

One Hundred Eighteenth Congress
of the
United States of America

AT THE SECOND SESSION

*Begun and held at the City of Washington on Wednesday,
the third day of January, two thousand and twenty four*

An Act

To amend title 35, United States Code, to provide a good faith exception to the imposition of fines for false assertions and certifications, and for other purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of
the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

**SECTION 1. GOOD FAITH EXCEPTION TO THE IMPOSITION OF CERTAIN
FINES.**

Title 35, United States Code, is amended—

(1) in section 41(j), by inserting “, unless the entity shows
that the assertion was made in good faith,” before “be subject”;
and

(2) in section 123(f), by inserting “, unless the entity shows
that the certification was made in good faith,” before “be sub-
ject”.

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

*Vice President of the United States and
President of the Senate.*