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February 13, 2018

The Section 809 Panel is a congressionally mandated panel designed to be a catalyst that restores agility and simplicity to defense acquisition through bold and effective recommendations.

Good morning! We found several articles that you may be interested in.

Pentagon unveils $686 billion military budget for FY19
February 12, 2018 | Joe Gould and Tara Copp

U.S. President Donald Trump's fiscal 2019 budget is requesting $686.1 billion in military funding, with a focus on great power competition with Russia and China, the Pentagon announced Monday morning.

The request includes $617 billion in base budget funding and $69 billion in cap-exempt wartime funds, part of the administration's expected $716 billion national security request (which includes Department of Energy nuclear programs).

Defense Secretary Jim Mattis told reporters Sunday the new two-year budget agreement would allow the military to be reshaped "back to a position of primacy."

The administration's new national security strategy is prioritizing strategic competition with near-peer adversaries over counterterrorism. With the respite from budget instability, the Pentagon is rebuilding "to address the changing forms of warfare and to bring the current capabilities up," Mattis said.

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Other Articles of Interest

Pentagon 2019 budget: Here's what the military wants to buy
February 12, 2018 | Tara Copp

The National Defense Strategy: A Compelling Call for Defense Innovation
February 12, 2018 | Steve Blank

5 Reasons The Army Must Keep Modernizing Today's Weapons While It Tries To Leap Ahead
February 12, 2018 | Loren Thompson

Developing an Agile Space Architecture: Bringing the DoD into the Information Age
February 13, 2018 | John Hoehn

Trump Budget Gouges Non-Defense R&D by 19 Percent
February 12, 2018 | Jack Corrigan

Everything You Need to Know About Trump's 2019 Budget Request

February 12, 2018 | Brendan McGarry

Trump's 2019 budget calls for 2.6 percent pay raise, thousands more troops
February 12, 2018 | Leo Shane III and Tara Copp

Trump budget shaves $1 billion from foreign military financing
February 12, 2018 | Joe Gould

Trump 2019 Budget Boosts Cyber Spending But Cuts Research
February 12, 2018 | Joseph Marks

Funding to deter Russia reaches $6.5B in FY19 defense budget request
February 12, 2018 | Jen Judson

Army's $182 billion FY19 budget request seeks to fill capability gaps
February 12, 2018 | Jen Judson

US Navy wants more sailors, jets and an extra ship in 2019
February 12, 2018 | David B. Larter

Air Force budget calls for more planes, drones — and a lot more bombs
February 12, 2018 | Stephen Losey

VA spending up again in Trump's fiscal 2019 budget plan
February 12, 2018 | Leo Shane III

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