

# FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

SHOWING ORIGIN OF FEDERAL AGENCIES OF CURRENT INTEREST

## Administration of Food Production and Distribution

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 9322, Mar. 26, 1943, 8 F.R. 3807, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. Consolidates into one agency within Department of Agriculture, the Food Production Administration, except the Farm Credit Administration, the Food Distribution Administration, the Commodity Credit Corporation and the Extension Service. Consolidated into a War Food Administration by Ex. Ord. No. 9334, April 19, 1943, 8 F.R. 5423.

## Advisory Commission to Council of National Defense

Created pursuant to Act Aug. 29, 1916, ch. 418 § 2, 39 Stat. 649. Decentralized by merging most of its divisions with other newly created national defense units.

## Agricultural Conservation and Adjustment Administration

Created as wartime agency in Department of Agriculture by Ex. Ord. No. 9069, Feb. 23, 1942, 7 F.R. 1409, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. Consolidated, excepting Sugar Agency thereof, with other agencies into Food Production Administration of Department of Agriculture by Ex. Ord. No. 9280, Dec. 5, 1942, 7 F.R. 10179, 5 U.S.C. § 514 note. The Sugar Agency thereof was consolidated by the same order into Food Distribution Administration of Department of Agriculture.

## Agricultural Marketing Administration

Created as wartime agency in Department of Agriculture by Ex. Ord. No. 9069, Feb. 23, 1942, 7 F.R. 1409, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. Consolidated with other agencies into Food Distribution Administration of Department of Agriculture by Ex. Ord. No. 9280, Dec. 5, 1942, 7 F.R. 10179, 5 U.S.C. § 514 note.

## Agricultural Marketing Service

Established by Memorandum No. 830 of Secretary of Agriculture July 7, 1939, pursuant to Agricultural Appropriation Act of 1940. Agricultural Statistics Division transferred to Bureau of Agricultural Economics, and remainder of Service consolidated with other agencies into Agricultural Marketing Administration for duration of war and six months thereafter by Ex. Ord. No. 9069, Feb. 23, 1942, 7 F.R. 1409, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

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## Agricultural Research Administration

Created in Department of Agriculture by Ex. Ord. No. 9069, Feb. 23, 1942, 7 F.R. 1409, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. Functions of the Bureau of Animal Industry thereof, concerned primarily with regulatory activities, were consolidated into Food Distribution Administration of Department of Agriculture by Ex. Ord. No. 9280, Dec. 5, 1942, 7 F.R. 10179, 5 U.S.C. § 514 note.

## Alien Property Custodian

Established in the Office for Emergency Management of the Executive Office of the President by Ex. Ord. No. 9095, Mar. 11, 1942, 7 F.R. 1971, as amended by Ex. Ord. No. 9193, July 6, 1942, 7 F.R. 5205. Functions delegated to Department of Justice by Ex. Ord. No. 6694, May 1, 1934, and Ex. Ord. No. 8136, May 15, 1939, 4 F.R. 2044, were transferred to Alien Property Custodian by Ex. Ord. No. 9142, April 21, 1942, 7 F.R. 2985.

## Army Specialist Corps

Established in War Department by Ex. Ord. No. 9078, Feb. 26, 1942, 7 F.R. 1607, and to continue six months after termination of present war. Consolidated with Army Officer Procurement System according to War Dept. press release, Oct. 31, 1942.

## Board for Civilian Protection

Created in Office of Civilian Defense by Ex. Ord. No. 8757, May 20, 1941, 6 F.R. 2517.

## Board of Economic Operations

Created in Department of State by Departmental Order 973, Oct. 7, 1941.

## Board of Economic Warfare

Created as Economic Defense Board by Ex. Ord. No. 8839, July 30, 1941, 6 F.R. 3823. Renamed by Ex. Ord. No. 8982, Dec. 17, 1941, 6 F.R. 6530. Terminated, and functions, powers, and duties transferred to Office of Economic Warfare, by Ex. Ord. No. 9361, July 15, 1943, 8 F.R. 9861, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. See also Office of Export Control, this list.

## Board of War Communications

Created as Defense Communications Board by Ex. Ord. No. 8546, Sept. 24, 1940, 5 F.R. 3817. Renamed by Ex. Ord. No. 9183, June 15, 1942, 7 F.R. 4509.

**Bureau of Industry Advisory Committees**

Created in Office of Production Management by Regulation No. 12, Jan. 14, 1942, 7 F.R. 580, superseding Regulation No. 7, June 24, 1941, 6 F.R. 3153 and Regulation No. 7-A, No. 4, 1941, 6 F.R. 5728. Abolished and functions and powers transferred to War Production Board by Ex. Ord. No. 9040, Jan. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 527.

**Bureau of Research and Statistics**

Created by Office of Production Management Regulation No. 4, March 7, 1941, 6 F.R. 1595. Abolished and functions and powers transferred to War Production Board by Ex. Ord. No. 9040, Jan. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 527.

**Bureau of Selective Service**

Established in the War Manpower Commission by Administrative Order No. 26, Dec. 5, 1942, 7 F.R. 10512.

**Censorship Operating Board**

Created in Office of Censorship by Ex. Ord. No. 8985, Dec. 19, 1941, 6 F.R. 6625.

**Censorship Policy Board**

Created in Office of Censorship by Ex. Ord. No. 8985, Dec. 19, 1941, 6 F.R. 6625.

**Civilian Conservation Corps**

Created by Act June 28, 1937, ch. 383, 50 Stat. 319, to succeed agency known as Emergency Conservation Work which was established by Ex. Ord. No. 6101, Apr. 5, 1933. On July 1, 1939, Corps was made part of Federal Security Agency in accordance with Reorg. Plan No. I, 5 U.S.C. § 133T note. Liquidation on or before June 30, 1944, provided for in Acts July 2, 1942, ch. 475, title II, 56 Stat. 569, and July 12, 1943, ch. 221, title II, 57 Stat. 498.

**Civilian Defense Board**

Created in Office of Civilian Defense by Ex. Ord. 9134, Apr. 18, 1942, 7 F.R. 2887.

**Combined Food Board—United States and Great Britain**

Created jointly by President of United States and Prime Minister of Great Britain, June 9, 1942.

**Combined Production and Resources Board—United States and Great Britain**

Created jointly by President of United States and Prime Minister of Great Britain, June 9, 1942.

**Combined Raw Materials Board—United States and Great Britain**

Created by President of United States and Prime Minister of Great Britain, Jan. 26, 1942.

**Combined Shipping and Adjustment Board—United States and Great Britain**

Created by President of United States and Prime Minister of Great Britain, Jan. 26, 1942.

**Committee for Congested Production Areas**

Established by Ex. Ord. No. 9327, Apr. 7, 1943, 8 F.R. 4683.

**Committee on Fair Employment Practice**

Established in Office of Production Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8802, June 25, 1941, 6 F.R. 3109. Amended by Ex. Ord. No. 8823, July 18, 1941, 6 F.R. 3577, and Ex. Ord. No. 9111, March 25, 1942, 7 F.R. 2330. Transferred from War Production Board to War Manpower Commission by President's letter of July 30, 1942, 7 F.R. 6239. New Committee on Fair Employment Practice established by Ex. Ord. No. 9346, May 27, 1943, 8 F.R. 7183.

**Commodity Exchange Administration**

Established in Department of Agriculture by Secretary's Memorandum No. 700, eff. July 1, 1936. Consolidated, for duration of war and six months thereafter, with other agencies into Agricultural Marketing Administration by Ex. Ord. No. 9069, Feb. 23, 1942, 7 F.R. 1409, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**Coordinator of Government Films**

President's letter of Dec. 18, 1941, 7 F.R. 55, ordered Director of Office of Government Reports to act also as Coordinator of Government Films for duration.

**Council of National Defense**

Established by Act Aug. 29, 1916, ch. 418, § 2, 39 Stat. 649, 50 U.S.C. §§ 1-4. Functions relating to explosives were transferred to Secretary of Interior by Ex. Ord. No. 9287, Dec. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 10900, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601.

**Defense Communications Board**

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 8546, Sept. 24, 1940, 5 F.R. 3817. Renamed Board of War Communications by Ex. Ord. No. 9183, June 15, 1942, 7 F.R. 4509.

**Defense Contract Service**

See Division of Contract Distribution, this list.

**Defense Homes Corporation**

Incorporation announced Oct. 25, 1940, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 606b. Consolidated with other agencies into National Housing Agency during present war by Ex. Ord. No. 9070, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1529, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. See also Ex. Ord. No. 9071, 7 F.R. 1531, transferring functions of Federal Loan Agency relating to said corporation to Department of Commerce.

**Defense Labor Advisory Committees**

Created in Office of Production Management by Regulation No. 8, July 8, 1941, 6 F.R. 3592, pursuant to Ex. Ord. No. 8629, Jan. 7, 1941, 6 F.R. 191. Abolished and functions and powers transferred to War Production Board by Ex. Ord. No. 9040, Jan. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 527.

**Defense Plant Corporation**

Created by Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Aug. 22, 1940, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 606b. Transferred from Federal Loan Agency to Department of Commerce by Ex. Ord. No. 9071, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1531, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**Defense Resources Committee**

See War Resources Council, this list.

**Defense Savings Staff**

Created by Treasury Order No. 39, March 19, 1941.

**Defense Supplies Corporation**

Created Aug. 29, 1940, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 606b. Functions of Federal Loan Agency relating thereto were transferred to Department of Commerce during present war by Ex. Ord. No. 9071, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1531, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**Disaster Loan Corporation**

Created Feb. 11, 1937 by 15 U.S.C. § 605k-1. Functions of Federal Loan Agency relating thereto were transferred to Department of Commerce during present war by Ex. Ord. No. 9071, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1531, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**Division of Civil Air Patrol**

Created in Office of Civilian Defense Dec. 1, 1941.

**Division of Contract Distribution**

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 8891, Sept. 4, 1941, 6 F.R. 4624. Supplants Defense Contract Service, created in Office of Production Management by Regulation No. 9, July 29, 1941, 6 F.R. 3889, pursuant to Ex. Ord. No. 8629, 6 F.R. 191.

**Division of Defense Aid Reports**

See Office of Lend-Lease Administration, this list.

**Division of Defense Housing Coordination**

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 8632, Jan. 11, 1941, 6 F.R. 295. Consolidated with other agencies into National Housing Agency during present war by Ex. Ord. No. 9070, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1529, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**Division of Press Intelligence**

Created in August, 1933, as unit of National Recovery Administration. Became a division of National Emergency Council, July 10, 1935. Transferred to Office of Government Reports by Reorg. Plan No. II, 5 U.S.C. § 133t note. Transferred and consolidated with other functions of said Office of Government Reports into Office of War Information by Ex. Ord. No. 9182, June 13, 1942, 7 F.R. 4468.

**Economic Defense Board**

See Board of Economic Warfare, this list.

**Economic Stabilization Board**

Established in the Office of Economic Stabilization by Ex. Ord. No. 9250, Oct. 3, 1942, 7 F.R. 7871.

**Electric Home and Farm Authority**

Incorporated Aug. 1, 1935. Designated a U. S. Agency by Ex. Ord. No. 7139, Aug. 12, 1935. Grouped in Federal Loan Agency by Reorg. Plan No. I, 5 U.S.C. § 133t note. Transferred to Department of Commerce by Ex. Ord. No. 9071, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1531. Terminated and liquidation ordered by Ex. Ord. No. 9256, Oct. 13, 1942, 7 F.R. 8334, 15 U.S.C. § 712a note.

**Export-Import Bank of Washington**

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 6581, Feb. 2, 1934. Grouped in Federal Loan Agency by Reorg. Plan No. I, 5 U.S.C. § 133t note. Transferred to Department of Commerce by Ex. Ord. No. 9071, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1531. Functions, powers, and duties transferred to Office of Economic Warfare by Ex. Ord. No. 9361, July 15, 1943, 8 F.R. 9861.

**Facility Security Program**

Created in Office of Civilian Defense by Ex. Ord. No. 9165, May 19, 1942, 7 F.R. 3765.

**Family Security Committee**

Created within Office of Defense Health and Welfare Services, by Administrative Order, Feb. 12, 1941.

**Farm Credit Administration**

Created as Federal Farm Board by 12 U.S.C. § 1141a. Renamed by Ex. Ord. No. 6084, Mar. 27, 1933. Transferred to Department of Agriculture by Reorg. Plan No. I, 5 U.S.C. § 133t note. Consolidated with other agencies into Food Production Administration of Department of Agriculture by Ex. Ord. No. 9280, Dec. 5, 1942, 7 F.R. 10179, 5 U.S.C. § 514 note.

**Farm Security Administration**

Created as Resettlement Administration by Ex. Ord. No. 7027, Apr. 30, 1935. Renamed by Secretary's Memorandum No. 732, Sept. 1, 1937, 2 F.R. 1800. Functions, powers, and duties relating to housing transferred to National Housing Agency by Ex. Ord. No. 9070, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1529. Consolidated with other agencies into Food Production Administration of Department of Agriculture by Ex. Ord. No. 9280, Dec. 5, 1942, 7 F.R. 10179, 5 U.S.C. § 514 note.

**Federal Bureau of Investigation**

Established as the Bureau of Investigation of the Department of Justice pursuant to Attorney General's order of Mar. 16, 1909, superseding investigative functions of the Department referred to Chief Examiner by Attorney General's order of July 26, 1908. Redesignated United States Bureau of Investigation on July 1, 1932. Functions transferred to Division of Investigation by Ex. Ord. No. 6166, § 3, June 10, 1933. Redesignated Federal Bureau of Investigation in Act Mar. 22, 1935, ch. 39, title H, 49 Stat. 77.

- Federal Home Loan Bank Administration**  
Created as unit of National Housing Agency by Ex. Ord. No. 9070, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1529, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.
- Federal National Mortgage Association**  
Established on Feb. 10, 1938, as The National Mortgage Association of Washington pursuant to 12 U.S.C. § 1716. Functions of Federal Loan Agency relating thereto were transferred to Department of Commerce during present war by Ex. Ord. No. 9071, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1531, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.
- Federal Public Housing Authority**  
Created as unit of National Housing Agency by Ex. Ord. No. 9070, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1529, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.
- Food and Drug Administration**  
Designated in Act Jan. 18, 1927, ch. 39, 44 Stat. 1002, as Food, Drug, and Insecticide Administration as agency of Department of Agriculture. Redesignated in Act May 27, 1930, ch. 341, 46 Stat. 422. Transferred to Federal Security Agency by Reorg. Plan, No. IV, 5 U.S.C. § 133t note.
- Food Distribution Administration of the Department of Agriculture**  
Consolidated with Food Production Administration and other agencies into the Administration of Food Production and Distribution, see this list.
- Food Production Administration of the Department of Agriculture**  
Consolidated with Food Distribution Administration and other agencies into the War Food Administration, see this list.
- Foreign Broadcast Intelligence Service**  
Created as Foreign Broadcast Monitoring Service in Federal Communications Commission in February, 1941.
- Foreign Economic Administration**  
Established in the Office of Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 9380, Sept. 25, 1943, 8 F.R. 13081, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. Functions, powers, and duties of Office of Lend-Lease Administration, Office of Foreign Relief and Rehabilitation Operation, Office of Economic Warfare (together with the corporations, agencies, and functions transferred thereto by Ex. Ord. No. 9361, July 15, 1943, 8 F.R. 9861, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note), and Office of Foreign Economic Coordination (except such function and personnel thereof as the Director of the Budget shall determine are not concerned with foreign economic operations).
- Foreign Funds Control**  
Established in Treasury Department April 10, 1940 to administer the provisions of Ex. Ord. No. 8389, Apr. 10, 1940, 5 F.R. 1400, 12 U.S.C. § 95 note.
- Government Printing Office**  
Created pursuant to Res. June 23, 1860, No. 25, 12 Stat. 117.
- Home Owners' Loan Corporation**  
Created by Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, Act June 13, 1933, ch. 64, § 1, 48 Stat. 128. Functions, powers, and duties transferred to National Housing Agencies by Ex. Ord. No. 9070, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1529, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.
- Interdepartmental Committee on Subversive Activities of Federal Employees**  
Established within Department of Justice by Ex. Ord. No. 9300, Feb. 5, 1943, 8 F.R. 1701.
- Joint Committee on Evacuation**  
Created by Office of Civilian Defense and Office of Defense Health and Welfare Service in August, 1941.
- Joint Economic Committee—United States and Canada**  
Created by President of United States and Prime Minister of Canada June 17, 1941.
- Joint War Production Committee—United States and Canada**  
Created as Joint Defense Production Committee by President of United States and Prime Minister of Canada, Nov. 5, 1941.
- Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission**  
Established by Ex. Ord. No. 9080, Feb. 27, 1942, 7 F.R. 1607.
- Maritime War Emergency Board**  
Created to expedite and coordinate the war efforts of the maritime industry by President's memorandum Dec. 19, 1941, 8 F.R. 3385.
- Medal for Merit Board**  
Created by Ex. Ord. No. 9286, Dec. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 10899, to effectuate the provisions of 10 U.S.C. § 1408b.
- Metals Reserve Company**  
Created June 28, 1940, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 606b. Functions of Federal Loan Agency relating thereto were transferred to Department of Commerce during present war by Ex. Ord. No. 9071, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1531, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.
- National Defense Mediation Board**  
See National War Labor Board, this list.
- National Defense Research Committee**  
Created by order of Council of National Defense, June 27, 1940, 5 F.R. 2446. Abolished by Council's order of June 28, 1941, 6 F.R. 3233.
- National Housing Agency**  
Created by Ex. Ord. No. 9070, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1529, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**National Railway Labor Panel**

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 9172, May 22, 1942, 7 F.R. 3913.

**National Resources Planning Board**

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 8248, Sept. 8, 1939, 5 Code of Federal Regulations, 1939 Supp., p. 217. Abolished effective Aug. 31, 1943, by Act June 26, 1943, ch. 145, 57 Stat. 170.

**National Roster of Scientific and Specialized Personnel**

Transferred to War Manpower Commission by Ex. Ord. No. 9139, Apr. 18, 1942, 7 F.R. 2919.

**National War Labor Board**

Created in the Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 9017, Jan. 12, 1942, 7 F.R. 237, 50 U.S.C. App. § 1507 note. The National Defense Mediation Board, created by Ex. Ord. No. 8716, Mar. 19, 1941, ceased to exist upon creation of the National War Labor Board.

**National Youth Administration**

Created within Works Progress Administration by Ex. Ord. No. 7086, June 26, 1935. Transferred to Federal Security Agency by Reorg. Plan No. I, §§ 201 and 206, eff. July 1, 1939, 5 U.S.C. § 133t note. Transferred to War Manpower Commission by Ex. Ord. No. 9247, Sept. 17, 1942, 7 F.R. 7380, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601. Abolished by Act July 12, 1943, ch. 221, title VII, 57 Stat. 518, and disposal of property provided for by Act July 12, 1943, ch. 229, title I, 57 Stat. 539.

**Office for Coordination of National Defense Purchases**

Created by order of Council of National Defense, June 27, 1940. The activities of said Council were coordinated with Office of Emergency Management by Administrative Order, Jan. 7, 1941, 6 F.R. 6.

**Office for Emergency Management**

Created by Administrative Order, May 25, 1940, pursuant to Ex. Ord. No. 8248, Sept. 8, 1939, 4 F.R. 3864.

**Office of Agricultural Defense Relations**

Established in Department of Agriculture pursuant to President's letter of May 5, 1941. Succeeds Division of Agriculture, which was designated a unit of the Advisory Commission to the Council of National Defense by Council's regulation approved May 29, 1940, 5 F.R. 2114.

**Office of Agricultural War Relations**

Established in Department of Agriculture at request of President. Functions thereof relating primarily to production and distribution of food were consolidated into the Food Production Administration and Food Distribution Administration, respectively, of Department of Agriculture by Ex. Ord. No. 9280, Dec. 5, 1942, 7 F.R. 10179, 5 U.S.C. § 514 note.

**Office of Censorship**

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 8985, Dec. 19, 1941, 6 F.R. 6625.

**Office of Civilian Defense**

Created in Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8757, May 20, 1941, 6 F.R. 2517. Amended by Ex. Ord. No. 8799, June 20, 1941, 6 F.R. 3049; Ex. Ord. No. 8822, July 16, 1941, 6 F.R. 3529; Ex. Ord. No. 9134, Apr. 15, 1942, 7 F.R. 2887. The Civil Air Patrol and all of its functions, duties, and powers including those of the National Commander of the Civil Air Patrol, and all of the functions, duties, and powers of the Office of Civilian Defense and of its Director which relate to the Civil Air Patrol were transferred to the Department of War by Ex. Ord. No. 9339, Apr. 29, 1943, 8 F.R. 5659, 50 U.S.C. § 601 note.

**Office of Coordinator of Information**

Created by Presidential Order of July 11, 1941, 6 F.R. 3422. Powers and duties relating to the gathering of public information and its dissemination abroad, etc., were consolidated in Office of War Information by Ex. Ord. No. 9182, June 13, 1942, 7 F.R. 4468. Renamed Office of Strategic Services and jurisdiction transferred to United States Joint Chiefs of Staff by Military Order of June 13, 1942, 7 F.R. 4469.

**Office of Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs**

Created in Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8840, July 30, 1941, 6 F.R. 3857.

**Office of Defense Health and Welfare Services**

Established in Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8890, Sept. 3, 1941, 6 F.R. 4625. Functions of Nutrition Division were transferred to Department of Agriculture by Ex. Ord. No. 9310, Mar. 6, 1943, 8 F.R. 2913, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. Abolished and functions, duties, powers, personnel, property, records, and funds, including all unexpended balances of appropriations, allocations, and other available funds transferred to the Federal Security Agency by Ex. Ord. No. 9338, Apr. 29, 1943, 8 F.R. 5659, 50 U.S.C. § 601 note.

**Office of Defense Transportation**

Established in the Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8989, Dec. 18, 1941, 6 F.R. 6725. Ex. Ord. No. 9108, Mar. 21, 1942, 7 F.R. 2201, as amended by Ex. Ord. No. 9320, Mar. 24, 1943, 8 F.R. 3687, authorized the director of such office to take control of the Toledo, Peoria, and Western Railroad Company.

**Office of Economic Stabilization**

Established in the Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 9250, Oct. 3, 1942, 7 F.R. 7871.

**Office of Economic Warfare**

Created in the Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 9361, July 15, 1943, 8 F.R. 9861. Functions, powers, and duties of the Board of Economic Warfare, and the functions, powers, and duties of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation relating to foreign economic activities, including the United States Commercial Company, the Rubber Development Corporation, the Petroleum Reserve Corporation, and the Export-Import Bank of Washington, were transferred to the Office of Economic Warfare. Functions, powers, and duties transferred to Foreign Economic Administration by Ex. Ord. No. 9380, Sept. 5, 1943, 8 F.R. 13081, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**Office of Export Control**

Formerly within Department of State. Functions transferred to Economic Defense Board by Ex. Ord. No. 8900, Sept. 15, 1941, 6 F.R. 4795.

**Office of Facts and Figures**

Created in Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8922, Oct. 24, 1941, 6 F.R. 5477. Consolidated in Office of War Information by Ex. Ord. No. 9182, June 13, 1942, 7 F.R. 4468.

**Office of Fishery Coordination**

Created in the Fish and Wildlife Service of the Department of Interior by Ex. Ord. No. 9204, July 21, 1942, 7 F.R. 5657.

**Office of Government Reports**

Created by President's memorandum of July 1, 1939, in accordance with Reorg. Plan No. II, eff. July 1, 1939, 5 U.S.C. § 133t note. Functions further defined in Ex. Ord. No. 8248, Sept. 8, 1939, 6 F.R. 3864. Supplants certain functions of National Emergency Council, established pursuant to Ex. Ord. No. 6433-A, Nov. 17, 1933, and abolished by Reorg. Plan No. II, § 301, eff. July 1, 1939, 5 U.S.C. § 133t note. Consolidated in Office of War Information by Ex. Ord. No. 9182, June 13, 1942, 7 F.R. 4468.

**Office of Lend-Lease Administration**

Created in Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8926, Oct. 28, 1941, 6 F.R. 5519. Supplants Division of Defense Aid Reports, created by Ex. Ord. No. 8751, May 2, 1941, 6 F.R. 2301, which was revoked by Ex. Ord. No. 8926. Functions, powers, and duties transferred to Foreign Economic Administration by Ex. Ord. No. 9380, Sept. 25, 1943, 8 F.R. 13081, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**Office of Merchant Ship Control**

Created within Office of Operations, Coast Guard Headquarters, on June 28, 1940.

**Office of Price Administration**

Created as Office of Price Administration and Civilian Supply by Ex. Ord. No. 8734, Apr. 11, 1941, 6 F.R. 1917. Renamed by Ex. Ord. 8875, Aug. 28, 1941, 6 F.R. 4483. Authorized by Act Jan. 30, 1942, 50 U.S.C. App. § 921.

**Office of Price Administration and Civilian Supply**  
See Office of Price Administration, this list.

**Office of Production Management**

Created in Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8629, Jan. 7, 1941, 6 F.R. 191. Abolished and functions and powers transferred to War Production Board by Ex. Ord. No. 9040, Jan. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 527.

**Office of Scientific Research and Development**

Created in Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8807, June 28, 1941, 6 F.R. 3207.

**Office of Solid Fuels Coordinator for War**

Secretary of Interior designated to act as Coordinator by President's letter of Nov. 5, 1941, 7 F.R. 1781. Name changed from Solid Fuels Coordinator for National Defense to Office of Solid Fuels Coordinator for War by President's letter of May 25, 1942, 7 F.R. 5691. Abolished and its personnel, records, and property transferred to the Solid Fuels Administrator for War by Ex. Ord. No. 9332, Apr. 24, 1943, 8 F.R. 5355.

**Office of Strategic Services**

Formerly Office of Coordinator of Information, exclusive of foreign information activities transferred to the Office of War Information. Renamed and transferred to jurisdiction of the United States Joint Chiefs of Staff by Military Order of June 13, 1942, 7 F.R. 4469. Said order was modified by Ex. Ord. No. 9312, Mar. 9, 1943, 8 F.R. 3021, 50 U.S.C. § 601 note, defining foreign information activities of Office of War Information.

**Office of War Information**

Established in Office of Emergency Management of the Executive Office of the President by Ex. Ord. No. 9182, June 13, 1942, 7 F.R. 4468. Includes Office of Facts and Figures, Office of Government Reports, and powers and duties of other Government information agencies. The foreign information activities of such office were defined in Ex. Ord. No. 9312, Mar. 9, 1943, 8 F.R. 3021, 50 U.S.C. § 601 note.

**Office of War Mobilization**

Established in the Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 9347, May 27, 1943, 8 F.R. 7207.

**Permanent Joint Board on Defense**

Created pursuant to joint announcement of the President and Canadian Prime Minister of Aug. 17, 1940.

**Petroleum Administration for War**

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 9276, Dec. 2, 1942, 7 F.R. 10091, as amended by Ex. Ord. No. 9319, Mar. 23, 1943, 8 F.R. 3687. Functions were formerly vested in Office of Petroleum Coordinator for War, designated as such by President's letter of Apr. 20, 1942. Originally created as Office of Petroleum Coordinator for National Defense by President's letter of May 20, 1941, 6 F.R. 2760.

**Petroleum Reserve Corporation**

Created as an agency and subsidiary of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and transferred to the Office of Economic Warfare by Ex. Ord. No. 9361, July 15, 1943, 8 F.R. 9861, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**Plant Site Board**

Created in Office of Production Management by Regulation No. 6, May 6, 1941, 6 F.R. 2715. Abolished and functions and powers transferred to War Production Board by Ex. Ord. No. 9040, Jan. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 527.

**President's War Relief Control Board**

President's Committee on War Relief Agencies continued and established as President's War Relief Control Board by Ex. Ord. No. 9205, July 25, 1942, 7 F.R. 5803.

**Priorities Board**

Created in Office of Production Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8629, § 5, Jan. 7, 1941, 6 F.R. 192. Abolished by Ex. Ord. No. 8875, § 10, Aug. 28, 1941, 6 F.R. 4484.

**Reconstruction Finance Corporation**

Created Jan. 22, 1943 by Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, 15 U.S.C. § 601 et seq. Functions of Federal Loan Agency relating thereto were transferred to Department of Commerce during present war by Ex. Ord. No. 9071, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1531, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. The subsidiaries and agencies engaged in foreign economic activities, including the United States Commercial Company, the Rubber Development Corporation, the Petroleum Reserve Corporation, and the Export-Import Bank of Washington, and including the functions, powers, and duties of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and of the Secretary of Commerce with respect to such subsidiaries and agencies, were transferred to the Office of Economic Warfare by Ex. Ord. No. 9361, July 15, 1943, 8 F.R. 9861, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**Rubber Development Corporation**

Created Feb. 20, 1943, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 606b. Functions of Rubber Reserve Corporation relating to development of foreign rubber sources and procurement of rubber therefrom transferred to Rubber Development Corporation on Feb. 23, 1943, on recommendation of Rubber Director. Functions, powers, and duties transferred to Office of Economic Warfare by Ex. Ord. No. 9361, July 15, 1943, 8 F.R. 9861.

**Rubber Director**

Appointed by Chairman of the War Production Board, pursuant to Ex. Ord. No. 9246, Sept. 17, 1942, 7 F.R. 7379.

**Rubber Reserve Company**

Created June 28, 1940, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 606b. Functions of Federal Loan Agency relating thereto were transferred to Department of Commerce during present war by Ex. Ord. No. 9071, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1531, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. Functions of Rubber Reserve Company relating to development of foreign rubber sources and procurement of rubber therefrom transferred to Rubber Development Corporation on Feb. 23, 1943, on recommendation of Rubber Director.

**Smaller War Plants Corporation**

Created pursuant to 50 U.S.C. App. § 1104, June 11, 1942.

**Solid Fuels Administrator for War**

Established by Ex. Ord. No. 9332, Apr. 24, 1943, 8 F.R. 5355.

**Supply Priorities and Allocations Board**

Created in Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 8875, Aug. 28, 1941, 6 F.R. 4483. Abolished by Ex. Ord. No. 9024, Jan. 16, 1942, 7 F.R. 330. Functions and powers transferred to War Production Board by Ex. Ord. No. 9040, Jan. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 527.

**United States Commercial Company**

Created as an agency and subsidiary of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and transferred to the Office of Economic Warfare by Ex. Ord. No. 9361, July 15, 1943, 8 F.R. 9861, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**United States Emergency Court of Appeals**

Created by Act Jan. 30, 1942, Pub. No. 421, ch. 26, 56 Stat. 23, 50 U.S.C. App. § 924.

**United States Information Service**

Created as a division of the Office of Government Reports by regulation of Jan. 18, 1934, issued by National Emergency Council, pursuant to Ex. Ord. No. 6433-A, Nov. 17, 1933. Transferred to Office of War Information by Ex. Ord. No. 9182, June 13, 1942, 7 F.R. 4468.

**United States of America Tybus Commission**

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 9285, Dec. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 10899.

**War Damage Corporation**

Created as War Insurance Corporation by Reconstruction Finance Corporation on Dec. 13, 1941, pursuant to authority of 15 U.S.C. § 606b. Functions of Federal Loan Agency relating thereto transferred to Department of Commerce during present war by Ex. Ord. No. 9071, Feb. 24, 1942, 7 F.R. 1531, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**War Division**

Created in the Department of Justice May, 1942. Division includes the War Frauds Unit, Special War Policies Unit, Alien Enemy Control Unit, and Alien Property Litigation Unit.

**War Food Administration**

Established by Ex. Ord. No. 9334, Apr. 19, 1943, 8 F.R. 5423, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note. Consolidates into one agency within Department of Agriculture, the Food Production Administration, except the Farm Credit Administration, the Food Distribution Administration, the Commodity Credit Corporation and the Extension Service. Prior to this executive order these agencies had been consolidated into the Administration of Food Production and Distribution by Ex. Ord. No. 9322, Mar. 26, 1943, 8 F.R. 3807, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601 note.

**War Manpower Commission**

Established in Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 9139, Apr. 18, 1942, 7 F.R. 2919. Certain employment services and apprentice training functions of the United States Employment Service, National Youth Administration and Federal Security Administrator were transferred to the Commission by Ex. Ord. No. 9247, Sept. 17, 1942, 7 F.R. 7380, 50 U.S.C. App. § 601.

**War Mobilization Committee**

Established in Office of War Mobilization by Ex. Ord. No. 9347, May 27, 1943, 8 F.R. 7207.

**War Production Board**

Established in Office for Emergency Management by Ex. Ord. No. 9024, Jan. 16, 1942, 7 F.R. 329. Supplants Office of Production Management and Supply Priorities and Allocations Board.

**War Relocation Authority**

Established in the Office for Emergency Management of the Executive Office of the President by Ex. Ord. No. 9102, Mar. 18, 1942, 7 F.R. 2165.

**War Resources Council**

Established by Administrative Order No. 1636, Jan. 14, 1942. Replaced Defense Resources Committee created by Administrative Order No. 1496, June 15, 1940.

**War Shipping Administration**

Created by Ex. Ord. No. 9054, Feb. 7, 1942, 7 F.R. 837, as amended by Ex. Ord. No. 9244, Sept. 16, 1943, 7 F.R. 7327.

**War Shipping Administration Price Adjustment Board**

Created by General Order No. 30 of the Administrator on Feb. 12, 1943, 8 F.R. 2043.

**Work Projects Administration**

Established as Works Progress Administration by Ex. Ord. No. 7034, May 6, 1935. Renamed by Reorg. Plan No. I, § 306, eff. July 1, 1939, 5 U.S.C. § 133t note. Liquidation ordered by President's letter of Dec. 4, 1942, and appropriations for it authorized by Act July 12, 1943, ch. 229, title I, 57 Stat. 540.