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**Exhibit R-2, RDT&E Budget Item Justification:** PB 2021 Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency **Date:** February 2020

<b>Appropriation/Budget Activity</b> 0400: <i>Research, Development, Test &amp; Evaluation, Defense-Wide / BA 6:</i> <i>RDT&amp;E Management Support</i>	<b>R-1 Program Element (Number/Name)</b> PE 0605502E / <i>SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH</i>
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COST (\$ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021 Base	FY 2021 OCO	FY 2021 Total	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
Total Program Element	-	112.579	0.000	0.000	-	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	-	-
SB-01: <i>SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH</i>	-	112.579	0.000	0.000	-	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	-	-
Quantity of RDT&E Articles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

**A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification**

In accordance with Public Law No: 116-120 (National Defense Authorization Act 2020) and the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 638), the DARPA Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) programs are designed to provide small, high-tech businesses and academic institutions the opportunity to propose radical, innovative, high-risk approaches to address existing and emerging national security threats; thereby supporting DARPA's overall strategy to enable fundamental discoveries and technological breakthroughs that provide new military capabilities.

<b>B. Program Change Summary (\$ in Millions)</b>	<b>FY 2019</b>	<b>FY 2020</b>	<b>FY 2021 Base</b>	<b>FY 2021 OCO</b>	<b>FY 2021 Total</b>
Previous President's Budget	0.000	0.000	0.000	-	0.000
Current President's Budget	112.579	0.000	0.000	-	0.000
Total Adjustments	112.579	0.000	0.000	-	0.000
• Congressional General Reductions	0.000	0.000	0.000		
• Congressional Directed Reductions	0.000	0.000	0.000		
• Congressional Rescissions	0.000	0.000	0.000		
• Congressional Adds	0.000	0.000	0.000		
• Congressional Directed Transfers	0.000	0.000	0.000		
• Reprogrammings	112.579	0.000	0.000		
• SBIR/STTR Transfer	0.000	0.000	0.000		

**Change Summary Explanation**

FY 2019: Increase reflects transfer to establish the SBIR/STTR program.  
 FY 2020: N/A  
 FY 2021: N/A

<b>C. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)</b>	<b>FY 2019</b>	<b>FY 2020</b>	<b>FY 2021</b>
<b>Title:</b> Small Business Innovation Research	112.579	-	-
<b>Description:</b> The Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) programs are			

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<b>Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals</b>	112.579	-	-

**D. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)**

N/A

**Remarks**

**E. Acquisition Strategy**

N/A