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RDT&E/Defense Wide/BA 3						R-1 ITEM NOMENCLATURE Quick Reaction Special Projects (QRSP) PE 0603826D8Z				
COST (In Millions)	FY2000	FY2001	FY2002						Cost to Complete	Total Cost
Total Program Element (PE) Cost	0.000	0.000	25.000						Continuing	Continuing
QRSP	0.000	0.000	25.000						Continuing	Continuing

(U) A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

(U) BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ELEMENT

(U) The Quick Reaction Special Projects (QRSP) program would be used to initiate high-priority or high-leverage science and technology projects in the execution year. Projects would be initiated at the direction of the USD (AT&L) or Director, Defense Research and Engineering (DDR&E). The program funds would be managed by the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Science and Technology). QRSP projects would be conducted by a military department or defense agency with active S&T programs, awarded competitively. Examples of the types of projects that are envisioned would include accelerating promising research or development.

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(U) Project Number and Title: Quick Reaction Special Projects

(U) PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND PLANS

(U) **FY 2002 Plans:**

(U) Establishing a "Quick Reaction Special Projects" (QRSP) provides the flexibility to respond to emergent DoD issues and address technical surprises and needs in real time. Critical technology in support of acquisition programs could be focused to reduce the cycle time. The QRSP program would be used to initiate high-priority or high-leverage science and technology projects in the execution year. Projects would be initiated at the direction of the USD (AT&L). The program funds would be managed by the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Science and Technology). QRSP projects would be conducted by a military department or defense agency with currently active S&T programs and awarded competitively. No specific organization or program area will receive the majority of funding (i.e. Advanced Concept Technology Demonstrations). (\$25.000 million)

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(U) <u>B. Program Change Summary</u>	FY2000	FY2001	FY2002	Tot
Previous President's Budget Submit	0.000	0.000	0.000	
Appropriated Value	0.000	0.000	0.000	Con
Adjustments to Appropriated Value				
a. Congressionally Directed Undistributed Reduction	0.000	0.000	0.000	
b. Rescission/Below-threshold Reprogramming, Inflation Adjustment	0.000	0.000	0.000	
c. Other	0.000	0.000	25.000	
Current President's Budget	0.000	0.000	25.000	Con

Change Summary Explanation.

- (U) <u>Funding</u>: Originally placed in PE 0603825D8Z, Multidisciplinary Technology Initiatives. These funds should be in PE 0603826D8Z, Quick Reaction Special Projects (QRSP), and this is a program beginning in FY 2002.
- (U) Schedule: N/A
- (U) <u>Technical</u>: This is a new PE started in FY 2002 to.

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- (U) C. Other Program Funding Summary Cost N/A
- (U) **D.** Acquisition Strategy: N/A
- (U) E. Schedule Profile: N/A