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**Exhibit R-2, RDT&E Budget Item Justification: PB 2025 Navy** **Date:** March 2024

<b>Appropriation/Budget Activity</b> 1319: <i>Research, Development, Test &amp; Evaluation, Navy / BA 6: RDT&amp;E Management Support</i>	<b>R-1 Program Element (Number/Name)</b> PE 0902498N / <i>Management HQ - Departmental Spt Acts</i>
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COST (\$ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025 Base	FY 2025 OCO	FY 2025 Total	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
Total Program Element	0.000	1.811	2.168	2.234	-	2.234	2.284	2.336	2.386	2.427	Continuing	Continuing
0831: <i>OPTEVFOR Support</i>	0.000	1.811	2.168	2.234	-	2.234	2.284	2.336	2.386	2.427	Continuing	Continuing

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

This program element (PE) provides Operational Test and Evaluation Force (OPTEVFOR) general support funding and operating costs for Management Headquarter Activity (MHA) functions that support OPTEVFOR compliance with Secretary of Defense (SECDEF) and Secretary of the Navy (SECNAV) directives to conduct independent operational test and evaluation as described in PE 0605865N Operational Test & Evaluation Capability.

**B. Program Change Summary (\$ in Millions)**

	<u>FY 2023</u>	<u>FY 2024</u>	<u>FY 2025 Base</u>	<u>FY 2025 OCO</u>	<u>FY 2025 Total</u>
Previous President's Budget	1.811	2.168	2.236	-	2.236
Current President's Budget	1.811	2.168	2.234	-	2.234
Total Adjustments	0.000	0.000	-0.002	-	-0.002
• Congressional General Reductions	-	-			
• Congressional Directed Reductions	-	-			
• Congressional Rescissions	-	-			
• Congressional Adds	-	-			
• Congressional Directed Transfers	-	-			
• Reprogrammings	-	-			
• SBIR/STTR Transfer	-	-			
• Rate/Misc Adjustments	0.000	0.000	-0.002	-	-0.002

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<b>Exhibit R-2A, RDT&amp;E Project Justification:</b> PB 2025 Navy										<b>Date:</b> March 2024		
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<b>COST (\$ in Millions)</b>	<b>Prior Years</b>	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025 Base</b>	<b>FY 2025 OCO</b>	<b>FY 2025 Total</b>	<b>FY 2026</b>	<b>FY 2027</b>	<b>FY 2028</b>	<b>FY 2029</b>	<b>Cost To Complete</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
0831: OPTEVFOR Support	0.000	1.811	2.168	2.234	-	2.234	2.284	2.336	2.386	2.427	Continuing	Continuing
Quantity of RDT&E Articles		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

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**B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions, Article Quantities in Each)**

	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025 Base</b>	<b>FY 2025 OCO</b>	<b>FY 2025 Total</b>
<b>Title:</b> OPTEVFOR Support	1.811	2.168	2.234	0.000	2.234
<b>Articles:</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Description:</b> Beginning in Fiscal Year 2018, MHA labor and operating costs in support of 14 FTE has been realigned from 0605865N Operational Test and Evaluation Capability into this program element 0902498N Management Headquarters (Departmental Support Accounts) to identify all MHA costs separately.					
<b>FY 2024 Plans:</b> This project will provide for the basic costs of the OPTEVFOR headquarters activities. Specifically, it will pay for salaries and support costs of civilian personnel who support OPTEVFOR compliance with directives during the conduct of independent operational testing and evaluation to determine the operational effectiveness, suitability, and cyber survivability of new and improved systems.					
<b>FY 2025 Base Plans:</b> This project will provide for the basic costs of the OPTEVFOR headquarters activities. Specifically, it will pay for salaries and support costs of civilian personnel who support OPTEVFOR compliance with directives during the conduct of independent operational testing and evaluation to determine the operational effectiveness, suitability, and cyber survivability of new and improved systems.					
<b>FY 2025 OCO Plans:</b> N/A					
<b>FY 2024 to FY 2025 Increase/Decrease Statement:</b> Increase due to inflationary adjustments.					
<b>Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals</b>	1.811	2.168	2.234	0.000	2.234

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

N/A

**Remarks**

**D. Acquisition Strategy**

N/A