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H. R. 4743

To reauthorize the Public Safety and Community Policing Grants, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 8, 1998

Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts (for himself and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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 “Public Safety and
5 Community Policing Grants Reauthorization Act of
6 1998”.

1 **SEC. 2. REAUTHORIZATION OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND COM-**
2 **MUNITY POLICING (COPS ON THE BEAT)**
3 **GRANTS.**

4 Section 1001(a)(11) of title I of the Omnibus Crime
5 Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 3793)
6 is amended—

7 (1) in clause (vi) by striking “268,000,000 for
8 fiscal year 2000” and inserting “500,000,000 each
9 of fiscal years 2000 through 2005.”.

10 **SEC. 3. RENEWAL OF GRANTS.**

11 Section 1703 of title I of the Omnibus Crime Control
12 and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 3796dd–2) is
13 amended by amended subsection (b) to read as follows—

14 “(b) GRANTS FOR HIRING.—

15 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Grants made for hiring or
16 rehiring additional career law enforcement officers
17 or to promote redeployment of officers by hiring ci-
18 vilians may be renewed for an additional 3 year pe-
19 riod beginning the fiscal year after the last fiscal
20 year during which a recipient receives its initial
21 grant.

22 “(2) INITIAL PERIOD EXPIRED.—In a case in
23 which a recipient’s initial grant has expired prior to
24 the date of the enactment of the Public Safety and
25 Community Policing Grants Reauthorization Act of
26 1998, grants made for hiring or rehiring additional

1 career law enforcement officers may be renewed for
2 an additional 3 year period beginning the fiscal year
3 after the date of the enactment of such Act.

4 “(3) AUTHORIZATION FOR APPROPRIATIONS.—
5 There are authorized to be appropriated such sums
6 as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of
7 this subsection. In a case in which a recipient re-
8 ceives a grant for an additional 3 year period, the
9 amount for any additional years shall be increased
10 by 3 percent to reflect a cost of living adjustment.”.

11 **SEC. 4. MATCHING FUNDS.**

12 Section 1701(i) of title I of the Omnibus Crime Con-
13 trol and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 3796dd(i))
14 is amended by striking “up to 5 years” and inserting
15 “each 3 year grant period”.

16 **SEC. 5. HIRING COSTS.**

17 Section 1704 of title I of the Omnibus Crime Control
18 and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 3796dd–3) is
19 amended by repealing subsection (c).

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