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H. RES. 326

Encouraging more revenue sharing among major league baseball teams as an alternative to team eliminations.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 20, 2001

Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri (for herself, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. BEREUTER, Ms. LEE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. MOORE, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, and Mr. SABO) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

RESOLUTION

Encouraging more revenue sharing among major league baseball teams as an alternative to team eliminations.

Whereas there is a proposal to eliminate certain major league baseball franchises, and

Whereas an alternative to eliminating franchises might be to share broadcast revenues on a league-wide basis in a manner similar to revenue-sharing within the National Football League: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 *Resolved*, that the House of Representatives urges
- 2 that before November 1, 2002, the owners of major league
- 3 baseball franchises give serious consideration to the in-

- 1 creased sharing of broadcast revenues on a league-wide
- 2 basis as an alternative to eliminating franchises by reason
- 3 of their lack of revenue.

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