

105TH CONGRESS
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S. 309

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 12, 1997

Mr. AKAKA introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans Affairs

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. PROHIBITION ON PARKING FEES AT MEDICAL**
2 **FACILITIES OPERATED UNDER HEALTH-CARE**
3 **SHARING AGREEMENTS.**

4 Section 8109 of title 38, United States Code, is
5 amended—

6 (1) in subsection (d)(1), by striking out “For
7 each” and inserting in lieu thereof “Except as pro-
8 vided in subsection (j) of this section, for each”;

9 (2) in the first sentence of subsection (e), by
10 striking out “The Secretary” and inserting in lieu
11 thereof “Except as provided in subsection (j) of this
12 section, the Secretary”; and

13 (3) by adding at the end the following:

14 “(j) The Secretary may not establish a schedule of
15 parking fees under subsection (d) or (e) of this section
16 for any parking facilities used in connection with a medical
17 facility if the medical facility is operated jointly by the
18 Secretary and the Department of Defense pursuant to an
19 agreement or contract for sharing health-care resources
20 under section 8111 of this title.”.

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