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[Report No. 111-87]

To provide that claims of the United States to certain documents relating to Franklin Delano Roosevelt shall be treated as waived and relinquished in certain circumstances.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

March 25, 2009

Mr. SCHUMER introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

> October 5, 2009 Reported by Mr. LIEBERMAN, without amendment

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,

SECTION 1. TREATMENT OF OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN DOC UMENTS RELATING TO FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT.

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—If any person or entity makes a
5 gift of any property described in subsection (b) to the Na6 tional Archives and Records Administration, then any
7 claim of the United States to such property shall be treat8 ed as having been waived and relinquished on the day be9 fore the date of such gift.

10 (b) PROPERTY DESCRIBED.—Property is described in
11 this subsection if such property—

(1) is a part of the collection of documents, papers, and memorabilia relating to Franklin Delano
Roosevelt or any member of his family or staff; and
(2) was in the possession of Grace Tully and retained by her at the time of her death.

(c) DATE OF GIFT.—The date of a gift referred to
in subsection (a) is any date specified by the donor so long
as such date is subsequent to the physical delivery of the
property described in subsection (b) to the National Archives and Records Administration.

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