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H. R. 654

[Report No. 117-146]

To provide the Administrator of the Drug-Free Communities Support Program the authority to waive the Federal fund limitation for the Drug-Free Communities Support Program.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 1, 2021

Mr. JOYCE of Ohio (for himself and Mr. KILMER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

OCTOBER 19, 2021

Additional sponsors: Mr. RICE of South Carolina and Mr. DAVIDSON

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Reported with amendments, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in *italie*]

[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on February 1, 2021]

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 “Drug-Free Communities*
5 *Pandemic Relief Act”.*

6 **SEC. 2. WAIVER OF FEDERAL FUND LIMITATION FOR THE**
7 **DRUG-FREE COMMUNITIES SUPPORT PRO-**
8 **GRAM.**

9 *(a) IN GENERAL.—Subject to subsection (b), if the Ad-*
10 *ministrator of the Drug-Free Communities Support Pro-*
11 *gram determines that, as a result of the public health emer-*
12 *gency declared pursuant to section 319 of the Public Health*
13 *Service Act (42 U.S.C. 247d) as a result of COVID–19, an*
14 *eligible coalition is unable to raise the amount of non-Fed-*
15 *eral funds, including in-kind contributions, agreed to be*
16 *raised by the coalition for a fiscal year under an agreement*
17 *entered into with the Administrator pursuant to paragraph*
18 *(1)(A) or (3) of section 1032(b) of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act*
19 *of 1988 (21 U.S.C. 1532(b)), the Administrator may, not-*
20 *withstanding such paragraphs, provide to the eligible coal-*
21 *ition the grant or renewal grant, as applicable, for that fis-*
22 *cal year in an amount—*

23 *(1) with respect to an initial grant or renewal*
24 *grant described under paragraph (1)(A) or (3)(A) of*
25 *such section, that exceeds the amount of non-Federal*

1 *funds raised by the eligible coalition, including in-*
 2 *kind contributions, for that fiscal year;*

3 *(2) with respect to a renewal grant described*
 4 *under paragraph (3)(D)(i) of such section, that ex-*
 5 *ceeds 125 percent of the amount of non-Federal funds*
 6 *raised by the eligible coalition, including in-kind con-*
 7 *tributions, for that fiscal year; and*

8 *(3) with respect to a renewal grant described*
 9 *under paragraph (3)(D)(ii) of such section, that ex-*
 10 *ceeds 150 percent of the amount of non-Federal funds*
 11 *raised by the eligible coalition, including in-kind con-*
 12 *tributions, for that fiscal year.*

13 *(b) LIMITATION.—The Administrator may not provide*
 14 *a grant or renewal grant to an eligible coalition in an*
 15 *amount exceeding the amount of funds initially agreed to*
 16 *be provided by the Administrator under the applicable*
 17 *agreement.*

18 **SEC. 3. RAISING CAP ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES**

19 **UNDER ANTI-DRUG ABUSE ACT OF 1988.**

20 *Section 1024(b) of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988*
 21 *(21 U.S.C. 1524(b)) is amended by striking “8 percent” and*
 22 *inserting “12 percent”.*

Amend the title so as to read: “A bill to provide the Administrator of the Drug-Free Communities Support Program the authority to waive the Federal fund limita-

tion for the Drug-Free Communities Support Program,
and for other purposes.”.

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