

ORDER NO. 3211

SIGNATURE DATE: February 7, 2000

Subject: Realignment of the Bureau of Indian Affairs' Education Facilities Management

Sec. 1 Purpose. This Order realigns education facilities management within the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) in order to strengthen and clarify certain management responsibilities relating to the implementation of education facility maintenance, rehabilitation and repair programs.

Sec. 2 Authority. This Order is issued in accordance with the authority provided by Section 2 of Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1950 (64 Stat. 1262, 5 U.S.C. App.).

Sec. 3 Organizational Changes and Structure. Responsibility for BIA's education facilities maintenance is transferred from the Office of Indian Education Programs in Washington, D.C., to the Office of Facilities Management and Construction in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Sec. 4 Administrative Provisions. The Assistant Secretary B Policy, Management and Budget is responsible for implementing this Order, including the appropriate transfer of personnel, funds, programs, records and property. This Order authorizes the transfer of \$27,822,000 in FY 2000 funds from BIA's Operation of Indian Programs Account to the Facilities Improvement and Repair Program under BIA's Construction Account.

Sec. 5 Effective Date. This Order is effective immediately and will remain in effect until its provisions are converted to the Departmental Manual or until it is amended, superseded or revoked, whichever comes first. In the absence of the foregoing actions, the provisions of this Order will terminate and be considered obsolete on September 30, 2000.

/s/ Bruce Babbitt
Secretary of the Interior

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