

108TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2231

To reauthorize the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families block grant program through June 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 25, 2004

Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself and Mr. BAUCUS) introduced the following bill;
which was read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed

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 “Welfare Reform Exten-
5 sion Act of 2004”.

6 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF THE TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR**
7 **NEEDY FAMILIES BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM**
8 **THROUGH JUNE 30, 2004.**

9 (a) IN GENERAL.—Activities authorized by part A of
10 title IV of the Social Security Act, and by sections 510,

1 1108(b), and 1925 of such Act, shall continue through
 2 June 30, 2004, in the manner authorized for fiscal year
 3 2002, notwithstanding section 1902(e)(1)(A) of such Act,
 4 and out of any money in the Treasury of the United States
 5 not otherwise appropriated, there are hereby appropriated
 6 such sums as may be necessary for such purpose. Grants
 7 and payments may be made pursuant to this authority
 8 through the third quarter of fiscal year 2004 at the level
 9 provided for such activities through the third quarter of
 10 fiscal year 2002.

11 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section
 12 403(a)(3)(H)(ii) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.
 13 603(a)(3)(H)(ii)) is amended by striking “March 31” and
 14 inserting “June 30”.

15 **SEC. 3. EXTENSION OF THE NATIONAL RANDOM SAMPLE**
 16 **STUDY OF CHILD WELFARE AND CHILD WEL-**
 17 **FARE WAIVER AUTHORITY THROUGH JUNE**
 18 **30, 2004.**

19 Activities authorized by sections 429A and 1130(a)
 20 of the Social Security Act shall continue through June 30,
 21 2004, in the manner authorized for fiscal year 2002, and
 22 out of any money in the Treasury of the United States
 23 not otherwise appropriated, there are hereby appropriated
 24 such sums as may be necessary for such purpose. Grants
 25 and payments may be made pursuant to this authority

- 1 through the third quarter of fiscal year 2004 at the level
- 2 provided for such activities through the third quarter of
- 3 fiscal year 2002.

