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To the President of the Senate and the
Speaker of the House of Representatives

On June 25, 1992, the President submitted to the Congress his 103rd special impoundment message for fiscal year 1992. This message revises the amounts of two deferrals previously reported. We have reviewed these deferrals and found them to be in accordance with the Impoundment Control Act, 2 U.S.C. § 681, et seq., as amended.

Enclosure I provides specific information on both deferrals which we believe will be useful to the Congress in its examination of the message. Enclosure II provides a list of the deferrals as reported by the President.

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**COMMENTS ON THE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD
SPECIAL MESSAGE**

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE:

D92-11A

Forest Service
Timber Salvage Sales
Amount Deferred: \$181,548,574
12X5204

According to the most recent apportionment schedule for this account as well as OMB's cumulative report submitted to the Congress on July 10, 1992, the amount currently deferred is \$151,548,574 and not \$181,548,574 as reported in the message.

FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE PRESIDENT:

D92-8A

International Security Assistance
Foreign Military Financing
Amount Deferred: \$2,001,097,900
1121082

The latest apportionment statement for this account shows that total budgetary resources are \$3,971,297,000 and not \$4,018,397,900 as reported in the message. This reduction in total budgetary resources is due to a rescission of \$47,100,000 contained in Public Law 102-298, 106 Stat. 228 (1992). Also, according to the most recent apportionment statement for this account as well as OMB's cumulative report submitted to the Congress on July 10, 1992, the amount currently deferred is \$1,700,376,000 and not \$2,001,097,900 as reported in the message.

CONTENTS OF SPECIAL MESSAGE
 (in thousands of dollars)
 (as reported by the President)

| <u>Deferral No.</u> | <u>Item</u> | <u>Budget Authority</u> |
|-------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| | Funds Appropriated to the President: | |
| | International Security Assistance: | |
| D92-8A | Foreign military financing..... | 2,001,098 |
| | Department of Agriculture: | |
| | Forest Service: | |
| D92-11A | Timber salvage sales..... | 181,549 |
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| | Total, deferrals..... | 2,182,646 |