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H. R. 2205

To amend the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend programs relating to trauma care.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 20, 1993

Mr. WAXMAN (for himself, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. McMILLAN, and Mr. GREENWOOD) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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 “Trauma Care Systems
5 Amendments of 1993”.

6 **SEC. 2. REVISIONS IN PROGRAMS RELATING TO TRAUMA**
7 **CARE.**

8 (a) GENERAL AUTHORITY.—Section 1201(a) of the
9 Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 300d) is amended

1 in the matter preceding paragraph (1) by inserting after
2 “Secretary” the following: “, acting through the Director
3 of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention,”.

4 (b) REPORTS BY STATES; EVALUATIONS BY COMP-
5 TROLLER GENERAL.—Section 1216(c) of the Public
6 Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 300d–16) is amended by
7 striking “1993” and inserting “1994”.

8 (c) REPORT BY SECRETARY.—Section 1222 of the
9 Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 300d–22) is amend-
10 ed—

11 (1) in the first sentence, by striking “1992”
12 and inserting “1995”; and

13 (2) by inserting after the first sentence the fol-
14 lowing sentence: “Such report shall include an as-
15 sessment of the extent to which Federal and State
16 efforts to develop systems of trauma care and to
17 designate trauma centers have reduced the incidence
18 of mortality, and the incidence of permanent disabil-
19 ity, resulting from trauma.”.

20 (d) WAIVER REGARDING PURPOSE OF GRANTS.—
21 Section 1233 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C.
22 300d–33) is repealed.

23 (e) TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS.—Title XII of the
24 Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 300d et seq.) is
25 amended—

1 (1) in section 1204(c), by inserting before the
2 period the following: “determines to be necessary to
3 carry out this section”;

4 (2) in section 1212(a)(2)(A), by striking
5 “1211(c)” and inserting “1211(b)”;

6 (3) in section 1213(a)—

7 (A) in paragraph (4), by striking “Act”
8 and inserting “Act”;

9 (B) in paragraphs (8) and (9), by striking
10 “to provide” each place such term appears and
11 inserting “provides for”; and

12 (C) in paragraph (10), by striking “to con-
13 duct” and inserting “conducts”; and

14 (4) in section 1231(3), by striking “Rico;” and
15 inserting “Rico,”.

16 **SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

17 Section 1232(a) of the Public Health Service Act (42
18 U.S.C. 300d–32(a)) is amended by striking “for the pur-
19 pose” and all that follows and inserting the following:
20 “For the purpose of carrying out parts A and B, there
21 is authorized to be appropriated \$15,000,000 for each of
22 the fiscal years 1994 through 1996.”.

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