Public Law 104–161
104th Congress

An Act

To provide for the distribution within the United States of the United States Information Agency film entitled “Fragile Ring of Life”.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. DISTRIBUTION WITHIN THE UNITED STATES OF UNITED STATES INFORMATION AGENCY FILM ENTITLED “FRAGILE RING OF LIFE”.


(1) the Director of the United States Information Agency shall make available to the Archivist of the United States a master copy of the film entitled “Fragile Ring of Life”; and

(2) upon evidence that necessary United States rights and licenses have been secured and paid for by the person seeking domestic release of the film, the Archivist shall—

(A) reimburse the Director for any expenses of the Agency in making that master copy available;

(B) deposit that film in the National Archives of the United States; and

(C) make copies of that film available for purchase and public viewing within the United States.

Any reimbursement to the Director pursuant to this section shall be credited to the applicable appropriation of the United States Information Agency.

Approved July 18, 1996.