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[Report No. 108-675]

To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to authorize appropriations for sewer overflow control grants.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 13, 2003

Mr. CAMP (for himself, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. QUINN, Mr. EHLERS, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. GOODLATTE, and Mr. MCHUGH) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

SEPTEMBER 13, 2004

Additional sponsors: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. UPTON, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. DINGELL, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. DICKS, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. TERRY, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia

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Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed [Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in italic] [For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on February 13, 2003]

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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. SEWER OVERFLOW CONTROL GRANTS.

4 (a) ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS.—Section 221(e)
5 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C.
6 1301(e)) is amended to read as follows:

7 "(e) Administrative Requirements.—A project that receives assistance under this section shall be carried 8 9 out subject to the same requirements as a project that re-10 ceives assistance from a State water pollution control re-11 volving fund under title VI, except to the extent that the 12 Governor of the State in which the project is located determines that a requirement of title VI is inconsistent with 13 the purposes of this section.". 14

(b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—The first
sentence of section 221(f) of such Act (33 U.S.C. 1301(f))
is amended by striking "\$750,000,000" and all that follows
before the period and inserting "\$250,000,000 for each of
fiscal years 2005 through 2010".

(c) ALLOCATION OF FUNDS.—Section 221(g) of such
 Act (33 U.S.C. 1301(g)) is amended to read as follows:

3 "(g) Allocation of Funds.—

4 "(1) FISCAL YEAR 2005.—Subject to subsection
5 (h), the Administrator shall use the amounts appro6 priated to carry out this section for fiscal year 2005
7 for making grants to municipalities and municipal
8 entities under subsection (a)(2) in accordance with
9 the criteria set forth in subsection (b).

10 "(2) FISCAL YEAR 2006 AND THEREAFTER.—Sub-11 ject to subsection (h), the Administrator shall use the 12 amounts appropriated to carry out this section for 13 fiscal year 2006 and each fiscal year thereafter for 14 making grants to States under subsection (a)(1) in 15 accordance with a formula to be established by the 16 Administrator, after providing notice and an oppor-17 tunity for public comment, that allocates to each 18 State a proportional share of such amounts based on 19 the total needs of the State for municipal combined 20 sewer overflow controls and sanitary sewer overflow 21 controls identified in the most recent survey con-22 ducted pursuant to section 516.".

23 (d) REPORTS.—The first sentence of section 221(i) of
24 such Act (33 U.S.C. 1301(i)) is amended by striking "2003"
25 and inserting "2008".

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