

LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION*Federal Funds***General and special funds:**

PAYMENT TO THE LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION

For payment to the Legal Services Corporation to carry out the purposes of the Legal Services Corporation Act of 1974, **[\$330,803,000]** \$310,860,000, of which **[\$312,375,000]** \$288,585,000 is for basic field programs and required independent audits; **[\$2,539,000]** \$2,970,000 is for the Office of Inspector General, of which such amounts as may be necessary may be used to conduct additional audits of recipients; **[\$12,825,000]** \$14,355,000 is for management and administration; **[\$1,255,000]** \$2,970,000 is for client self-help and information technology; and **[\$1,809,000]** \$1,980,000 is for grants to offset losses due to census adjustments. (*Science, State, Justice, Commerce, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006.*)

Program and Financing (in millions of dollars)

Identification code 20-0501-0-1-752	2005 actual	2006 est.	2007 est.
Obligations by program activity:			
00.01 Direct program activity	332	328	311
10.00 Total new obligations (object class 41.0)	332	328	311
Budgetary resources available for obligation:			
22.00 New budget authority (gross)	332	327	311
23.95 Total new obligations	- 332	- 328	- 311
New budget authority (gross), detail:			
Discretionary:			
40.00 Appropriation	335	331	311
40.33 Appropriation permanently reduced (P.L. 109-148)		- 3	
40.35 Appropriation permanently reduced	- 4	- 1	
43.00 Appropriation (total discretionary)	331	327	311
Discretionary:			
68.00 Spending authority from offsetting collections: Offsetting collections (cash)	1		
70.00 Total new budget authority (gross)	332	327	311
Change in obligated balances:			
72.40 Obligated balance, start of year	35	35	31
73.10 Total new obligations	332	328	311
73.20 Total outlays (gross)	- 332	- 332	- 313
74.40 Obligated balance, end of year	35	31	29
Outlays (gross), detail:			
86.90 Outlays from new discretionary authority	304	299	285
86.93 Outlays from discretionary balances	28	33	28
87.00 Total outlays (gross)	332	332	313
Offsets:			
Against gross budget authority and outlays:			
88.00 Offsetting collections (cash) from: Federal sources	- 1		
Net budget authority and outlays:			
89.00 Budget authority	331	327	311
90.00 Outlays	332	332	313

The Legal Services Corporation distributes appropriated funds to local non-profit organizations that provide free civil legal assistance, according to locally-determined priorities, to people living in poverty. The Congress chartered the corporation as a private, non-profit entity outside of the Federal government.

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISION—LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION

None of the funds appropriated in this Act to the Legal Services Corporation shall be expended for any purpose prohibited or limited by, or contrary to any of the provisions of, sections 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, and 506 of Public Law 105-119, and all funds appropriated in this Act to the Legal Services Corporation shall be subject to

the same terms and conditions set forth in such sections, except that all references in sections 502 and 503 to 1997 and 1998 shall be deemed to refer instead to [2005 and] 2006 *and* 2007, respectively, and except that section 501(a)(1) of Public Law 104–134 (110 Stat. 1321–51 et seq.) shall not apply to the use of the [\$1,809,000] \$2,000,000 to address loss of funding due to Census-based reallocations. (*Science, State, Justice, Commerce, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006.*)
