

Subject: U.S. Marine Corps Force Protection-Part 2		DoD Serial Number: FY 04-42 IR
Appropriation Title: Iraq Freedom Fund, 03/04; Procurement of Ammunition, Navy, and Marine Corps, 03/05; Aircraft Procurement, Navy, 03/05; and Procurement, Marine Corps, 03/04		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	
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This reprogramming action consists of two parts. **Part I** transfers \$15.410 million from the Procurement of Ammunition, Navy and Marine Corps, 03/05, appropriation to the Iraq Freedom Fund, 03/04, appropriation. **Part II** transfers \$15.410 million from the Iraq Freedom Fund, 03/04, appropriation to Aircraft Procurement, Navy, 03/05, appropriation (\$12.050 million) and Procurement, Marine Corps, 03/05, appropriation (\$3.360 million) for higher priority needs. These funds were initially transferred from the IFF to the Procurement of Ammunition, Navy and Marine Corps, 03/05, appropriation in FY 03-25 PA. This transfer authority is contained in Public Law 108-11, the Emergency Wartime Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2003. It meets all administrative and legal requirements of the Congress, and the Congress has not denied any of the funds.

PART I

<u>Iraq Freedom Fund, 03/04</u>				<u>+15,410</u>	
Public Law 108-11	15,678,900		298,424	<u>+15,410</u>	313,834

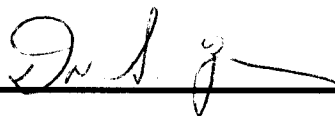
Explanation: In accordance with Public Law 108-11, \$15.410 million is transferred from the Procurement of Ammunition, Navy and Marine Corps, 03/05 appropriation back to the Iraq Freedom Fund.

<u>Procurement of Ammunition, Navy and Marine Corps, 03/05</u>				<u>-15,410</u>	
<u>Budget Activity 2, Marine Corps Ammunition</u>					
40MM, All Types	11,909		25,272	<u>-7,410</u>	17,862
81MM, All Types	31,412		42,875	<u>-2,000</u>	40,875
25MM, All Types	-		9,000	<u>-2,000</u>	7,000
Rockets, All Types	18,854		26,882	<u>-3,000</u>	23,882
Fuzes, All Types	620		6,519	<u>-1,000</u>	5,519

Explanation: Funds are available to meet higher priority Marine Corps needs. This action reprograms funding originally transferred to these items from the Iraq Freedom Fund. The Department now considers the procurement of other equipment required to support the Marine Corps deployment to Iraq to be a higher priority.

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PART II

<u>Aircraft Procurement, Navy, 03/05</u>							<u>+12,050</u>	
<u>Budget Activity 5, Modification of Aircraft</u>								
AH-1W Series		16,211		16,211		+3,000		19,211
C-130 Series		6,263		6,263		+9,050		15,313

Explanation: Funds are required to provide Aviation Survivability Equipment to protect aircraft from attacks from infrared missile (IR) threats and small arms munitions. These items will be employed directly in Operation Iraqi Freedom/GWOT to reduce casualties.

<u>Procurement, Marine Corps, 03/05</u>							<u>+3,360</u>	
<u>Budget Activity 4, Communications and Electronics Equipment</u>								
Radio Systems		28,528		28,528		+3,070		31,598
<u>Budget Activity 6, Engineering and Other Equipment</u>								
Field Medical Equipment		10,452		10,452		+50		10,502
Items Less Than \$5 million		9,272		9,272		+240		9,512

Explanation: Funds are required to provide ground equipment to support Marine Corps deployment to Iraq. Items include PRC-117F radios, mobile generators for field medical units, and bridge erection boat trailers. These items will be fielded within 18 months of obligating the funding.

<u>Iraq Freedom Fund, 03/04</u>							<u>-15,410</u>	
Public Law 108-11		15,678,900		313,834		-15,410		298,424

Explanation: In accordance with Public Law 108-11, \$15.410 million is transferred from the Iraq Freedom Fund, 03/04, appropriation to the Aircraft Procurement, Navy, 03/05, (\$12.050 million) and Procurement, Marine Corps, 03/05, (\$3.360 million) appropriations for purchase of various equipment to support Marine Corps deployment to Iraq.