

Navy; Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation, Air Force; and Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation, Defense Agencies shall not be available for obligation after June 30, 1972. Each such appropriation shall be merged with and shall be available for the same time period as appropriations made in this Act under the same head.

Repeal.
83 Stat. 487.

(b) Section 642 of the Department of Defense Appropriation Act, 1970 (Public Law 91-171, approved December 29, 1969), is hereby repealed.

Laos or Thailand, introduction of combat troops, prohibition.

SEC. 843. In line with the expressed intention of the President of the United States, none of the funds appropriated by this Act shall be used to finance the introduction of American ground combat troops into Laos or Thailand.

ABM sites, prohibition.

SEC. 844. None of the funds appropriated in this Act shall be available for the purposes authorized by section 610, Public Law 91-511, approved October 26, 1970.

Ante, p. 1224.

Certain Defense employees, limitation.

SEC. 845. After June 15, 1971, no part of the funds in this Act shall be available to support in excess of 138,000 personnel of the Department of Defense (military and civilian) assigned to activities managed under the Intelligence and Security Program of the Department of Defense.

Short title.

This Act may be cited as the "Department of Defense Appropriation Act, 1971."

Approved January 11, 1971.

Public Law 91-669

AN ACT

January 11, 1971
[H. R. 19915]

To extend the temporary provision for disregarding income of old-age, survivors, and disability insurance and railroad retirement recipients in determining their need for public assistance.

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 1007 of the Social Security Amendments of 1969, as amended by section 2(b) of Public Law 91-306, is amended to read as follows:

Public assistance, extension.
Ante, p. 408.

"SEC. 1007. In addition to the requirements imposed by law as a condition of approval of a State plan to provide aid to individuals under title I, X, XIV, or XVI of the Social Security Act, there is hereby imposed the requirement (and the plan shall be deemed to require) that, in the case of any individual found eligible (as a result

42 USC 301, 1201, 1351, 1381.

of the requirement imposed by this section or otherwise) for aid for any month after March 1970 and before January 1972 who also receives in such month—

“(1) a monthly insurance benefit under title II of such Act, the sum of the aid received by him for such month, plus the monthly insurance benefit received by him in such month, shall not be less than the sum of the aid which would have been received by him for such month under the State plan as in effect for March 1970, plus either

42 USC 401.

“(A) the monthly insurance benefit which was or would have been received by him in March 1970 without regard to the other provisions of this title plus \$4, or

“(B) the monthly insurance benefit which was or would have been received by him in March 1970 under the provisions of this title,

whichever is less (whether this requirement is satisfied by disregarding a portion of his monthly insurance benefit or otherwise), or

“(2) a monthly payment of annuity or pension under the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 or the Railroad Retirement Act of 1935, the sum of the aid received by him in such month, plus the monthly payment of such annuity or pension received by him in such month (not including any part of such annuity or pension which is disregarded under section 1006), shall (except as otherwise provided in the succeeding sentence) not be less than the sum of the aid which would have been received by him for such month under such plan as in effect for March 1970, plus either

50 Stat. 307.
45 USC 228a-
228s-2.
49 Stat. 967.
45 USC 215-
228 notes.
Ante, p. 407.

“(A) the monthly payment of annuity or pension which was or would have been received by him in March 1970 without regard to the provisions of any Act enacted after May 30, 1970, and before December 31, 1970, which provides general increases in the amount of such monthly payment of annuity or pension plus \$4, or

“(B) the monthly payment of annuity or pension which was or would have been received by him in March 1970, taking into account the provisions of such Act (if any), whichever is less (whether this requirement is satisfied by disregarding a portion of his monthly payment of annuity or pension or otherwise).”

Approved January 11, 1971.