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# 103 Bill Profile H. Con. Res. 218 (1993-1994)

CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET RESOLUTION FOR FISCAL YEARS 1995-99

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Last Action: Senate Appropriations Committee completed its review of subcommittee allocations of budget outlays and new budget authority allocated to the committee in H. Con. Res. 218, and agreed to report to the Senate under the provisions of 602(b) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974

Ohrough House Senate President Law

### Summary

Resolution setting forth the congressional budget for the U.S. Government for fiscal years 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, and 1999.

#### **CRS Index Terms**

Federal budgets; Actions and defenses; Administrative procedure--Department of the; Treasury; Aggression--Russia; Aggression--Russian Republic; Alien labor; Aliens; American military assistance; Arms sales; Balanced budgets; Ballistic missile defenses; Banks and banking; Birth control; Block grants; Budget deficits; Budgets; Business; Campaign funds; Child nutrition; Child support; Children; Civil service pensions; Congress; Congressional budget; Congressional budget process; Congressional committees (House); Congressional committees (Senate); Congressional Record; Continental shelf; Corporation taxes; Cost effectiveness; Courthouses; Crime and criminals; Criminal justice; Day care; Defense budgets; Defense economics; Defensepolicy; Deposit insurance; Diesel motor; Disaster relief; Drug abuse; Drug law enforcement; Economic growth; Economic policy; Economic warfare; Education; Elections; Elementary and secondary education; Elementary education; Emergency management; Emergency medical services; Employee health benefits; Energy; Energy assistance for the poor; Energy policy; Energy security; Entitlements; Environmental protection; Excise tax; Executive departments--National Aeronautics & Space Admin.; Executive departments--Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation; Executive impoundment of appropriated funds; Expedited congressional procedure; Families; Federal aid highway program; Federal aid to child health services; Federal aid to child welfare; Federal aid to education; Federal aid to health facilities; Federal aid to law enforcement agencies; Federal aid to maternal health services; Federal aid to transportation; Federal aid to Indians; Federal employees; Federal installations--Department of Energy; Federal installations-Missouri; Federal receipts and expenditures; Federal-local relations; Federal-state relations; Federally-guaranteed loans; Finance; Food; Foreign aid; Foreign corporations; Foreign policy--Central Europe; Foreign policy--Eastern Europe; Foreign policy--Estonia; Foreign policy--Europe; Foreign policy--Latvia; Foreign policy--Lithuania; Foreign trade; Fuel; Furniture industry; Government attorneys;

Government consultants; Government corporations; Government employees; Government lending; Government property; Government spending reductions; Government trust funds; Hazardous substances; Health care reform; Health insurance; Health policy; Homeless; Hours of labor; House rules and procedure; Household workers; Illegal aliens; Immigration; Imprisonment; Income tax; Indian medical care; Infrastructure; Insurance premiums; Intergovernmental fiscal relations; International affairs; International finance; International military forces; Item veto; Job hunting; Job training; Labor; Law; Law enforcement officers-Department of; Justice; Layoffs; Legislation-Costs; Legislative amendments; Legislative resolutions; Liability for toxic substances pollution damages; Literacy programs; Location of industries; Manpower training programs; Marine resources; Married people; Medical care; Medical economics; Medicare; Medicine; Merchant marine; Military intervention; Military research; Mines and mineral resources; Minimum wages; Minorities; Narcotic traffic; Natural resources; Ocean mining; Off-budget expenditures; Office equipment and supplies; Old age, survivors and disability insurance; Parole; Pension trust quaranty insurance; Pensions; Plant shutdowns; Preschool education; Presidential commissions; Presidential messages; Presidents; Preventive medicine; Prisoners; Privatization; Public assistance programs; Public contracts; Public debt; Refugee policy; Refugees; Regulatory reform; Rehabilitation of criminals; Research and development; Science policy; Secondary education; Senate rules and procedure; Social security; Social security taxes; Solid wastes; Sovereignty; Space activities; Space programs; Space warfare; State and local government; State laws; Sulphur; Tax administration; Tax expenditures; Tax havens; Tax incentives; Tax rates; Taxation; Taxation of foreign income; Taxpayers; Technology; Teenage pregnancy; Trade; Trade agreements; Transportation; Treatment and rehabilitation of narcotic addicts; Unemployment insurance; Unfair labor practices; United Nations finances; Vaccination; Water resources; Water supply; Weapons systems; Welfare; Women

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Title I: Levels and Amounts

- Establishes the budget for FY 1995 and sets forth appropriate budgetary outlays, deficits, public debt, and credit activity. (Sec. 3) Sets forth Social Security trust fund revenues and outlays for Senate enforcement purposes.

(Sec. 4) Sets forth funding levels for each major functional category.

Title II: Budgetary Procedures

- Expresses the sense of the Congress that: (1) the Government should sell assets from time to time; and (2) the amounts realized from such sales will not recur on an annual basis and do not reduce the demand for credit.

- (Sec. 22) Prohibits consideration of budget resolutions, and amendments thereto, which provide for a reduction in the Social Security surplus.
- (Sec. 23) Establishes Senate pay-as-you-go enforcement procedures effective through FY 2004.
- (Sec. 24) Establishes Senate procedures to enforce lower discretionary
- spending limits than those provided in the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (Gramm-Rudman-Hollings).
- (Sec. 25) Provides for budgetary adjustments to reflect additional new budget authority or outlays for the Internal Revenue Service compliance initiative activities.
- (Sec. 26) Provides for adjusting budget authority, outlays, and new entitlement authority if health care reform legislation is reported in the House of Representatives.
- (Sec. 27) Allows for revised spending allocations and revenue aggregates in the Senate for legislation that increases funding for certain purposes when legislation has been reported that will not, if enacted, increase the deficit for FY 1995 through 1999.

Title III: Sense of Congress Provisions

- Expresses the sense of the Congress that legislation should be enacted providing enforeable limits to control the growth of entitlement or mandatory spending.
- (Sec. 32) Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that the following legislation should be enacted: (1) legislation providing enforceable limits to control the growth of entitlement or mandatory spending; (2) amendments to the Budget Enforcement Act of 1990 to establish a regular procedure to provide assistance for disasters and other emergencies without adding to the deficits; (3) legislation granting the President expedited rescission authority over appropriations measures.
- (Sec. 33) Expresses the sense of the Senate on controlling the non-Social Security mandatory spending after health care reform legislation is enacted.
- (Sec. 34) Expresses the sense of the Congress with respect to budgetary accounting of health care reform, reimbursing State and local governments for illegal immigration costs, baseline budgeting, and the cost to State and local governments of unfunded Federal mandates.
- (Sec. 38) Expresses the sense of the Senate regarding closing loopholes in foreign tax provisions, creating targets for the growth in and the budget authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.
- (Sec. 40) Expresses the sense of the Congress on funding health service delivery and water infrastructure in the Indian Health Service.

(Sec. 42) Expresses the sense of the Senate on the minimum allocation program for Federal-aid highways.

(Sec. 43) Expresses the sense of the Congress that levels of spending set forth in this resolution regarding the Internaitonal Affairs budget category include an assumption that the United States will oppose attempts by the Russian Federation to intimidate, use military force, or engage in economic coercion to establish a sphere of influence over the former republics of the Soviet Union, the Baltics, or Central and Eastern European nations.

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#### Actions (33)

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Date ^	Type	Action	Links
Session 2			
May 19, 1994	status	Senate Appropriations Committee completed its review of subcommittee allocations of budget outlays and new budget authority allocated to the committee in H. Con. Res. 218, and agreed to report to the Senate under the provisions of 602(b) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974	140 Cong Rec D 575
May 12, 1994	status	Senate agreed to the conference report on the budget resolution, by a recorded vote of 53 yeas and 46 nays (Vote No. 113)	
May 11, 1994	status	Senate began consideration of the conference report on the budget resolution	140 Cong Rec S 5543
May 11, 1994	status	Senate reached a unanimous-consent time agreement providing for further consideration of the conference report on Thursday, May 12, 1994, with a vote to occur thereon	140 Cong Rec S 5543

		Conferees, on Wednesday, May 4, agreed to file a conference report on
May 05, 1994	status	the differences between the Senate- 140 Cong Rec D 499 and House-passed versions of the budget resolution
May 05, 1994	status	H. Res. 418, the rule waiving points of order against consideration of the conference report, was agreed to in the 140 Cong Rec H 3143 House, by a recorded vote of 228 yeas and 168 nays ( Roll No. 160)
May 05, 1994	status	Agreed to in the House, by a recorded vote of 220 yeas and 183 nays clearing the measure for Senate action (Roll No. 161)
May 05, 1994	status	Senate reached a unanimous-consent agreement providing for further consideration of the conference report, on Wednesday, May 11, 1994
May 04, 1994	status	House Rules Committee granted a rule, by a recorded vote of 7 yeas and 4 nays, the rule provides for one hour of debate on the conference report on the budget resolution. All points of order against the conference report and 140 Cong Rec D 487 against its consideration are waived. Finally, in section 2, the rule provides that Rule 49 will not apply upon the adoption of the conference report on the budget
May 04, 1994 May 04, 1994	status	Conference report on H. Con. Res. 218, reported in the House (H. Rept. 490)  H. Res. 418, waving points of order against the conference report on the budget resolution, reported in the
May 03, 1994	status	House (H. Rept. 494)  Conferees received permission to have until midnight to file a conference 140 Cong Rec H 2981 report on the resolution
April 20, 1994	status	Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of the 140 Cong Rec D 413 resolution, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call
April 18, 1994	status	Remarks by Rep. Roukema NJ 140 Cong Rec E 695

April 14, 1994	status	House disagreed to the Senate amendment to the resolution; and agreed to conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Sabo, Gephardt, Kildee, Beilenson, Berman, Wise, Bryant, Stenholm, Frank of Massachusetts, Slaughter, Kasich, McMillan, Kolbe, Shays, Snowe, and Herger	140 Cong Rec H 2356
April 14, 1994	status	House rejected the Kasich motion to instruct conferees to agree to the Senate amendment reflecting a \$26 billion reduction in the deficit over five years by agreeing to reduce the total spending levels specified in the House-passed resolution by specified amounts; and to agree to the Senate amendment which provides that if the President's defense budget request is approved, no further cuts be made in defense, by a recorded vote of 202 yeas and 216 nays (D 43-210; R 159-6) ( Roll No. 112)	140 Cong Rec H 2358
April 12, 1994	status	Senate requested the concurrence of the House	140 Cong Rec H 2175
March 25, 1994	status	Passed in the Senate, after striking all after the resolving clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. Con. Res. 63, Senate companion measure, as amended, by a recorded vote of 57 years and 40 nays (D 55-0; R 2-40) ( Vote No. 82)	140 Cong Rec S 3833
March 25, 1994	status	Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Sasser, Hollings, Johnston, Domenici, and Grassley	140 Cong Rec S 3860
March 18, 1994	status	Remarks by Rep. Coleman TX	140 Cong Rec E 488
March 16, 1994	status	Placed on the Senate calendar	140 Cong Rec S 3066
March 15, 1994	status	House requested the concurrence of the Senate	140 Cong Rec S 2962

March 11, 1994	status	Agreed to in the House, by recorded vote of 223 yeas and 175 nays (D; 140 Cong Rec H 1258 223-11, R; 0-164) (Roll No. 56)
March 11, 1994	status	House rejected Mfume amendment in the nature of a substitute that sought to reduce defense spending levels and transfer the majority of those savings to increases in domestic spending in such areas as health care, aid to the homeless, crime prevention, housing, and education, by a recorded vote of 81 yeas and 326 nays (D; 78-162, R; 3-164) ( Roll No. 54)
March 11, 1994	status	House rejected Kasich amendment in the nature of a substitute that sought to peovide an additional \$147.5 billion in deficit reduction over the five-year plan adopted by Congress, reduce net spending by \$266.6 billion over the next five years, and provide a \$61.1 billion increase in defense spending; while providing a \$500 per child tax credit in 140 Cong Rec H 1296 fiscal year 1995 for families earning less than \$200,000; indexing capital gains; restoring fully deductible IRA accounts; and fully funding a proposed market-based health care reform and welfare reform proposals, by a recorded vote of 165 yeas and 243 nays (D; 7-234, R; 158-9) (Roll No. 55)
March 10, 1994	status	House agreed to H. Res. 384, the rule under which the concurrent resolution is being considered, by a recorded vote 140 Cong Rec H 1162 of 245 yeas and 171 nays (D; 245-1, R; 0-170) ( Roll No. 50)
March 10, 1994	status	House completed all general debate and began consideration of amendments on the concurrent resolution, but came to no resolution 140 Cong Rec H 1170 thereon. Further consideration of amendments will resume on Friday, March 11

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		House rejected Frank of		
		Massachusetts amendment in the		
		nature of a substitute that sought to		
March 10, 1994	status	reduce the Defense budget authority by 140 Cong Rec H 1215		
		\$2.4 billion, by a recorded vote of 105		
		yeas and 313 nays (D; 93-153, R;		
		12-160) ( Roll No. 51)		
		House rejected Solomon amendment in		
		the nature of a substitute, as modified,		
		that sought to reduce the President's		
March 10, 1994	status	proposed budget reduction by an 140 Cong Rec H 1230		
		additional \$600 billion, by a recorded		
		vote of 73 yeas and 342 nays (D; 54-0,		
		R; 2-42) ( Roll No. 52)		
March 09, 1994	status	House Rules Committee granted a rule 140 Cong Rec D 225		
		H. Res. 384, providing for the		
March 09, 1994	status	consideration of H. Con. Res. 218, 140 Cong Rec H 1156		
		reported in the House (H. Rept. 429)		
		House Budget Committee received		
March 08, 1994	status	permission to have until midnight 140 Cong Rec H 1086		
		tonight to file a report on the resolution		
March 08, 1994	status	Reported in the House (H. Rept. 428) 140 Cong Rec H 1087		

## **Primary Sponsor**

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# Bill Text (5)

Version: 103 H. Con. Res. 218 Enrolled

Date: May 12, 1994 (103th Congress, 2th Session)

Summary: Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring),

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Version: 103 H. Con. Res. 218 Placed on Calendar Senate

Date: March 16, 1994 (103th Congress, 2th Session)

Summary: Setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1995,

1996, 1997, 1998, and 1999.

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Version: 103 H. Con. Res. 218 Engrossed in House

Date: March 11, 1994 (103th Congress, 2th Session)

Summary: Setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1995,

1996, 1997, 1998, and 1999.

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Version: 103 H. Con. Res. 218 Reported in House

Date: March 08, 1994 (103th Congress, 2th Session)

Summary: Setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1995,

1996, 1997, 1998, and 1999.

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Version: 103 H. Con. Res. 218 Engrossed Amendment Senate

Date: January 01, 1994 (103th Congress, 2th Session)

Summary: Concurrent resolution setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the

fiscal years 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, and 1999

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#### Related Publications (18)

Title: Comprehensive Budget Process Reform Act of 1999

Date: August 05, 1999 (106th Congress, 1st Session)

Publication: Reports on Public Bill

Summary Recommends passage, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, of H.R. 853, the

Comprehensive Budget Process Reform Act of 1999, to amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974, and the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 to revise the Federal budget process.

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Title: Full Budget Disclosure Act of 1994

Date: August 09, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: Reports on Public Bill

Summary Recommends passage, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, of H.R. 4907, the Full Budget

Disclosure Act of 1994, to amend the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 and the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to require that budget documents provided to Congress contain comprehensive data on budget trends, including a comparison of current and projected spending and

revenues founded on baselines with and without inflation adjustments.

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Title: Congressional Record-May 12, 1994

Date: May 12, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: Congressional Record Bound; Congressional Record

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Title: Federal Budget—Fiscal Years 1995—1999

Date: May 12, 1994 (103th Congress, )

Publication: Statutes at Large; Concurrent resolutions

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Title: Congressional Record-May 11, 1994

Date: May 11, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: Congressional Record Bound; Congressional Record

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Title: Congressional Record-May 5, 1994

Date: May 05, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: Congressional Record Bound; Congressional Record

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Title: Waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany House concurrent resolution 218

Date: May 04, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: House and Senate Reports

Summary Recommends adoption of H. Res. 418, to waive points of order against the conference report to

accompany H. Con. Res. 218.

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Title: Congressional Record-May 4, 1994

Date: May 04, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: Congressional Record Bound; Congressional Record

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Title: Concurrent Resolution on the Budget, FY95

Date: May 04, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: Reports on Public Bill

Summary Conference report on H. Con. Res. 218, to establish the FY95 Congressional budget and set targets

and enforceable limits for FY96-FY99 spending and revenue legislation.

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Title: Congressional Record-April 14, 1994

Date: April 14, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

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Title: Congressional Record-March 25, 1994

Date: March 25, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

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Date: March 11, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

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Title: Congressional Record-March 10, 1994

Date: March 10, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

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Title: Congressional Record-March 9, 1994

Date: March 09, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: Congressional Record Bound; Congressional Record

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Title: Providing for consideration of House Concurrent Resolution 218

Date: March 09, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: House and Senate Reports

Summary Recommends adoption with amendments of H. Res. 384, to provide for consideration of H. Con. Res.

218.

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Title: Congressional Record-March 8, 1994

Date: March 08, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: Congressional Record Bound; Congressional Record

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Title: Concurrent Resolution on the Budget, FY95

Date: March 08, 1994 (103th Congress, 2nd Session)

Publication: Reports on Public Bill

Summary Report in explanation of H. Con. Res. 218 (text, p. 211-227), to establish the FY95 Congressional

budget and set targets and enforceable limits for FY96-FY99 spending and revenue legislation.

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