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H. R. 1689

To amend title 10, United States Code, to provide for appointments to the military service academies by the Resident Representative to the United States for the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 23, 1995

Mr. UNDERWOOD (for himself, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, and Mr. FRAZER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on National Security

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. APPOINTMENTS TO MILITARY SERVICE ACAD-**
4 **EMIES BY THE RESIDENT REPRESENTATIVE**
5 **TO THE UNITED STATES FOR THE COMMON-**
6 **WEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA IS-**
7 **LANDS.**

8 (a) UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY.—

1 (1) APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY.—Subsection (a)
2 of section 4342 of title 10, United States Code, is
3 amended by striking out the sentence following the
4 clauses of such subsection and inserting in lieu
5 thereof the following:

6 “(10) One cadet from the Commonwealth of the
7 Northern Mariana Islands, nominated by the Resi-
8 dent Representative to the United States for the
9 Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

10 Each person specified in clauses (3) through (10) who is
11 entitled to nominate a candidate for admission to the
12 Academy may nominate a principal candidate and nine al-
13 ternates for each vacancy that is available to the person
14 under this subsection.”.

15 (2) DOMICILE OF CADETS.—Subsection (f) of
16 such section is amended to read as follows:

17 “(f) Each candidate for admission nominated under
18 clauses (3) through (10) of subsection (a) must be domi-
19 ciled—

20 “(1) in the State, or in the congressional dis-
21 trict, from which the candidate is nominated; or

22 “(2) in the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico,
23 American Samoa, Guam, the Virgin Islands, or the
24 Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, if

1 the candidate is nominated from one of those
2 places.”.

3 (3) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—(A) Sub-
4 section (d) of such section is amended by striking
5 out “(9)” and inserting in lieu thereof “(10)”.

6 (B) Section 4343 of such title is amended by
7 striking out “(8) of section 4342(a)” and inserting
8 in lieu thereof “(10) of section 4342(a)”.

9 (b) UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY.—

10 (1) APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY.—Section
11 6954(a) of title 10, United States Code, is amended
12 by striking out the sentence following the clauses of
13 such subsection and inserting in lieu thereof the fol-
14 lowing:

15 “(10) One from the Commonwealth of the
16 Northern Mariana Islands, nominated by the Resi-
17 dent Representative to the United States for the
18 Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

19 Each person specified in clauses (3) through (10) who is
20 entitled to nominate a candidate for admission to the
21 Academy may nominate a principal candidate and nine al-
22 ternates for each vacancy that is available to the person
23 under this subsection.”.

1 (2) DOMICILE OF MIDSHIPMEN.—Subsection
2 (b) of section 6958 of such title is amended to read
3 as follows:

4 “(b) Each candidate for admission nominated under
5 clauses (3) through (10) of subsection (a) of section 6954
6 of this title must be domiciled—

7 “(1) in the State, or in the congressional dis-
8 trict, from which the candidate is nominated; or

9 “(2) in the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico,
10 American Samoa, Guam, the Virgin Islands, or the
11 Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, if
12 the candidate is nominated from one of those
13 places.”.

14 (3) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—(A) Section
15 6954(d) of such title is amended by striking out
16 “(9)” and inserting in lieu thereof “(10)”.

17 (B) Section 6956(b) of such title is amended by
18 striking out “(8) of section 6954(a)” and inserting
19 in lieu thereof “(10) of section 6954(a)”.

20 (c) UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY.—

21 (1) APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY.—Subsection (a)
22 of section 9342 of title 10, United States Code, is
23 amended by striking out the sentence following the
24 clauses of such subsection and inserting in lieu
25 thereof the following:

1 “(10) One cadet from the Commonwealth of the
2 Northern Mariana Islands, nominated by the Resi-
3 dent Representative to the United States for the
4 Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

5 Each person specified in clauses (3) through (10) who is
6 entitled to nominate a candidate for admission to the
7 Academy may nominate a principal candidate and nine al-
8 ternates for each vacancy that is available to the person
9 under this subsection.”.

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11 such section is amended to read as follows:

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13 clauses (3) through (10) of subsection (a) must be domi-
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15 “(1) in the State, or in the congressional dis-
16 trict, from which the candidate is nominated; or

17 “(2) in the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico,
18 American Samoa, Guam, the Virgin Islands, or the
19 Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, if
20 the candidate is nominated from one of those
21 places.”.

22 (3) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—(A) Sub-
23 section (d) of such section is amended by striking
24 out “(9)” and inserting in lieu thereof “(10)”.

1 (B) Section 9343 of such title is amended by
2 striking out “(8) of section 9342(a)” and inserting
3 in lieu thereof “(10) of section 9342(a)”.

4 (d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
5 this section shall apply with respect to the nomination of
6 candidates for appointment to the United States Military
7 Academy, the United States Naval Academy, and the
8 United States Air Force Academy for classes entering one
9 of these military service academies after the date of the
10 enactment of this Act.

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