

## **Supporting the Military Child Conference**

The Military Child Education Coalition (MCEC) is a non-profit organization which seeks partnerships and provides for networking of military installations to address transition and other educational issues related to the military child. MCEC seeks to include all military installations, their supporting schools, concerned organizations, and caring individuals.

Each year one of the military services partners with a local school district and MCEC to host the "Supporting the Military Child Conference." In June, 1999, the conference was held at Offutt Air Force Base, Nebraska.

The purpose of the conference is to bring educators, military families and leaders, and congressional leaders together to form a partnership to provide support to military children and their families faced with high perstempo and deployments in the "new military."

Quality of life has been identified by the Joint Chiefs of Staff as a readiness issue. By working together school districts and military leaders can support military children and continue to improve many of the quality of life issues. In addition, by partnering to support the military child, the military will in essence be grooming our future military personnel. Statistics indicate that 50% of today's military personnel are former military dependents.

### **Next conference**

The next "Supporting the Military Child Conference" will be held July 19-21, 2000, at the Westin Horton Plaza, San Diego. MCEC and the Military Impacted Schools Association (MISA) will partner with the California Association of Federal Impacted Schools (CAFIS) to host the conference.

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## NOTICE

### DATE CHANGE

THE MCEC "SUPPORTING THE MILITARY  
CHILD" CONFERENCE WILL BE  
HELD IN SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA  
ON THE FOLLOWING DATES:

**JULY 19 - 21, 2000.**

**MCEC 1999 Annual Supporting the Military Child Conference**  
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## IMPACT AID

- **Why does the Administration always propose to cut Impact Aid? Doesn't it think the children of men and women who serve in the armed forces deserve a high quality education?**

### Response

- The Administration believes that its Impact Aid requests have been adequate to fund a more equitable and better-targeted program, and has proposed such a program in the ESEA Reauthorization and previous budgets (Congress has consistently rejected this proposal). In the ESEA Reauthorization, the Administration proposes a revised funding formula that targets **Basic Support Payments** and **Payments for Children With Disabilities** toward the children of parents who live and work on Federal property (formerly known as military a 's) and children living on Indian lands; this revised formula more closely approximates the actual local cost of educating these students.
- The ESEA Reauthorization does not include funding for federally connected students who do not create a major funding burden for school districts (formerly known as "military b's"). Congress regularly provides funding for these students.
- The Administration's ESEA proposal also targets funding for **Heavily Impacted Districts** and **Payments for Federal Properties** toward LEAs most burdened by the presence of Federal property. [Note that we have not requested funding for this program for in past years, and we are not planning to provide funding this year.] Finally, the Administration's ESEA proposal targets all **Construction** dollars toward LEAs predominantly serving students living on Indian lands.

### More Background

- Impact Aid compensates schools districts for costs deemed to be related to Federal activities. The presence of children on Federal property places a financial burden on the schools that educate these children, to the extent that their families do not pay other local taxes. The property on which some of these children live is exempt from property taxes, denying schools access to a significant source of revenue used by most communities to finance education. The Impact Aid programs help supplement local revenue to pay for the education of these Federally connected children.
- Impact Aid has been a low priority for this Administration – in fact, it has been a low priority for the past several Administrations. This Administration's Budgets have consistently cut Impact Aid from the previous year's enacted level in order to make room to pay for other priorities. Since this program is a Congressional priority, Congress always provides significantly more than the request. We can expect the same to happen this year.



## SUMMARY OF PAD RECOMMENDATIONS

### Department of Education Recommendations for Impact Aid (BA in millions of dollars)

| Department of Education    | <u>1999<br/>Actual</u> | <u>2000<br/>Enacted</u> | <u>2001<br/>Request</u> | <u>2001<br/>Recomm.</u> |
|----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Impact Aid:                |                        |                         |                         |                         |
| Basic Support Payments     | 704                    | 737                     | 740                     | 720                     |
| Children with Disabilities | 50                     | 50                      | 40                      | 40                      |
| Heavily Impacted           | 70                     | 76                      | 20                      | 0                       |
| Facilities Maintenance     |                        | 5                       | 5                       | 5                       |
|                            |                        |                         | 5                       |                         |
| Construction               | 7                      | 10                      | 30                      | 7                       |
| Federal Properties         | <u>28</u>              | <u>32</u>               | <u>10</u>               | <u>10</u>               |
| Total:                     | 864                    | 911                     | 845                     | 782                     |

Impact Aid compensates schools districts for costs deemed to be related to Federal activities. The presence of certain children living on Federal property places a financial burden on the school districts that educate these children, to the extent that their families do not pay other local taxes. The property on which some of these children live is exempt from property taxes, denying schools access to a significant source of revenue used by most communities to finance education. The Impact Aid programs help supplement local revenue to pay for the education of these Federally connected children.

**Option 1, ED Request:** Provide \$845 million, \$66 million less than the FY 2000 likely enacted level.

**Option 2, PAD Recommendation:** Provide \$782 million, \$129 million less than the FY 2000 likely enacted level and \$63 million less than the ED request. While the intent of the Impact Aid program is to compensate districts for the loss of local revenue due to the presence of Federal property, this program is not designed in a manner that targets funds to those districts that are truly burdened by a Federal presence. The Impact Aid formula does not, for instance, take into account whether the presence of Federal property raises local property values, and thus the local property tax base, in some communities. Nor does it factor in the other benefits, both quantitative and qualitative, that Federal land brings to a community.<sup>1</sup> Thus, the Impact Aid

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<sup>1</sup>These benefits include, for instance: jobs brought to the community by the Federal property (e.g., a military base), increased tourism, and patronage of local businesses by those living on the Federal property.

program, as currently designed, allocates some funding to districts that truly need it, and some funding to districts that greatly benefit from the presence of Federal property.

Impact Aid funds are also not targeted for any specific educational purpose; schools can use these funds as they use local school funds. Finally, the design of this program has not changed through the years to reflect the increase in State funding for education relative to local funding.<sup>2</sup>

Impact Aid has been a low priority for this Administration – in fact, it has been a low priority for the past several Administrations. This Administration’s Budgets have consistently cut Impact Aid from the previous year’s enacted level in order to make room to pay for other priorities. Since this program is a Congressional priority, Congress always provides significantly more than the request. We can expect the same to happen this year. Therefore, consistent with previous Budgets, the PAD Recommendation is to reduce this program significantly from the FY 2000 likely enacted level.

The Administration’s ESEA reauthorization proposal makes several funding formula changes that attempt to target more funding to those districts most burdened by the presence of Federally connected children and Federal property (these changes do not, however, significantly change the structure of this program, nor do they fully address the problems noted above). In previous years, the Administration has proposed, and Congress has rejected, similar formula changes in appropriations language. The PAD Recommendation incorporates the funding formula changes made in the Administration’s ESEA reauthorization proposal.

There are six Impact Aid programs: Basic Support Payments, Payments for Children with Disabilities, Heavily Impacted Districts, Facilities Maintenance, Construction, and Payments for Federal Properties.

**Basic Support Payments:** This program provides funding to about 1,500 school districts with Federally connected children (the Administration’s ESEA reauthorization proposal would reduce it to about 1,000 school districts). The Administration has made a commitment to provide funds for children with parents in the armed services who live and work on a Federal facility (formerly called “military a’s”) and for children who live on Indian lands.

Every year, the Administration proposes legislative language designed to target Basic Support Payments to “military a” children (the Administration’s ESEA reauthorization would also target payments to these children), and children living on Indian lands. But, every year, Congress ignores this request and continues to provide payments on the basis of additional categories of children that the Administration does not believe create a burden on local school districts.

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<sup>2</sup>In other words, this program does not allocate less funds to LEAs in States where most education funding comes from the State (e.g., North Carolina), even though LEAs in these States are less burdened by the loss of property tax revenue due to the presence of Federal property.

**Option 1, ED Request:** The Department requests \$740 million, \$3 million more than the FY 2000 likely enacted level.

**Option 2, PAD Recommendation at Guidance:** Provide \$720 million, a \$17 million cut from the FY 2000 likely enacted level. This reduction is consistent with the reductions proposed in previous years.

**Children with Disabilities:** This program provides supplemental assistance to school districts that are deprived of local revenue due to a Federal presence, providing a portion of the cost of educating Federally-connected disabled children that, in other districts, is met with local funds.

**Option 1, ED Request:** Provide \$40 million, the same as the FY 2000 Budget, and \$10 million less than the FY 2000 likely enacted level.

**Option 2, PAD Recommendation at Guidance:** Provide \$40 million, the same as ED's request, and \$10 million less than the FY 2000 likely enacted level. This reduction is also consistent with the reductions proposed in previous years.

**Heavily Impacted Districts:** This program provides additional assistance to districts with a large number or proportion of federally connected students.

**Option 1, ED Request:** Provide \$20 million. ED argues that the Administration's ESEA Reauthorization proposal better targets these payments to the most heavily burdened LEAs.

**Option 2, PAD Recommendation at Guidance:** Provide no funding for this program. These districts would still be eligible for funds under the other Impact Aid programs. This recommendation is consistent with the Administration's previous Budgets.

**Facilities Maintenance:** This program provides funds for emergency repairs and capital improvements for 50 Department of Education-owned schools located on military bases, and to eventually transfer these schools to local school districts.

**Option 1, ED Request:** Provide \$5 million, the same as the FY 2000 likely enacted level.

**Option 2, PAD Recommendation at Guidance:** Provide \$5 million, the same as ED's request. These schools are owned by the Department of Education, and maintenance on many of these schools has been delayed for years.

**Construction:** This program provides formula grants for school infrastructure improvement to districts with high concentrations of "military a's" and children on Indian lands. Of the \$10 million provided to this program in the FY 2000 likely enacted level, \$3 million was earmarked

for specific programs.

**Option 1, ED Request:** Provide \$30 million, \$20 million more than the likely enacted level. ED argues that this proposal will complement the Administration's School Modernization Bond proposal, and will provide school construction funds to LEAs who do not have a sufficient tax base to issue school construction bonds.

**Option 2, PAD Recommendation at Guidance:** Provide \$7 million, a straightline from the FY 2000 likely enacted level net of the \$3 million in earmarks. LEAs can also use other Impact Aid funds to pay for school renovation and construction. Also, despite ED's assertions, some of these LEAs could take advantage of the Administration's \$25 billion School Modernization proposal.

**Payments for Federal Properties:** These funds compensate districts for the Federal ownership of local land. The Administration's ESEA Reauthorization tightens the eligibility requirements for these payments so to target them to the schools most genuinely burdened by the presence of Federal property. Under these new requirements, 130 LEAs would be eligible for payments, compared to 240 under the current formula.

**Option 1, ED Request:** \$20 million, \$12 million less than the FY 2000 likely enacted level.

**Option 2, The PAD Recommendation at Guidance:** \$10 million, \$22 million less than the FY 2000 likely enacted level, and \$10 million less than ED's request. Though the Administration had requested no funds for this program in previous years, the Administration's ESEA reauthorization better targets this program to the most burdened school districts. Still, given the total PAD Recommendation for Impact Aid, only \$10 million is requested.

## Impact Aid Budget

Enacted FY'99 864m

Proposed FY'00 736m

Enacted FY'00 911m

Payments for Children with Disabilities

Basic Support Payments

Payments for heavily impacted districts – zero out

Payments for federal property -- \$\$ regardless of number of kids – zero out

Facilities maintenance and construction

Title I

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Competitive Grants

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After school