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The Honorable Sam J. Ervin, Jr., Chairman
 Committee on Government Operations
 United States Senate



Dear Mr. Chairman:

In line with your request of September 19, 1973, and subsequent discussion with your office, GAO has accumulated an inventory of vehicles owned or leased by departments and agencies of the Federal Government.

This interim report is based on unverified information furnished to GAO by the various Federal departments and agencies on limousines and heavy and medium sedans and light sedans and station wagons. It includes, as requested, the number of heavy and medium sedans used by the Departments of Justice and the Treasury for law enforcement activities. We are also including information on salaries paid to individuals for driving motorpool cars and individually assigned cars.

The information summarized in the following table is basically as of June 30, 1973.

	<u>Number of vehicles</u>			<u>Driver salaries</u>
	<u>Limousine and heavy and medium</u>	<u>Light</u>	<u>Total</u>	
Executive agencies	748	97,626	98,374	\$24,817,873
White House Office	45	23	68	486,800
Office of the Vice President	2	1	3	34,822
Legislative branch	25	25	50	296,738
Judicial branch	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>11,169</u>
Total	<u>822</u>	<u>97,680</u>	<u>98,502</u>	<u>\$25,647,402</u>

The above information is shown in detail by department or agency in the four enclosures.

--Enclosure I provides the overall summary of all types of passenger sedans and station wagons.

- Enclosure II shows the breakdown of limousines and heavy and medium sedans by individual department or agency.
- Enclosure III shows the heavy and medium sedans used for law enforcement purposes.
- Enclosure IV provides the breakdown of light sedans and station wagons by individual department or agency.

To identify the automobile manufacturers and models according to the General Services Administration's (GSA's) classifications for the passenger sedan statistics shown in our enclosures, the following examples are provided.

In the light sedan category are:

- Type IA Subcompact (2,100 pounds)--Ford Pinto, GM Vega
- Type IB Compact (2,700 pounds)--Ford Maverick, AMC Hornet, Chrysler Valiant, GM Nova
- Type II Intermediate (3,200 pounds)--AMC Matador, Chrysler Satellite, Ford Torino, GM Chevelle
- Type III Standard (3,900 pounds)--AMC Ambassador, Chrysler Fury, Ford LTD, Chevrolet Impala

In the limousine and heavy and medium sedan categories are:

- Type IV Medium (4,200 pounds)--Chrysler New Yorker, Mercury Marquis, Pontiac Catalina
- Type V Heavy (5,000 pounds)--Lincoln Continental, Chrysler Imperial
- Type VI Limousine (5,500 pounds)--Cadillac Fleetwood

Since June 30, 1973, the energy crisis has resulted in a reduction in the number of limousines and heavy and medium sedans in use. This reduction is continuing. On January 21, 1974, GSA, working with the Federal Energy Office, issued Federal Management Circular 74-1.

This circular required executive departments and agencies to stop using limousines and heavy and medium sedans within 45 days. The only exceptions granted were for the President and Vice President and for security and highly essential needs. Even before this circular was issued, several departments and agencies were taking steps on their own to eliminate the use of such vehicles.

In considering the data relating to the drivers' salaries, we call attention to the fact that many vehicles are driven by individuals in the performance of their assigned duties. Examples of these individuals are: Civil Service investigators, Bureau of Mines inspectors, and Forest Service personnel. Salaries for this type of driver are not included in our driver costs data. This may largely explain the disparity between agencies in the number of vehicles and costs of drivers for the year.

The disparity in driver costs among the various agencies may also be caused by the fact that some agencies have a large proportion of persons listed as drivers who also spend much of their time on messenger or other types of non-driver duties.

This information is also being furnished to the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Appropriations and to Senators William Proxmire and Jesse Helms, who have expressed interest in vehicle management within the Federal Government.

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We are continuing our review of the management and use of vehicles and will send you our final report when we complete the review. We will be glad to discuss this matter with you or members of your staff at your convenience.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "James P. Beets". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name and title.

Comptroller General
of the United States

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SUMMARY OF AGENCY-OPERATED VEHICLES

	Total limousines and heavy and medium vehicles (note a)	Total light vehicles (note b)	Total vehicles	Yearly driver cost
Legislative branch:				
U.S. Senate	14	1	15	\$ 62,560
House of Representatives	6	1	7	58,114
Architect of the Capitol	1		1	12,264
General Accounting Office	2	6	8	41,264
Government Printing Office	1	12	13	70,740
Library of Congress	1	5	6	51,796
Total	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>296,738</u>
Judicial branch:				
Supreme Court of the United States	2	2	4	11,169
Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts	-	3	3	-
Total	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>11,169</u>
Executive branch:				
White House Office	45	23	68	486,800
Office of the Vice President	2	1	3	34,822
Total	<u>47</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>521,622</u>
Executive Office of the President:				
Office of Management and Budget	2	10	12	68,561
Office of Economic Opportunity	1	16	17	9,750
Office of the Special Representative for Trade Negotiations	1	-	1	9,000
Council on Environmental Quality	1	-	1	10,125
Office of Telecommunications Policy	1	-	1	-
National Security Council	-	1	1	-
Council of Economic Advisors	-	1	1	-
Total	<u>6</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>97,436</u>
Civil departments:				
State	104	781	885	2,537,529
Treasury	257	6,729	6,986	508,287
Justice	155	7,191	7,346	165,022
The Interior	8	4,531	4,539	139,749
Agriculture	5	5,499	5,504	60,406
Commerce	7	359	366	395,050
Labor	5	1,039	1,044	(d)
Health, Education, and Welfare	7	1,864	1,871	1,811,631
Housing and Urban Development	5	674	679	27,270
Transportation	14	3,632	3,646	142,583
Total	<u>567</u>	<u>32,299</u>	<u>32,866</u>	<u>5,787,527</u>

ENCLOSURE I

	<u>Total limousines and heavy and medium vehicles</u>	<u>Total light vehicles</u>	<u>Total vehicles</u>	<u>Yearly driver cost</u>
Department of Defense:				
Army	37	17,749	17,786	\$ 6,398,509
Navy	28	8,361	8,389	6,568,266
Marine Corps	4	2,567	2,571	(d)
Air Force	30	8,907	8,937	2,513,570
Corps of Engineers, Civil Works	-	936	936	199,440
Office of the Secretary of Defense	14	14	28	222,602
Defense Supply Agency	-	1,248	1,248	466,000
Defense Communications Agency	-	20	20	74,250
Defense Intelligence Agency	-	268	268	810,000
Defense Investigative Service	-	1,486	1,486	-
Defense Nuclear Agency	-	55	55	30,216
Defense Civil Preparedness Agency	<u>1</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>23,332</u>
Total	<u>114</u>	<u>41,654</u>	<u>41,768</u>	<u>11,396,185</u>
Other agencies:				
ACTION	1	487	488	14,430
Agency for International Development	7	1,116	1,123	1,123,453
American Battle Monuments Commission	-	11	11	-
Appalachian Regional Commis- sion	-	1	1	13,237
Atomic Energy Commission	5	2,228	2,233	430,066
Cabinet Committee on Oppor- tunities for Spanish Speak- ing People	-	2	2	-
Canal Zone Government	-	36	36	-
Civil Aeronautics Board	1	3	4	43,201
Consumer Products Safety Commission	1	5	6	(d)
Cost of Living Council	2	-	2	22,000
District of Columbia	1	1,038	1,039	11,400
Environmental Protection Agency	1	284	285	91,363
Equal Employment Opportunity Commission	1	72	73	20,000
Export-Import Bank	1	-	1	14,674
Farm Credit Administration	1	-	1	6,318
Federal Communications Com- mission	1	124	125	8,611
Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation	3	-	3	38,252
Federal Home Loan Bank Board	1	4	5	14,640
Federal Maritime Commission	1	1	2	11,046
Federal Mediation and Con- ciliation Service	1	-	1	19,630
Federal Power Commission	1	3	4	34,443
Federal Reserve System	5	-	5	-
Federal Trade Commission	1	7	8	8,611
Foreign Claims Settlement Commission	-	3	3	-
General Services Administra- tion	1	11,541	11,542	551,059
International Boundary and Water Commission, United States and Mexico	-	21	21	(d)
Interstate Commerce Commis- sion	1	185	186	12,033

ENCLOSURE I

	<u>Total limousines and heavy and medium vehicles</u>	<u>Total light vehicles</u>	<u>Total vehicles</u>	<u>Yearly driver cost</u>
National Aeronautics and Space Administra- tion	1	1,043	1,044	\$ 442,677
National Capital Planning Commission	-	2	2	7,821
National Credit Union Admin- istration	1	74	75	1,728
National Gallery of Art	-	2	2	-
National Labor Relations Board	1	26	27	25,834
National Science Foundation	1	55	56	14,198
Overseas Private Investment Corporation	1	1	2	15,000
Panama Canal Company	1	63	64	11,627
Railroad Retirement Board	1	1	2	19,678
Renegotiation Board	1	1	2	10,864
Securities and Exchange Com- mission	1	6	7	34,459
Selective Service System	1	333	334	5,187
Small Business Administra- tion	1	230	231	18,870
Smithsonian Institution		13	13	72,000
Tennessee Valley Authority	-	942	942	-
U.S. Civil Service Commis- sion	1	235	236	62,462
United States Information Agency	1	223	224	351,075
United States Postal Service (administrative vehicles)	7	1,456	1,463	121,188
U.S. Soldiers Home	1	9	10	(d)
U.S. Tariff Commission	1	-	1	-
Veterans Administration	1	1,757	1,758	3,833,590
Water Resources Council	-	1	1	(d)
Total	<u>61</u>	<u>23,645</u>	<u>23,706</u>	<u>7,536,725</u>
Total	<u>822</u>	<u>97,680</u>	<u>98,502</u>	<u>\$25,647,402</u>

^aFor details, see enc. II.

^bFor details, see enc. IV.

^cOne heavy sedan subsequently replaced by a light sedan leased from GSA.

^dNot available.

^eIncludes partial information from only three naval installations.

ENCLOSURE II

LIMOUSINE AND HEAVY AND MEDIUM SEDANS
OWNED AND LEASED BY AGENCY AS OF JUNE 30, 1973

	Agency-owned				Agency-leased				Total
	Limousine (VI)	Heavy (V)	Medium (IV)	Total	Limousine (VI)	Heavy (V)	Medium (IV)	Total	
Legislative branch:									
U.S. Senate	1	-	-	1	3	6	4	13	14
House of Representatives	-	-	-	-	3	1	2	6	6
Architect of the Capitol	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
General Accounting Office	-	^a 1	-	1	-	1	-	1	2
Government Printing Office	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1
Library of Congress	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1
Total	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>25</u>
Judicial branch:									
Supreme Court of the United States	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	2
Executive branch:									
White House Office	-	-	-	-	1	-	44	45	45
Office of the Vice President	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	2
Total	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>47</u>
Executive Office of the President:									
Office of Management and Budget	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2
Office of Economic Opportunity	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Office of the Special Representative for Trade Negotiations	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Council on Environmental Quality	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Office of Telecommunications Policy	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Total	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>
Civil departments:									
State (note b)	20	10	61	91	5	1	7	13	104
Treasury	5	52	95	152	9	15	81	105	257
Justice	-	77	65	142	1	-	12	13	155
The Interior	-	-	-	-	1	-	7	8	8
Agriculture	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	5	5
Commerce	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	7	7
Labor	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	5	5
Health, Education, and Welfare	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	7	7
Housing and Urban Development	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	5	5
Transportation	-	-	-	-	1	-	13	14	14
Total	<u>25</u>	<u>139</u>	<u>221</u>	<u>385</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>144</u>	<u>182</u>	<u>567</u>

^aHeavy sedan subsequently replaced by a light sedan leased from GSA.

^bIncludes Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, one medium vehicle commercially leased.

ENCLOSURE II

	Agency-owned				Agency-leased				Total
	Limousine (VI)	Heavy (V)	Medium (IV)	Total	Limousine (VI)	Heavy (V)	Medium (IV)	Total	
Department of Defense:									
Army	-	-	26	26	2	-	9	11	37
Navy	-	-	25	25	2	-	1	3	28
Marine Corps	-	-	3	3	1	-	-	1	4
Air Force	-	-	21	21	2	-	7	9	30
Office of the Secretary of Defense	-	-	4	4	3	-	7	10	14
Defense Civil Preparedness Agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Total	-	-	79	79	10	-	25	35	114
Other agencies:									
ACTION	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Agency for International Development	-	-	6	6	-	-	1	1	7
Atomic Energy Commission	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	5
Civil Aeronautics Board	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Consumer Products Safety Commission	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Cost of Living Council	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2
District of Columbia	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1
Environmental Protection Agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Equal Employment Oppor- tunity Commission	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Export-Import Bank	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Farm Credit Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Federal Communication Commission	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation	-	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	3
Federal Home Loan Bank Board	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Federal Maritime Commission	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Federal Mediation and Con- ciliation Service	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Federal Power Commission	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Federal Reserve System	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	5
Federal Trade Commission	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
General Services Administra- tion	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Interstate Commerce Commis- sion	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
National Aeronautics and Space Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
National Credit Union Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
National Labor Relations Board	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
National Science Foundation	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Overseas Private Investment Corporation	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Panama Canal Company	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1
Railroad Retirement Board	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1
Renegotiation Board	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Securities and Exchange Commission	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Selective Service System	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Small Business Administra- tion	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
U.S. Civil Service Commis- sion	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
United States Information Agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
United States Postal Service (administrative vehicles)	1	-	6	7	-	-	-	-	7
U.S. Soldiers Home	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1
U.S. Tariff Commission	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Veterans Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Total	1	1	17	19	-	1	41	42	61
Total	27	142	318	487	40	27	268	335	822

HEAVY AND MEDIUM SEDANS
USED FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT

	<u>Heavy</u>	<u>Medium</u>	<u>Total</u>
Justice Department	<u>77</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>142</u>
Treasury Department:			
Internal Revenue Service	9	11	20
Secret Service	24	24	48
Bureau of Customs	6	18	24
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms	<u>13</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>54</u>
Total	<u>52</u>	<u>94</u>	<u>146</u>
Total	<u>129</u>	<u>159</u>	<u>288</u>

Note: These statistics are included in enclosures I and II.

LIGHT VEHICLES OWNED AND LEASED BY AGENCY

(TYPE I, II, AND III)

	Agency-owned		Commercially leased		GSA-leased		Total
	Sedans	S/W (note a)	Sedans	S/W	Sedans	S/W	
Legislative branch:							
U.S. Senate	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
House of Representatives	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
General Accounting Office	-	-	-	-	3	3	6
Government Printing Office	1	5	-	-	6	-	12
Library of Congress	-	-	-	-	1	4	5
Total	2	5	-	1	10	7	25
Judicial branch:							
Supreme Court of the United States	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts	-	-	-	-	2	1	3
Total	-	-	-	2	2	1	5
Executive branch:							
White House Office	-	-	13	10	-	-	23
Office of the Vice President	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Total	-	-	13	10	-	1	24
Executive Office of the President:							
Office of Management and Budget	-	-	2	-	8	-	10
Office of Economic Opportunity	1	-	-	-	13	2	16
National Security Council	-	-	-	-	b1	-	1
Council of Economic Advisers	-	-	-	-	b1	-	1
Total	1	-	2	-	23	2	28
Civil departments:							
State (note c)	581	200	-	-	-	-	781
Treasury	3,942	51	222	-	2,391	123	6,729
Justice	6,828	149	-	-	188	26	7,191
The Interior	d1,409	103	-	-	d3,019	-	4,531
Agriculture	3,130	577	103	13	1,547	129	5,499
Commerce	36	27	-	-	176	120	359
Labor	-	-	-	-	1,039	-	e1,039
Health, Education, and Welfare	d53	22	3	-	d1,598	188	1,864
Housing and Urban Development	-	-	3	1	645	25	674
Transportation	37	14	6	1	3,243	331	3,632
Total	16,016	1,143	337	15	13,846	942	32,299
Department of Defense:							
Army	13,383	995	899	-	2,458	14	17,749
Navy	3,783	1,603	1,096	24	1,855	-	8,361
Marine Corps	874	199	761	-	733	-	2,567
Air Force	3,771	2,565	432	-	1,885	254	8,907
Corps of Engineers, Civil Works	738	78	-	-	113	7	936
Office of the Secretary of Defense	14	-	-	-	-	-	14
Defense Supply Agency	170	16	2	-	1,033	27	1,248
Defense Communications Agency	1	-	1	18	-	-	20
Defense Intelligence Agency	225	43	-	-	-	-	268
Defense Investigative Service	1,484	2	-	-	-	-	1,486
Defense Nuclear Agency	d55	-	-	-	-	-	55
Defense Civil Preparedness Agency	-	-	-	-	37	6	43
Total	24,498	5,501	3,191	42	8,114	308	41,654

BEST DOCUMENT AVAILABLE

ENCLOSURE IV

	Agency-owned		Commercially leased		GSA-leased		Total
	Sedans	S/W (note a)	Sedans	S/W	Sedans	S/W	
Other agencies:							
ACTION	50	-	-	-	405	32	487
Agency for International Development	809	299	-	-	5	3	1,116
American Battle Monuments Commission	b ₁₀	1	-	-	-	-	11
Appalachian Regional Commission	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Atomic Energy Commission	1,782	202	41	8	156	39	2,228
Cabinet Committee on Opportunities for Spanish Speaking People	-	-	-	-	b ₂	-	2
Canal Zone Government	b ₃₆	-	-	-	-	-	36
Civil Aeronautics Board	-	-	-	-	2	1	3
Consumer Products Safety Commission	-	-	-	-	4	1	5
District of Columbia	949	89	-	-	-	-	1,038
Environmental Protection Agency	-	-	-	-	179	105	284
Equal Employment Opportunity Commission	-	-	5	-	66	3	72
Federal Communications Commission	b ₄	1	b ₅	-	b ₁₁₄	-	124
Federal Home Loan Bank Board	-	-	-	-	b ₄	-	4
Federal Maritime Commission	-	-	-	-	b ₁	-	1
Federal Power Commission	-	-	-	-	3	-	3
Federal Trade Commission	-	-	-	-	5	2	7
Foreign Claims Settlement Commission	2	-	-	-	1	-	3
General Services Administration	f _{9,433}	1,336	1	-	632	139	11,541
International Boundary and Water Commission, U.S. and Mexico	b ₁₄	-	-	-	b ₇	-	21
Interstate Commerce Commission	-	-	-	-	d ₁₈₅	-	185
National Aeronautics and Space Administration	62	84	101	16	580	200	1,043
National Capital Planning Commission	-	-	-	-	1	1	2
National Credit Union Administration	-	-	-	-	b ₇₄	-	74
National Gallery of Art	b ₁	1	-	-	-	-	2
National Labor Relations Board	-	-	-	-	26	-	26
National Science Foundation	13	11	-	-	20	11	55
Overseas Private Investment Corporation	-	-	-	-	b ₁	-	1
Panama Canal Company	b ₅₃	8	-	-	2	-	63
Railroad Retirement Board	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Renegotiation Board	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Securities and Exchange Commission	-	-	-	-	4	2	6
Selective Service System	-	-	-	-	b ₃₃₃	-	333
Small Business Administration	-	-	-	-	230	-	230
Smithsonian Institution	4	9	-	-	-	-	13
Tennessee Valley Authority	942	-	-	-	-	-	942
U.S. Civil Service Commission	-	-	3	-	228	4	235
United States Information Agency (note g)	145	70	-	-	4	4	223
United States Postal Service (administrative vehicles)	d ₆₄₇	-	-	-	d ₈₀₉	-	1,456
U.S. Soldiers Home	b ₇	2	-	-	-	-	9
Veterans Administration	42	4	-	-	1,345	366	1,757
Water Resources Council	-	-	b ₁	-	-	-	1
Total	15,005	2,117	155	24	5,429	915	23,645
Total	55,522	8,766	3,698	94	27,424	2,176	97,680

^aStation wagon.

^bInformation furnished by GSA.

^cIncludes Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

^dDetails not available may include some station wagons.

^eDetails not available. May include some station wagons and commercially leased vehicles.

^fGSA-owned as reported by GSA.

	Sedans	S/W	Total
Dispatch fleet	6,334	800	7,134
In storage	3,099	536	3,635
	9,433	1,336	10,769
Assigned to agencies			27,996
			38,765

^gData not available on all countries due to Middle East situation.