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# H. R. 3986

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 12, 2007

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and  
Public Works

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## AN ACT

To amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize appropriations for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “John F. Kennedy Cen-  
3 ter Reauthorization Act of 2007”.

4 **SEC. 2. TECHNICAL AMENDMENT.**

5 Section 2(a)(2)(J)(ii) of the John F. Kennedy Center  
6 Act (20 U.S.C. 76h(a)(2)(J)(ii)) is amended by striking  
7 “Public Works and Transportation” and inserting  
8 “Transportation and Infrastructure”.

9 **SEC. 3. PHOTOVOLTAIC SYSTEM.**

10 The John F. Kennedy Center Act (20 U.S.C. 76h et  
11 seq.) is amended by inserting after section 6 the following:

12 **“SEC. 7. PHOTOVOLTAIC SYSTEM.**

13 “(a) IN GENERAL.—The Board is authorized to  
14 study, plan, design, engineer, and construct a photovoltaic  
15 system for the main roof of the John F. Kennedy Center  
16 for the Performing Arts.

17 “(b) REPORT.—Not later than 60 days before begin-  
18 ning construction of the photovoltaic system pursuant to  
19 subsection (a), the Board shall submit a report to the  
20 Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure of the  
21 House of Representatives and the Committee on Environ-  
22 ment and Public Works of the Senate on the feasibility  
23 and design of the project.”.

24 **SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

25 Section 13 of the John F. Kennedy Center Act (20  
26 U.S.C. 76r) is amended—

(1) by striking subsections (a) and (b) and inserting the following:

3        "(a) MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND SECURITY.—

- 4 There are authorized to be appropriated to the Board to
- 5 carry out section 4(a)(1)(H)—

6                   “(1) \$20,200,000 for fiscal year 2008;

7                   “(2) \$21,800,000 for fiscal year 2009; and

8           “(3) \$22,500,000 for fiscal year 2010.

9       “(b) CAPITAL PROJECTS.—There are authorized to  
10 be appropriated to the Board to carry out subparagraphs  
11 (F) and (G) of section 4(a)(1)—

12                   “(1) \$23,150,000 for fiscal year 2008;

13                   “(2) \$16,000,000 for fiscal year 2009; and

14                   “(3) \$17,000,000 for fiscal year 2010.”; and

15 (2) by redesignating subsection (d) as sub-  
16 section (e), and by adding after subsection (c) the  
17 following:

18        "(d) PHOTOVOLTAIC SYSTEM.—There are authorized  
19 to be appropriated to the Board such sums as may be nec-  
20 essary to carry out section 7, with such sums to remain  
21 available until expended.".

1 **SEC. 5. EXISTING AUTHORITIES.**

2 Nothing in this Act shall be construed to limit or af-  
3 fect the authority or responsibility of the National Capital  
4 Planning Commission or the Commission of Fine Arts.

Passed the House of Representatives December 11,  
2007.

Attest:

LORRAINE C. MILLER,

*Clerk.*