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Defense Panel

DoD Efforts to Assist Defense
Manufacturing & the U.S. Industrial
Base

Panel Context

- In FY 2014, defense spending on payroll and contracts comprised approximately 2.4% of U.S. GDP.
- The Congressional Budget Office (CBO) projects the level of real defense spending will decline 28% from FY 2011 to FY 2019—or a reduction of \$454 billion.

Assisting Defense Manufacturing

- The resiliency of the defense industrial base is key to the Department of Defense's ability to meet the challenges of a changing national defense.
- This panel will focus on the theme of promoting resiliency in the U.S. defense (and broader) industrial base.