### 104TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2724

To amend the National Labor Relations Act to require Federal contracts debarment for persons who violate labor relations provisions, and for other purposes.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**DECEMBER 6, 1995** 

Mr. Evans introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

# A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Federal Contractor
- 5 Labor Relations Enforcement Act of 1995".

#### 1 SEC. 2. DEBARMENT.

- The National Labor Relations Act (29 U.S.C. 151
- 3 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the following
- 4 new section:
- 5 "FEDERAL CONTRACTS DEBARMENT
- 6 "Sec. 20. (a) Any person or entity that, with a clear
- 7 pattern and practice, violates the provisions of this Act
- 8 shall be ineligible for all Federal contracts for a period
- 9 of 3 years.
- 10 "(b) The Secretary of Labor shall promulgate regula-
- 11 tions regarding debarment provisions and procedures. The
- 12 regulations shall require that Federal contracting agencies
- 13 shall refrain from entering into further contracts, or ex-
- 14 tensions or other modifications of existing contracts, with
- 15 any person or entity described in subsection (a) during
- 16 the 3-year period immediately following a determination
- 17 by the Secretary of Labor that the person or entity is in
- 18 violation (as described in subsection (a)) of this Act.
- 19 "(c) A debarment may be removed, or the period of
- 20 debarment may be reduced, by the Secretary of Labor
- 21 upon the submission of an application to the Secretary of
- 22 Labor that is supported by documentary evidence and that
- 23 sets forth appropriate reasons for the granting of the de-
- 24 barment removal or reduction, including reasons such as
- 25 compliance with the final orders that are found to have
- 26 been willfully violated, a bona fide change of ownership

- 1 or management, or a fraud or misrepresentation of the
- 2 charging party.".

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