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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 25, 2004

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

AN ACT

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

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”.

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

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Activities authorized by part A of
5 title IV of the Social Security Act, and by sections 510,
6 1108(b), and 1925 of such Act, shall continue through
7 June 30, 2004, in the manner authorized for fiscal year
8 2002, notwithstanding section 1902(e)(1)(A) of such Act,
9 and out of any money in the Treasury of the United States
10 not otherwise appropriated, there are hereby appropriated
11 such sums as may be necessary for such purpose. Grants
12 and payments may be made pursuant to this authority
13 through the third quarter of fiscal year 2004 at the level
14 provided for such activities through the third quarter of
15 fiscal year 2002.

16 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section
17 403(a)(3)(H)(ii) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.
18 603(a)(3)(H)(ii)) is amended by striking “March 31” and
19 inserting “June 30”.

20 **SEC. 3. EXTENSION OF THE NATIONAL RANDOM SAMPLE**
21 **STUDY OF CHILD WELFARE AND CHILD WEL-**
22 **FARE WAIVER AUTHORITY THROUGH JUNE**
23 **30, 2004.**

24 Activities authorized by sections 429A and 1130(a)
25 of the Social Security Act shall continue through June 30,
26 2004, in the manner authorized for fiscal year 2002, and

1 out of any money in the Treasury of the United States
2 not otherwise appropriated, there are hereby appropriated
3 such sums as may be necessary for such purpose. Grants
4 and payments may be made pursuant to this authority
5 through the third quarter of fiscal year 2004 at the level
6 provided for such activities through the third quarter of
7 fiscal year 2002.

Passed the Senate March 25, 2004.

Attest:

EMILY J. REYNOLDS,

Secretary.