Exhibit R-2, RDT&E Budget Item Justification: PB 2011 Air Force

DATE: February 2010

APPROPRIATION/BUDGET ACTIVITY

R-1 ITEM NOMENCLATURE

3600: Research, Development, Test & Evaluation, Air Force

PE 0605860F: Rocket Systems Launch Program (RSLP)

BA 6: RDT&E Management Support

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COST (\$ in Millions)	FY 2009 Actual	FY 2010 Estimate	FY 2011 Base Estimate	FY 2011 OCO Estimate	FY 2011 Total Estimate	FY 2012 Estimate	FY 2013 Estimate	FY 2014 Estimate	FY 2015 Estimate	Cost To Complete	Total Cost	
Total Program Element	16.853	14.637	23.551	0.000	23.551	24.029	16.794	17.049	17.309	Continuing	Continuing	
661023: Rocket System Launch Program (RSLP)	16.853	14.637	23.551	0.000	23.551	24.029	16.794	17.049	17.309	Continuing	Continuing	

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

Rocket Systems Launch Program (RSLP) is tasked to provide responsive space and Research, Development, Test and Evaluation (RDT&E) launch vehicle support to DoD and other government agencies using excess ballistic missile assets. The RSLP mission was established by the Secretary of Defense in 1972. It provides mission planning, payload integration, launch support, booster storage and disposition, aging surveillance, maintenance and logistics support for selected DoD responsive space and RDT&E launches. Costs directly attributable to a specific launch or program (e.g. reliability of flight testing, maintenance of launch vehicle processing infrastructure) are paid by the user (Air Force, Navy, Army, Missile Defense Agency (MDA), Operationally Responsive Space (ORS), Defense Advanced Research Project Agency (DARPA), etc.). RSLP maintains exclusive control of deactivated Minuteman and Peacekeeper assets used in testing to include refurbishment, transportation and handling, storage, and launch services. RSLP also funds general research and development efforts for launch support operations (e.g., Minotaur IV third stage gas generator diffuser modification). RSLP includes the Ballistic Missile Range Safety Technology (BMRST), a GPS-based mobile range system, capable of stand-alone operations or augmenting other range systems.

This program is in Budget Activity 06 - RDT&E Management Support, since RSLP provides research and development effort and/or operations support for general research and development use.

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B. Program Change Summary (\$ in Millions)

	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011 Base	FY 2011 OCO	FY 2011 Total
Previous President's Budget	14.855	14.637	0.000	0.000	0.000
Current President's Budget	16.853	14.637	23.551	0.000	23.551
Total Adjustments	1.998	0.000	23.551	0.000	23.551
 Congressional General Reductions 		0.000			
 Congressional Directed Reductions 		0.000			
 Congressional Rescissions 	0.000	0.000			
 Congressional Adds 		0.000			
 Congressional Directed Transfers 		0.000			
 Reprogrammings 	0.000	0.000			
 SBIR/STTR Transfer 	0.000	0.000			
 Other Adjustments 	1.998	0.000	23.551	0.000	23.551

Change Summary Explanation

FY 2009: Air Force Below Threshold Reprogramming (BTR) (+\$1.99M) for Minotaur IV Mission Assurance.

Note: The FY 2010 President's Budget submittal did not reflect FY 2011 through FY 2015 funding. Therefore, explanation of changes between the two budget positions cannot be made in a relevant manner.

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COST (\$ in Millions) FY 2009 FY 2010 Base Actual Estimate Estimate				FY 2011 OCO Estimate	FY 2011 Total Estimate	FY 2012 Estimate	FY 2013 Estimate	FY 2014 Estimate	FY 2015 Estimate	Cost To Complete	Total Cost	
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Quantity of RDT&E Articles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Program (\$ in Millions)

	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011 Base	FY 2011 OCO	FY 2011 Total
MAJOR THRUST: Storage and refurbishment of deactivated Minuteman, Peacekeeper and other missile flight test assets	8.349	9.323	8.944	0.000	8.944
FY 2009 Accomplishments: In FY2009: Continue storage and refurbishment of deactivated Minuteman, Peacekeeper and other missile flight test assets and perform research and development support operations as required;					

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Program (\$ in Millions)	,		1			
		FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011 Base	FY 2011 OCO	FY 2011 Total
Continue program office support and related support activities support, special studies, SETA, FFRDC, etc	s such as, but not limited to mission					
FY 2010 Plans: In FY2010: Continue storage and refurbishment of deactivate missile flight test assets and perform research and development Continue program office support and related support activities support, special studies, SETA, FFRDC, etc	ent support operations as required;					
FY 2011 Base Plans: In FY2011: Continue storage and refurbishment of deactivate missile flight test assets and perform research and development Continue program office support and related support activities support, special studies, SETA, FFRDC, etc	ent support operations as required.;					
FY 2011 OCO Plans: In FY 2011 OCO: Not Applicable.						
MAJOR THRUST: Place retired ICBM components into standard s ICBM components	supply system and demil unusable retired	0.000	0.000	9.100	0.000	9.100
FY 2009 Accomplishments: In FY2009: N/A						
FY 2010 Plans: In FY2010: N/A						

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Program (\$ in Millions)							
	FY	2009 FY	Y 2010	FY 2011 Base	FY 2011 OCO	FY 2011 Total	
FY 2011 Base Plans: In FY2011: Begin placing retired ICBM components into standa unusable retired ICBM components	ard supply system and demil of						
FY 2011 OCO Plans: In FY 2011 OCO: Not Applicable.							
MAJOR THRUST: Perform aging surveillance-related activities on s	5.491	5.314	5.507	0.000	5.507		
FY 2009 Accomplishments: In FY2009: Continue performing aging surveillance-related act performing analyses/studies to identify and evaluate potential smotors; Continue program office support and related support amission support, special studies, SETA, FFRDC, etc	safety-related issues affecting stored						
FY 2010 Plans: In FY2010: Continue performing aging surveillance-related act performing analyses/studies to identify and evaluate potential s motors; Continue program office support and related support a mission support, special studies, SETA, FFRDC, etc							
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FY 2011 OCO Plans: In FY 2011 OCO: Not Applicable.							

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Program (\$ in Millions)			'			
		FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011 Base	FY 2011 OCO	FY 2011 Total
MAJOR THRUST: Expand BMRST system capability.		0.600	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
FY 2009 Accomplishments: In FY2009: Expand capability to include data encryption and downrange reentry support, and continue full Eastern Range support and related support activities such as, but not limited SETA, FFRDC, etc	certification; Continue program office					
FY 2010 Plans: In FY2010: N/A						
FY 2011 Base Plans: In FY2011: N/A						
FY 2011 OCO Plans: In FY 2011 OCO: Not Applicable.						
MAJOR THRUST: Minotaur Mission Assurance		1.413	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
FY 2009 Accomplishments: In FY2009: Provide Minotaur Mission Assurance						
FY 2010 Plans: In FY2010: N/A						
FY 2011 Base Plans: In FY2011: N/A						
FY 2011 OCO Plans:						

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In FY 2011 OCO: Not Applicable.

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3600: Research, Development, Test & Evaluation, Air Force PE 0605860F: Rocket Systems Launch 661023: Rocket System Launch Program

BA 6: RDT&E Management Support Program (RSLP) (RSLP)

B. Accomplishments/Planned Program (\$ in Millions)

	-	->/ /	FY 2011	FY 2011	FY 2011
	FY 2009	FY 2010	Base	oco	Total
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals	16.853	14.637	23.551	0.000	23.551

C. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)

			<u>FY 2011</u>	<u>FY 2011</u>	<u>FY 2011</u>					Cost To	
<u>Line Item</u>	FY 2009	FY 2010	<u>Base</u>	OCO	<u>Total</u>	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	Complete	Total Cost
PE Not Provided (1663): Activity	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Not Provided											

D. Acquisition Strategy

N/A

E. Performance Metrics

Please refer to the Performance Base Budget Overview Book for information on how Air Force resources are applied and how those resources are contributing to Air Force performance goals and most importantly, how they contribute to our mission.