

“(B) in the case of passenger automobiles, a fleet average fuel economy for that year of at least the average fuel economy standard applicable under subsection (b) or (c) of section 32902 of this title for such model year.”;

(B) in paragraph (2)—

(i) by striking “Fleet average fuel economy is—” and inserting “For the purposes of paragraph (1), the fleet average fuel economy of non-passenger or passenger automobiles in a fiscal year is—”;

(ii) in subparagraph (A), by striking “passenger automobiles leased for at least 60 consecutive days or bought by executive agencies in a” and inserting “the non-passenger automobiles or passenger automobiles, respectively, that are leased for at least 60 consecutive days or bought by executive agencies in such”;

(iii) in subparagraph (B), by inserting “such” after “the number of”;

(2) by adding at the end the following:

“(c) MINIMUM NUMBER OF EXCEPTIONALLY FUEL-EFFICIENT VEHICLES.—The President shall prescribe regulations that require that—

“(1) at least 20 percent of the passenger automobiles leased for at least 60 consecutive days or bought by executive agencies in a fiscal year have a vehicle fuel economy rating that is at least 5 miles per gallon higher than the average fuel economy standard applicable to the automobile under subsection (b) or (c) of section 32902 of this title for the model year that includes January 1 of that fiscal year; and

“(2) beginning in fiscal year 2011, at least 10,000 vehicles in the fleet of automobiles used by executive agencies in a fiscal year have a vehicle fuel economy that is at least 5 miles per gallon higher than the average fuel economy standards applicable to such automobiles under section 32902 of this title for the model year that includes January 1 of that fiscal year.”.

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED AND PROPOSED

SA 1672. Mr. DURBIN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2862, making appropriations for Science, the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 1673. Mr. SHELBY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2862, supra.

SA 1674. Mr. SHELBY (for Ms. MIKULSKI) proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 2862, supra.

SA 1675. Mr. SHELBY (for Mr. BURNS) proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 2862, supra.

SA 1676. Mr. SHELBY (for himself and Mr. BAUCUS) proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 2862, supra.

SA 1677. Mr. SHELBY (for Mr. TALENT (for himself, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. FRIST)) proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 2862, supra.

SA 1678. Mr. LIEBERMAN proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 2862, supra.

SA 1679. Mr. KERRY (for himself and Ms. LANDRIEU) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2862, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 1680. Mr. GRASSLEY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2862, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 1681. Mr. GRASSLEY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2862, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

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TEXT OF AMENDMENTS

SA 1672. Mr. DURBIN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2862, making appropriations for Science, the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

SEC. ____ . WAIVER OF LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO CERTAIN HEALTH PROFESSIONALS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, an eligible health professional may provide health-related services under the medicare, medicaid, or SCHIP program under title XVIII, XIX, or XXI of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1395 et seq., 1396 et seq., and 1397 et seq.), regardless of the licensing or certification laws of the State in which such services are being provided, during the 90-day period that begins on the date of enactment of this Act.

(b) ELIGIBLE HEALTH PROFESSIONAL.—To be eligible to provide health-related services in a State during the period referred to in subsection (a) without State licensure or certification, a health professional shall—

(1) be a physician, nurse, dentist, pharmacist, mental health professional, or allied health profession, or any other professional determined appropriate by the Secretary of Health and Human Services;

(2) have a valid license from, or be certified in, at least one of the States affected by Hurricane Katrina, as described in subsection (c), and not be affirmatively barred from practicing in that State; and

(3) have applied for a license or certification in the State in which such professional will provide the health-related services under subsection (a) without State licensure or certification.

(c) STATES DESCRIBED.—The States described in this subsection are those States covered by the declarations of the President, pursuant to the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, on August 24, 2005 (Florida), on August 29, 2005 (Alabama, Louisiana, and Mississippi), and on September 2, 2005 (Texas), all due to Hurricane Katrina.

(d) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this section shall be construed as altering or affecting any procedures adopted by State health professional licensing or certification boards relating to waivers of licensing and certification requirements for health professionals affected by Hurricane Katrina.

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him to the bill H.R. 2862, making appropriations for Science, the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes, as follows:

On page 121, line 19, after “curity,” insert the following:

“of which \$152,546,000 shall be for national security infrastructure.”.

SA 1674. Mr. SHELBY (for Ms. MIKULSKI) proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 2862, making appropriations for Science, the Departments of State, Justice and Commerce, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes; as follows:

Page 162, line 23, after the word “mission,” add the following “\$371,600,000 for the Webb Space Telescope to be launched no later than 2013.”

SA 1675. Mr. SHELBY (for Mr. BURNS) proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 2862, making appropriations for Science, the Departments of State, Justice and Commerce, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the appropriate place in the bill, insert the following:

“Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, no funds appropriated under this act shall be used to register, issue, transfer, or enforce any trademark of the phrase “Last Best Place”.”

SA 1676. Mr. SHELBY (for himself and Mr. BAUCUS) proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 2862, making appropriations for Science, the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 190, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

SEC. 5 ____ . (a) For the period beginning on October 1, 2005, and ending on April 1, 2006, none of the funds made available by this or any other Act may be used to pay the salaries or expenses of any employee of any agency or office to implement any change to part 302, 303, 306, or 318 of title 13, Code of Federal Regulations (as in effect on December 14, 1999), pursuant to the interim final rule published August 11, 2005 (70 Fed. Reg. 47002; relating to the implementation of, and regulatory revision under, the Economic Development Reauthorization Act (Public Law 108-373; 118 Stat. 1756)).

(b) Notwithstanding the interim final rule described in subsection (a), the public comment period with respect to parts 302, 303, 306, and 318 of title 13, Code of Federal Regulations, shall be not less than 30 days.

SA 1677. Mr. SHELBY (for Mr. TALENT (for himself, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. FRIST)) proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 2862, making appropriations for Science, the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the end of the bill, add the following:

TITLE VII—METHAMPHETAMINES

SECTION 701. SHORT TITLE.

This title may be cited as the “Combat Meth Act of 2005”.