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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Received

AN ACT

To extend the waiver authority for the Secretary of Education under section 105 of subtitle A of title IV of division B of Public Law 109–148, relating to elementary and secondary education hurricane recovery relief, 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. EXTENSION OF WAIVER AUTHORITY TO EASE**
2 **FISCAL BURDENS.**

3 Section 105 of subtitle A of title IV of division B of
4 Public Law 109–148 (119 Stat. 2797) is amended—

5 (1) in the second sentence of subsection (b), by
6 striking “2008” and inserting “2009”; and

7 (2) in subsection (c)(2), by striking “for fiscal
8 year 2006 or 2007” and inserting “for any fiscal
9 year”.

10 **SEC. 2. HOLD HARMLESS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL AGEN-**
11 **CIES SERVING MAJOR DISASTER AREAS.**

12 In the case of a local educational agency that serves
13 an area in which the President has declared that a major
14 disaster exists in accordance with section 401 of the Rob-
15 ert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance
16 Act (42 U.S.C. 5170), related to severe storms, tornadoes,
17 or flooding in the Midwest or hurricanes in the Gulf of
18 Mexico in calendar year 2008, the amount made available
19 for such local educational agency under each of sections
20 1124, 1124A, 1125, and 1125A of the Elementary and
21 Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6333, 6334,
22 6335, and 6337) for fiscal year 2009 shall be not less than

1 the amount made available for such local educational
2 agency under each of such sections for fiscal year 2008.

Passed the House of Representatives September 22,
2008.

Attest:

LORRAINE C. MILLER,

Clerk.