

Continuing Resolution – FY 2013 - First Half Year of Operations

H.J. Res. 117 provides continuing appropriations for the period October 1, 2012 through March 27, 2013. Refer to <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/BILLS-112hires117enr/pdf/BILLS-112hires117enr.pdf> for the full text of this legislation. Sections of H.J. Res. 117 applicable to the U.S. National Institutes of Health (NIH) include:

Section 101 (a) (7) provides continued funding for the Superfund Research account as part of the Department of the Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies area.

Section 101 (a) (8) provides continued funding for Institutes and Centers' under Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies area.

Section 101 (b) defines the basis for calculating the rate of operations as the account total.

Section 101 (c) increases the rate of operations across-the-board for discretionary budget authority accounts by 0.612 percent above the FY 2012 level.

Section 109 requires that programs restrict funding actions so as not to impinge on the final funding prerogatives of the Congress.

Section 110 requires that the joint resolution be implemented so that only the most limited funding actions shall be taken in order to provide for continuation of projects and activities.

Section 111 funds entitlements and mandatory payments, i.e. Special Type 1 Diabetes research account.