

the Bureau of the Budget feels they have good data. Nothing. And if it is 50-percent full, we will know that you feel it is 50-percent accurate. Do you follow me?

Mr. ZWICK. Yes; I follow you very well.

Representative RUMSFELD. You make the judgment, I do not make the judgment.

Mr. ZWICK. I follow you very clearly.

Representative RUMSFELD. There is that slip.

Chairman PATMAN. And if you can supply it, his successor will be available, I am sure, after Monday.

(The following material was subsequently supplied by the Bureau of the Budget in response to the suggestion of the Chairman:)

MATERIAL SUBMITTED BY BUDGET DIRECTOR ZWICK

As I indicated during my appearance before the Committee, dollar figures and reliable program information underlying each function and subfunction used in the functional classification of the budget are generally available, either in the budget documents printed by the Bureau of the Budget or in the extensive justification materials provided by the agencies to the Appropriations Committees of Congress.

Table 17 of the regular budget document (pages 527-530) summarizes budget outlays by function and subfunction. Code numbers are shown for each function and subfunction. Table 14 of the budget (pages 513-524) moves to a greater level of detail, showing the agencies included under each subfunction. A still more detailed breakdown is provided in Part 4 of the budget (pages 173-479), where each appropriation account of the Government is shown, by agency, with the subfunctional code number identified for each account.

A discussion of the program content of each function is included in the budget in Part 3, "Federal Activities by Function" (pages 67-171). Part 3 describes, through text and tables, the programs covered by the budget, classified by function, including relevant tables and charts on beneficiaries, workloads, or other available output measures. Samples of these tables are enclosed as Attachment A.

Additional information of this type is presented in the Appendix volume of the budget, and, as noted above, in the agency justification materials.

The Special Analyses volume contains various cross-cutting views of Federal programs which are more comprehensive than the functional categories and cover *all* activities in particular fields, even if the activity has a different primary purpose. Among the fields covered are education, manpower, health, and crime reduction.

As in the case of Part 3, these Analyses, through text and tables, portray the programs involved in each field and—to the extent available—provide data on numbers and characteristics of the beneficiaries. Samples of tables printed in the Special Analyses are enclosed as Attachment B.

In the 1970 Special Analysis volume of the budget, a new Analysis is printed entitled "Selected Agency Budgets by Program Categories." This Analysis, a copy of which is also enclosed, presents for the first time the budget authority of most Government agencies classified in terms of the program structures used in their Planning-Programming-Budgeting (PPB) systems.

As part of the PPB system, staff of the Bureau of the Budget and other executive branch agencies are using available data on benefits and beneficiaries of various programs in an attempt to identify the most efficient approaches to achieving program objectives. As the system progresses, there is every reason to expect that the agencies will continue their efforts to obtain more reliable data and improve the methods of measuring the efficiency of alternative means of reaching specified goals.