

during the period from July 1, 1973 to December 31, 1973, shall be considered and determined in accordance with the procedures of this section. With respect to any such claim—

“(1) Such claim shall be determined and, where appropriate under this part or section 424 of this title, benefits shall be paid with respect to such claim by the Secretary of Labor.

83 Stat. 798.  
30 USC 934.

“(2) The manner and place of filing such claim shall be in accordance with regulations issued jointly by the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare and the Secretary of Labor, which regulations shall provide, among other things, that such claims may be filed in district offices of the Social Security Administration and thereafter transferred to the jurisdiction of the Department of Labor for further consideration.

“(3) The Secretary of Labor shall promptly notify any operator who he believes, on the basis of information contained in the claim, or any other information available to him, may be liable to pay benefits to the claimant under part C of this title for any month after December 31, 1973.

30 USC 931.

“(4) In determining such claims, the Secretary of Labor shall, to the extent appropriate, follow the procedures described in sections 19 (b), (c), and (d) of Public Law 803, 69th Congress (44 Stat. 1424, approved March 4, 1927), as amended.

33 USC 919.

“(5) Any operator who has been notified of the pendency of a claim under paragraph 4 of this subsection shall be bound by the determination of the Secretary of Labor on such claim as if the claim had been filed pursuant to part C of this title and section 422 thereof had been applicable to such operator. Nothing in this paragraph shall require any operator to pay any benefits for any month prior to January 1, 1974.

30 USC 932.

“(b) The Secretary of Labor, after consultation with the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, may issue such regulations as are necessary or appropriate to carry out the purpose of this section.”

Regulations.

SEC. 8. Section 422(f) of title IV of the Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969 is amended by inserting “(1)” after “(f)” and by adding a new paragraph (2) as follows:

Claims, filing.

“(2) Any claim for benefits under this section in the case of a living miner filed on the basis of eligibility under section 411(c)(4) of this title, shall be filed within three years from the date of last exposed employment in a coal mine or, in the case of death from a respiratory or pulmonary impairment for which benefits would be payable under section 411(c)(4) of this title, incurred as the result of employment in a coal mine, shall be filed within fifteen years from the date of last exposed employment in a coal mine.”

Ante, p. 154.

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## Public Law 92-304

### AN ACT

To authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and research and program management, and for other purposes.

May 19, 1972  
[H. R. 14070]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That there is hereby authorized to be appropriated to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration:

National Aeronautics and Space Administration Authorization Act, 1973.

**Research and development.**

- (a) For "Research and development," for the following programs:
- (1) Apollo, \$128,700,000;
  - (2) Space flight operations, \$1,094,200,000;
  - (3) Advanced missions, \$1,500,000;
  - (4) Physics and astronomy, \$156,600,000;
  - (5) Lunar and planetary exploration, \$321,200,000;
  - (6) Launch vehicle procurement, \$191,600,000;
  - (7) Space applications, \$207,200,000;
  - (8) Aeronautical research and technology, \$187,440,000;
  - (9) Space research and technology, \$64,760,000;
  - (10) Nuclear power and propulsion, \$21,100,000;
  - (11) Tracking and data acquisition, \$259,100,000;
  - (12) Technology utilization, \$4,000,000.

**Construction of facilities.**

- (b) For "Construction of facilities," including land acquisitions, as follows:
- (1) Rehabilitation and modification of aeronautical airborne science, and support facilities, Ames Research Center, \$1,065,000;
  - (2) Rehabilitation of Unitary Plan wind tunnel model supports, control systems, and model preparation areas, Ames Research Center, \$760,000;
  - (3) Rehabilitation and modification of utility systems, Goddard Space Flight Center, \$590,000;
  - (4) Rehabilitation and modification of roadway system, Jet Propulsion Laboratory, \$610,000;
  - (5) Modifications of, and additions to, spacecraft assembly facilities, Kennedy Space Center, \$8,100,000;
  - (6) Modification of Titan Centaur facilities, Kennedy Space Center, \$2,040,000;
  - (7) Rehabilitation of full-scale wind tunnel, Langley Research Center, \$2,465,000;
  - (8) Modification of central air supply system, Langley Research Center, \$1,175,000;
  - (9) Environmental modifications for utility operations, Langley Research Center, \$650,000;
  - (10) Modification of high temperature and high pressure turbine and combustor research facility, Lewis Research Center, \$9,710,000;
  - (11) Modification of fire protection system, Manned Spacecraft Center, \$585,000;
  - (12) Warehouse replacement, Wallops Station, \$350,000;
  - (13) Space shuttle facilities, as follows:
    - (A) Modification of Altitude Test Facilities, Arnold Engineering Development Center, \$6,800,000,
    - (B) Rehabilitation of Propellant and High Pressure Gaseous Systems, Mississippi Test Facility, \$1,160,000,
    - (C) Modification of the Entry Structures Facility, Langley Research Center, \$1,635,000,
    - (D) Addition for Systems Integration and Mockup Laboratory, Manned Spacecraft Center, \$2,545,000,
    - (E) Modification of the Vibration and Acoustic Test Facility, Manned Spacecraft Center, \$2,770,000,
    - (F) Modification of the Structures and Mechanics Laboratory, Marshall Space Flight Center, \$4,700,000,

(G) Addition for Electrical Power Laboratory, Marshall Space Flight Center, \$320,000,

(H) Modification of Acoustic Model Engine Test Facility, Marshall Space Flight Center, \$2,430,000,

(I) Modification of Manufacturing and Final Assembly Facilities, Undesignated Locations, \$5,540,000;

(14) Rehabilitation and modification of facilities at various locations, not in excess of \$500,000 per project, \$11,580,000;

(15) Minor construction of new facilities and additions to existing facilities at various locations, not in excess of \$250,000 per project, \$1,720,000;

(16) Facility planning and design not otherwise provided for, \$8,000,000.

(c) For "Research and program management," \$729,450,000, of which not to exceed \$572,237,000 to be available for personnel and related costs.

Research and program management.

(d) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 1(g), appropriations for "Research and development" may be used (1) for any items of a capital nature (other than acquisition of land) which may be required at locations other than installations of the Administration for the performance of research and development contracts, and (2) for grants to nonprofit institutions of higher education, or to nonprofit organizations whose primary purpose is the conduct of scientific research, for purchase or construction of additional research facilities; and title to such facilities shall be vested in the United States unless the Administrator determines that the national program of aeronautical and space activities will best be served by vesting title in any such grantee institution or organization. Each such grant shall be made under such conditions as the Administrator shall determine to be required to insure that the United States will receive therefrom benefit adequate to justify the making of that grant. None of the funds appropriated for "Research and development" pursuant to this Act may be used in accordance with this subsection for the construction of any major facility, the estimated cost of which, including collateral equipment, exceeds \$250,000, unless the Administrator or his designee has notified the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate and the Committee on Science and Astronautics of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences of the Senate of the nature, location, and estimated cost of such facility.

Program specifications.

Notice to Congress.

(e) When so specified in an appropriation Act, (1) any amount appropriated for "Research and development" or for "Construction of facilities" may remain available without fiscal year limitation, and (2) maintenance and operation of facilities, and support services contracts may be entered into under the "Research and program management" appropriation for periods not in excess of twelve months beginning at any time during the fiscal year.

(f) Appropriations made pursuant to subsection 1(c) may be used, but not to exceed \$35,000, for scientific consultations or extraordinary expenses upon the approval or authority of the Administrator and his determination shall be final and conclusive upon the accounting officers of the Government.

## Limitations.

(g) Of the funds appropriated pursuant to subsections 1(a) and 1(c), not in excess of \$10,000 for each project, including collateral equipment, may be used for construction of new facilities and additions to existing facilities, and not in excess of \$25,000 for each project, including collateral equipment, may be used for rehabilitation or modification of facilities: *Provided*, That of the funds appropriated pursuant to subsection 1(a), not in excess of \$250,000 for each project, including collateral equipment, may be used for any of the foregoing for unforeseen programmatic needs.

## Campuses barring military recruiters, grants prohibition.

(h) No part of the funds appropriated pursuant to subsection (a) of this section may be used for grants to any nonprofit institution of higher learning unless the Administrator or his designee determines at the time of the grant that recruiting personnel of any of the Armed Forces of the United States are not being barred from the premises or property of such institution except that this subsection shall not apply if the Administrator or his designee determines that the grant is a continuation or renewal of a previous grant to such institution which is likely to make a significant contribution to the aeronautical and space activities of the United States. The Secretary of Defense shall furnish to the Administrator or his designee within sixty days after the date of enactment of this Act and each January 30 and June 30 thereafter the names of any nonprofit institutions of higher learning which the Secretary of Defense determines on the date of each such report are barring such recruiting personnel from premises or property of any such institution.

## Construction cost variations.

SEC. 2. Authorization is hereby granted whereby any of the amounts prescribed in paragraphs (1) through (15), inclusive, of subsection 1(b) may, in the discretion of the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, be varied upward 5 per centum to meet unusual cost variations, but the total cost of all work authorized under such paragraphs shall not exceed the total of the amounts specified in such paragraphs.

## Transfer of funds.

SEC. 3. Not to exceed one-half of 1 per centum of the funds appropriated pursuant to subsection 1(a) hereof may be transferred to the "Construction of facilities" appropriation, and, when so transferred, together with \$10,000,000 of the funds appropriated pursuant to subsection 1(b) hereof (other than funds appropriated pursuant to paragraph (16) of such subsection) shall be available for expenditure to construct, expand, or modify laboratories and other installations at any location (including locations specified in subsection 1(b)), if (1) the Administrator determines such action to be necessary because of changes in the national program of aeronautical and space activities or new scientific or engineering developments, and (2) he determines that deferral of such action until the enactment of the next authorization Act would be inconsistent with the interest of the Nation in aeronautical and space activities. The funds so made available may be expended to acquire, construct, convert, rehabilitate, or install permanent or temporary public works, including land acquisition, site preparation, appurtenances, utilities, and equipment. No portion of such sums may be obligated for expenditure or expended to construct, expand, or modify laboratories and other installations unless (A) a period of thirty days has passed after the Administrator or his designee has transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and to the President of the Senate and to the Committee on Science and Astronautics of the House of Representatives and to the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences of the Senate a written report containing a full and complete statement concerning (1) the nature of such construction, expansion, or modification, (2)

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the cost thereof including the cost of any real estate action pertaining thereto, and (3) the reason why such construction, expansion, or modification is necessary in the national interest, or (B) each such committee before the expiration of such period has transmitted to the Administrator written notice to the effect that such committee has no objection to the proposed action.

SEC. 4. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act—

Use of funds,  
restrictions.

(1) no amount appropriated pursuant to this Act may be used for any program deleted by the Congress from requests as originally made to either the House Committee on Science and Astronautics or the Senate Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences,

(2) no amount appropriated pursuant to this Act may be used for any program in excess of the amount actually authorized for that particular program by sections 1(a) and 1(c), and

(3) no amount appropriated pursuant to this Act may be used for any program which has not been presented to or requested of either such committee,

unless (A) a period of thirty days has passed after the receipt by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate and each such committee of notice given by the Administrator or his designee containing a full and complete statement of the action proposed to be taken and the facts and circumstances relied upon in support of such proposed action, or (B) each such committee before the expiration of such period has transmitted to the Administrator written notice to the effect that such committee has no objection to the proposed action.

Notice to  
Congress.

(b) Nothing in this section shall be construed to authorize the expenditure of amounts for personnel and related costs pursuant to section 1(c) to exceed amounts authorized for such costs.

SEC. 5. It is the sense of the Congress that it is in the national interest that consideration be given to geographical distribution of Federal research funds whenever feasible, and that the National Aeronautics and Space Administration should explore ways and means of distributing its research and development funds whenever feasible.

Research funds,  
geographical dis-  
tribution.

SEC. 6. (a) If an institution of higher education determines, after affording notice and opportunity for hearing to an individual attending, or employed by, such institution, that such individual has been convicted by any court of record of any crime which was committed after the date of enactment of this Act and which involved the use of (or assistance to others in the use of) force, disruption, or the seizure of property under control of any institution of higher education to prevent officials or students in such institution from engaging in their duties of pursuing their studies, and that such crime was of a serious nature and contributed to a substantial disruption of the administration of the institution with respect to which such crime was committed, then the institution which such individual attends, or is employed by, shall deny for a period of two years any further payment to, or for the direct benefit of, such individual under any of the programs authorized by the National Aeronautics and Space Act of 1958, the funds for which are authorized pursuant to this Act. If an institution denies an individual assistance under the authority of the preceding sentence of this subsection, then any institution which such individual subsequently attends shall deny for the remainder of the two-year period any further payment to, or for the direct benefit of, such individual under any of the programs authorized by the National Aeronautics and Space Act of 1958, the funds for which are authorized pursuant to this Act.

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72 Stat. 426.  
42 USC 2451  
note.

(b) If an institution of higher education determines, after affording notice and opportunity for hearing to an individual attending, or employed by, such institution, that such individual has willfully refused to obey a lawful regulation or order of such institution after the date of enactment of this Act, and that such refusal was of a serious nature and contributed to a substantial disruption of the administration of such institution, then such institution shall deny, for a period of two years, any further payment to, or for the direct benefit of, such individual under any of the programs authorized by the National Aeronautics and Space Act of 1958, the funds for which are authorized pursuant to this Act.

(c) (1) Nothing in this Act shall be construed to prohibit any institution of higher education from refusing to award, continue, or extend any financial assistance under any such Act to any individual because of any misconduct which in its judgment bears adversely on his fitness for such assistance.

(2) Nothing in this section shall be construed as limiting or prejudicing the rights and prerogatives of any institution of higher education to institute and carry out an independent, disciplinary proceeding pursuant to existing authority, practice, and law.

(3) Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit the freedom of any student to verbal expressions of individual views or opinions.

SEC. 7. This Act may be cited as the "National Aeronautics and Space Administration Authorization Act, 1973".

Approved May 19, 1972.

## Public Law 92-305

### AN ACT

To amend the Public Health Service Act to designate the National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases as the National Institute of Arthritis, Metabolism, and Digestive Diseases, and for other purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That (a) part D of title IV of the Public Health Service Act is amended by adding after section 433 the following new section:

"NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF ARTHRITIS, METABOLISM, AND DIGESTIVE DISEASES

"SEC. 434. (a) The Research Institute on Arthritis, Rheumatism, and Metabolic Diseases established under section 431 (a) is designated the 'National Institute of Arthritis, Metabolism, and Digestive Diseases', and the Advisory Council established under section 432 to advise the Secretary with respect to the activities of the Institute is designated the 'National Arthritis, Metabolism, and Digestive Diseases Advisory Council'. There shall be in the Institute an Associate Director for Digestive Diseases.

"(b) There is established in the National Arthritis, Metabolism, and Digestive Diseases Advisory Council a committee to advise the Director of the Institute respecting the activities of the Institute concerning digestive diseases. The committee shall be composed of those members of the Advisory Council who are outstanding in the diagnosis, prevention, and treatment of digestive diseases. The committee shall review applications made to the Director for grants for research projects relating to the diagnosis, prevention, and treatment of digestive diseases and shall recommend to the Director for approval those applications and contracts which the committee determines will best carry out the purposes of this part.

72 Stat. 426.  
42 USC 2451  
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Short title.

May 19, 1972  
[H. R. 13591]

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Redesignation.  
64 Stat. 445.  
42 USC 289c.

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