehicles, Army, 97/99						DoD Serial Number: FY 99-003 PA												
Component Serial Number: FY 99- PA		<i>(Amounts in Thousands of Dollars)</i>																
LINE ITEM		Program Base Reflecting Congressional Action		Program Previously Approved by Sec Def		Reprogramming Action		Revised Program										
		Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount									
a		b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i									
<p>This reprogramming action is submitted for prior approval because it involves a congressional special interest item. This action is for a higher priority item, based on unforeseen military requirements, than that for which the funds were originally appropriated. It meets all administrative and legal requirements of the Congress and has not previously been denied by the Congress. This action does not affect Tactical Intelligence and Related Activities (TIARA), Joint Military Intelligence Programs (JMIP), or the National Foreign Intelligence Program (NFIP). This action is not reflected in the FY 2000/2001 President's budget.</p> <p><u>Procurement of Weapons and Tracked Combat Vehicles, Army, 97/99</u></p> <p><u>Budget Activity 2: Weapons and Other Combat Vehicles</u></p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 10px;"> <tr> <td style="width: 60%; padding: 5px;">Medium Machine Guns (Mod)</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: right; padding: 5px;">0</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: right; padding: 5px;">0</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: right; padding: 5px;">+1,900</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: right; padding: 5px;">1,900</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Medium Machine Gun, 7.62MM M240 Series</td> <td style="text-align: right; padding: 5px;">20,000</td> <td style="text-align: right; padding: 5px;">20,000</td> <td style="text-align: right; padding: 5px;">-1,900</td> <td style="text-align: right; padding: 5px;">18,100</td> </tr> </table> <p><u>Explanation:</u> This action is necessary to fund an engineering change to the M240B machine gun that will incorporate a new hydro-pneumatic buffer, which increases weapon controllability and decreases dispersion and system weight. The source of the funds is the M240 Series line, a congressional special interest item. This action will not decrease the number of machine guns being procured from that appropriated and authorized by Congress, but will ensure that these weapons will be modified to the most effective configuration as soon as possible.</p>									Medium Machine Guns (Mod)	0	0	+1,900	1,900	Medium Machine Gun, 7.62MM M240 Series	20,000	20,000	-1,900	18,100
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<p>Approved (Signature and Date) Signed by Mr. William J. Lynn, March 22, 1999</p>																		