

Subject: SOCOM Helicopter Infrared Countermeasure Program		DoD Serial Number: FY 02-09 IR
Appropriation Title: Procurement, Defense-Wide, 02/04 Aircraft Procurement, Army, 02/04		Includes Transfer? Yes

Component Serial Number:	<i>(Amounts in Thousands of Dollars)</i>							
	Program Base Reflecting Congressional Action		Program Previously Approved by Sec Def		Reprogramming Action		Revised Program	
Line Item	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount
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This internal reprogramming action transfers funds from the Aircraft Procurement, Army, 02/04, appropriation to the Procurement, Defense-Wide, 02/04, appropriation to properly execute the Suite of Integrated Infrared Countermeasures (SIIRCM) Program. This action uses general transfer authority pursuant to section 8005 of PL 107-117, the DoD Appropriations Act, 2002; and section 1001 of P.L. 107-107, the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2002. This action does not change the purpose 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 involves a congressional special interest item.

FY 2002 REPROGRAMMING INCREASE						+36,389		
<u>Procurement, Defense-Wide, 02/04</u>						+36,389		
<u>Budget Activity 2: Special Operations Command</u>								
Rotary Wing Upgrades & Sustainment		81,584		81,584		+36,389		117,973
FY 2002 REPROGRAMMING DECREASE						-36,389		
<u>Aircraft Procurement, Army, 02/04</u>						-36,389		
<u>Budget Activity 4: Support Equipment and Facilities</u>								
ASE INFRARED CM		43,389		43,389		-36,389		7,000

Explanation: Prior to the FY 2003 Budget Estimate Submission, SIIRCM was a common system within the Army. The funds to develop and procure this system for the Army Special Operations Aircraft (MH-47 and MH-60) resided with the Department of the Army. In the summer of 2001, the Army decided they could not afford the system and withdrew from the program. Because USSOCOM is now the only prospective buyer for SIIRCM, the program is now properly considered a Special Operations Forces (SOF)-unique system. Department of Defense policy directs that SOF-unique items be financed from the US Special Operations Command accounts. This reprogramming moves the funds to the correct appropriation for execution.

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