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That's a good point which I'll raise.

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I just wanted to bring to your attention — as you work with your budget team — that there is only a very small amount for women, peace and security designated for the DOS '14 budget.

As you will recall, Leahy's people had put 50m in the '13 appropriations for DOS and felt that they would get the House to agree, given bipartisan support for women, peace and security.

If the Senate doesn't change, Congress may be

able to salvage the 50m or something close to it, exclusively for State in the post-CR '13 appropriations

Separately, there is 20m proposed for DOS (and 20m for AID) for a fund to implement the gender guidance under QDDR.

It's ironic that tomorrow we are rolling out the DOS and AID plans for implementing our national action plan.

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