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[Report No. 104-521]

To reauthorize the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 29, 1995

Mr. SAXTON (for himself, Mr. GILCREST, Mr. FARR, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. HORN, Mr. TORKILDSEN, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. DE LA GARZA, Mr. KLUG, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. REED, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. FROST, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. TORRES, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. BEILENSEN, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. FILNER, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. GOSS, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. LANTOS, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. BALDACCI, Ms. FURSE, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. MANTON, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. HOYER, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELÓ, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. FORBES, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. QUINN, Mr. WALSH, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mrs. KELLY, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. MINETA, Mr. FRISA, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, and Mr. DEFazio) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

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Additional sponsors: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. SEASTRAND, Mr. WYDEN, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. STARK, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. MARTINI, Mr. OWENS, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. TORRICELLI, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. DIXON, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. PETERSON of Florida, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. LONGLEY, Mr. HASTINGS

of Florida, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. RIGGS, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. ROSE, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. KENNELLY, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. SHAW, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. VENTO, Mr. MORAN, Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. BILIRAKIS, and Mr. McHUGH

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Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in italic]

[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on June 29, 1995]

A BILL

To reauthorize the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972,
and for other purposes.

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 “Coastal Zone Manage-*
5 *ment Reauthorization Act of 1996”.*

6 **SEC. 2. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR DEVELOPMENT OF**
7 **STATE COASTAL PROGRAMS.**

8 *(a) REAUTHORIZATION OF PROGRAM.—Section 305(a)*
9 *of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C.*
10 *1454(a)) is amended—*

11 *(1) by striking “1991, 1992, and 1993” and in-*
12 *serting “1996, 1997, 1998, and 1999”; and*

13 *(2) by striking “two” and inserting “four”.*

1 **(b) TERMINATION OF PROGRAM.**—

2 **(1) IN GENERAL.**—Section 305 of the Coastal
3 Zone Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. 1454) is
4 amended—

5 **(A)** by striking subsection (a);

6 **(B)** by striking “(b)”; and

7 **(C)** by amending the heading to read as fol-
8 lows:

9 “**SUBMITTAL OF STATE PROGRAM FOR APPROVAL**”.

10 **(2) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.**—Section
11 308(b)(2)(B) of the Coastal Zone Management Act of
12 1972 (16 U.S.C. 1457(b)(2)(B)) is amended—

13 **(A)** in clause (iv) by adding “and” after the
14 semicolon;

15 **(B)** by striking clause (v); and

16 **(C)** by redesignating clause (vi) as clause
17 (v).

18 **(3) EFFECTIVE DATE.**—This subsection shall take
19 effect on October 1, 1999.

20 **SEC. 3. IMPLEMENTATION ASSISTANCE FOR COASTAL ZONE**
21 **ENHANCEMENT.**

22 Section 309(b) of the Coastal Zone Management Act
23 of 1972 (16 U.S.C. 1456b(b)) is amended—

24 **(1)** by inserting “(1)” before “Subject to”; and

25 **(2)** by adding at the end the following new para-
26 graph:

1 “(2)(A) *In addition to any amounts provided under*
 2 *section 306, and subject to the availability of appropria-*
 3 *tions, the Secretary may make grants under this subsection*
 4 *to States for implementing program changes approved by*
 5 *the Secretary in accordance with section 306(e).*

6 “(B) *Grants under this paragraph to implement a pro-*
 7 *gram change may not be made in any fiscal year after the*
 8 *second fiscal year that begins after the approval of that*
 9 *change by the Secretary.*”.

10 **SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR**
 11 **GRANTS.**

12 *Section 318 of the Coastal Zone Management Act of*
 13 *1972 (16 U.S.C. 1464) is amended—*

14 *(1) by striking “SEC. 318.” and all that follows*
 15 *through subsection (a) and inserting the following:*

16 *“SEC. 318. (a) There are authorized to be appropriated*
 17 *to the Secretary, to remain available until expended—*

18 *“(1) for grants under sections 306, 306A, and*
 19 *309—*

20 *“(A) \$46,200,000 for fiscal year 1996;*

21 *“(B) \$47,600,000 for fiscal year 1997;*

22 *“(C) \$49,000,000 for fiscal year 1998;*

23 *“(D) \$50,500,000 for fiscal year 1999; and*

24 *“(E) \$52,000,000 for fiscal year 2000; and*

25 *“(2) for grants under section 315—*

1 “(A) \$4,300,000 for fiscal year 1996;

2 “(B) \$4,400,000 for fiscal year 1997;

3 “(C) \$4,500,000 for fiscal year 1998;

4 “(D) \$4,600,000 for fiscal year 1999; and

5 “(E) \$4,700,000 for fiscal year 2000.”;

6 (2) by striking subsection (b); and

7 (3) by redesignating subsections (c) and (d) in
8 order as subsections (b) and (c).

9 **SEC. 5. COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT FUND.**

10 (a) *AUTHORIZATION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE EX-*
11 *PENSES.*—Section 308(b)(2)(A) of the Coastal Zone Man-
12 *agement Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. 1456a(b)(2)(A)) is amended*
13 *to read as follows:*

14 “(A) *Expenses incident to the administration of*
15 *this title, in an amount not to exceed for each of fiscal*
16 *years 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, and 2000 the higher*
17 *of—*

18 “(i) \$4,000,000; or

19 “(ii) 8 percent of the total amount appro-
20 priated under this title for the fiscal year.”.

21 (b) *AUTHORIZATION FOR PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT*
22 *GRANTS.*—Section 308(b)(2)(B)(v) of the Coastal Zone
23 *Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. 1456a(b)(2)(B)(v)) is*
24 *amended to read as follows:*

1 “(v) program development grants as author-
2 ized by section 305, in an amount not to exceed
3 \$500,000 for fiscal year 1996, and \$200,000 for
4 each of fiscal years 1997, 1998, and 1999; and”.

5 **SEC. 6. MATCHING REQUIREMENT.**

6 Section 315(e)(3) of the Coastal Zone Management Act
7 of 1972 (16 U.S.C. 1461(e)(3)) is amended by adding at
8 the end the following new subparagraph:

9 “(C) Notwithstanding subparagraphs (A) and (B), fi-
10 nancial assistance under this subsection provided from
11 amounts recovered as natural resource damages may be
12 used to pay 100 percent of the costs of activities carried
13 out with the assistance.”.

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