

An Overview of the Proposed Government Reorganization

KEY: ● Consolidated efforts ● Transferred responsibilities ● Restructure, process changed



AGRICULTURE

- Moves rural housing loan guarantee and rental assistance programs to the Department of Housing and Urban Development
- Moves nutrition assistance programs to the Department of Health and Human Services
- Merges the Food Safety and Inspection Service with HHS' FDA food safety functions into a new USDA Fed. Food Safety Agency
- Merges portions of the Hazardous Material Management Program into the EPA's Superfund program



COMMERCE

- Merges the National Marine Fisheries Service with the Interior's Fish and Wildlife Service
- Gets Bureau of Labor Statistics from DOL
- Restructures the U.S. Census Bureau, the Bureau of Economic Analysis and the acquired BLS
- Creates the Bureau of Economic Growth by consolidating federal economic assistance resources and programs, including HUD and USDA grant programs, with Commerce's Economic Development Administration's Economic Development Assistance Programs



DEFENSE

- Moves the Army Corps of Engineers coastal port dredging, operation of inland waterway systems and commercial navigation to the Department of Transportation; aquatic ecosystem restoration and regulatory responsibilities go to the Department of Interior
- Moves responsibility for select military and veteran cemeteries on Department of Defense installations to Veterans Affairs
- Gets the National Background Investigations Bureau from the Office of Personnel Management



EDUCATION

- Merges with the Department of Labor to form the Department of Education and the Workforce



ENERGY

- Merges DOE's applied energy programs into a new Office of Energy Innovation



EPA

- Merges portions of the Central Hazardous Materials Program from Interior into EPA's Superfund program
- Merges the Hazardous Material Management Program from USDA into EPA's Superfund program



EXECUTIVE OFFICE

- Gets policy function of the Office of Personnel Management



HHS

- Restructures and reduces the U.S. Public Health Services Commissioned Corps
- Renamed as the Department of Health and Public Welfare
- Gets nutrition assistance programs from USDA
- Merges Food Safety and Inspection Service with HHS' FDA food safety functions into a new USDA Federal Food Safety Agency



DHS

- Moves transit security grants administered by FEMA and surface transportation inspection and guidance activities of TSA to DOT



HUD

- Gets rural housing loan guarantee and rental assistance programs from USDA



INTERIOR

- Gets Army Corps of Engineers' aquatic ecosystem restoration and regulatory responsibilities from DOD
- Merges the Department of Commerce's National Marine Fisheries Service with the Interior's Fish and Wildlife Service
- Merges portions of the Central Hazardous Materials Program into the EPA's Superfund program



LABOR

- Merges with the Department of Education to form the Department of Education and the Workforce
- Moves the Bureau of Labor Statistics to the Department of Commerce



NASA

- Establishes a faster process for determining conversion of NASA centers into, or hosts of, Federally Funded Research and Development Centers



OPM

- Moves policy function of Office of Personnel Management into the Executive Office of the President
- Moves the National Background Investigations Bureau to DoD



STATE

- Optimizes humanitarian assistance efforts with USAID



TRANSPORTATION

- Gets Army Corps of Engineers works (coastal port dredging and operation of inland waterway systems) from DOD
- Gets transit security grants administered by FEMA and surface transportation inspection and guidance activities of TSA from DHS
- Reorganize transportation program responsibilities
- Moves air traffic control service responsibilities of Federal Aviation Administration to a nonprofit entity



USAID

- Optimizes humanitarian assistance efforts with the State Department
- Restructures headquarters' bureaus and independent offices
- Merges the Development Credit Authority into a new Development Finance Institution



U.S. POSTAL SERVICE

- Restructures the business model of the government agency possibly into a privately held corporation



VETERANS AFFAIRS

- Gets responsibility for select military and veteran cemeteries on Department of Defense installations to be handled by Veterans Affairs' National Cemetery Administration

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