

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# S. 2040

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 21 (legislative day, APRIL 11), 1994

Mr. BINGAMAN (for himself, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. KEMPTHORNE, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. SASSER, and Mr. MATHEWS) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs

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## 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. ASSIGNMENTS OF EMPLOYEES BETWEEN FED-**  
4                               **ERAL AGENCIES AND FEDERALLY FUNDED**  
5                               **RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTERS.**

6       (a) AUTHORITY.—Section 3371(4) of title 5, United  
7       States Code, is amended—

1 (1) by striking out “or” at the end of subpara-  
2 graph (B);

3 (2) by striking out the period at the end of sub-  
4 paragraph (C) and inserting in lieu thereof “; or”;  
5 and

6 (3) by adding at the end the following new sub-  
7 paragraph:

8 “(D) a federally funded research and de-  
9 velopment center.”.

10 (b) PROVISIONS GOVERNING ASSIGNMENTS.—Sec-  
11 tion 3372 of title 5, United States Code, is amended by  
12 adding at the end the following new subsection:

13 “(e) Under regulations prescribed pursuant to section  
14 3376 of this title—

15 “(1) an assignment of an employee of a Federal  
16 agency to an other organization, and an employee so  
17 assigned, shall be treated in the same way as an as-  
18 signment of an employee of a Federal agency to a  
19 State or local government, and an employee so as-  
20 signed, is treated under the provisions of this sub-  
21 chapter governing an assignment of an employee of  
22 a Federal agency to a State or local government;  
23 and

24 “(2) an assignment of an employee of an other  
25 organization to a Federal agency, and an employee

1 so assigned, shall be treated in the same way as an  
2 assignment of an employee of a State or local gov-  
3 ernment to a Federal agency, and an employee so  
4 assigned, is treated under the provisions of this sub-  
5 chapter governing an assignment of an employee of  
6 a State or local government to a Federal agency.”.

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