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H. R. 2848

To provide for compensation for Federal employees for emergency service performed during periods of lapsed appropriations.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. MCHUGH introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, 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

To provide for compensation for Federal employees for emergency service performed during periods of lapsed appropriations.

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. COMPENSATION FOR EMERGENCY SERVICE BY**
4 **FEDERAL EMPLOYEES PERFORMED DURING**
5 **PERIODS OF LAPSED APPROPRIATIONS.**

6 For any period, during fiscal year 1996 or any subse-
7 quent fiscal year, for which there is a lapse in appropria-
8 tions for any agency or instrumentality of the Federal

1 Government or the District of Columbia (other than ap-
2 propriations provided by this section) as a result of a fail-
3 ure to enact legislation (in the form of a regular appro-
4 priations Act or a continuing resolution) making funds
5 available for compensation of officers or employees for
6 service performed during such period, there is hereby ap-
7 propriated to such agency or instrumentality, from
8 amounts otherwise available in the general fund of the
9 Treasury, such sums as are necessary to provide com-
10 pensation, at the regular rate of compensation, for such
11 officers or employees for any such service which is of the
12 type described in section 1342 of title 31, United States
13 Code (including any service performed pursuant to ex-
14 pressed or implied authority of law, as defined in opinions
15 issued by the Attorney General before the date of the en-
16 actment of this Act).

17 **SEC. 2. CHARGE TO APPLICABLE ACCOUNTS.**

18 Expenditures made pursuant to this Act shall be
19 charged to the applicable appropriation, fund, or author-
20 ization whenever a bill or joint resolution in which such
21 applicable appropriation, fund, or authorization is con-
22 tained is enacted into law.

1 **SEC. 3. APPLICABILITY.**

2 The provisions of this Act shall apply with respect
3 to service (described in section 1) performed before, on,
4 or after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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