

104<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 700

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 26, 1995

Mr. ZELIFF (for himself and Mr. ANDREWS) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Budget and, in addition, to the Committee on Appropriations, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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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. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “A to Z Spending Cuts  
5       Plan”.

1     **TITLE I—DISCRETIONARY CAP**  
2                     **ADJUSTMENTS**

3     **SECTION 101. DOWNWARD ADJUSTMENT OF DISCRE-**  
4                     **TIONARY SPENDING LIMITS.**

5             The discretionary spending limits (new budget au-  
6     thority and outlays) for fiscal year 1995 set forth in sec-  
7     tion 601(a)(2) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974,  
8     as adjusted in strict conformance with section 251 of the  
9     Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of  
10    1985, shall be reduced, as calculated by the Director of  
11    the Office of Management and Budget, in amounts equal  
12    to the aggregate amounts of rescissions under title II for  
13    that fiscal year.

14    **SEC. 102. PAYGO SCORECARD.**

15             Reductions in outlays in a fiscal year resulting from  
16    any provision in this Act shall not be taken into account  
17    for any purpose under section 252 of the Balanced Budget  
18    and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985.

19    **SEC. 103. DISCRETIONARY SPENDING LIMITS FOR FISCAL**  
20                     **YEARS 1995–1998.**

21             (a) REDUCTION IN DISCRETIONARY SPENDING LIM-  
22    ITS.—The discretionary spending limits (budget authority  
23    and outlays) for each of fiscal years 1995, 1996, 1997,  
24    and 1998 set forth in section 601(a)(2) of the Congres-  
25    sional Budget Act of 1974, as adjusted in strict conform-

1 ance with section 251 of the Balanced Budget and Emer-  
2 gency Deficit Control Act of 1985, shall be reduced as cal-  
3 culated by the Director of the Office of Management and  
4 Budget, by the aggregate amounts of rescissions under  
5 title II for any fiscal year, plus any additional savings for  
6 that fiscal year as a result of the enactment of title III.

7 (b) DEFINITION.—For the purposes of subsection  
8 (a), the term “additional savings for that fiscal year as  
9 a result of the enactment of title III” means the net aggre-  
10 gate amount (if any) by which the OMB current services  
11 baseline for discretionary appropriations (before any re-  
12 scissions made under title II) for all programs, projects,  
13 and activities for which new authorization levels or obliga-  
14 tion limits are established by title II exceeds those new  
15 authorization levels for fiscal years 1996, 1997, or 1998,  
16 as the case may be, or the amount by which the program  
17 changes (changes in authorizing statutes which reduce the  
18 need for future discretionary appropriations) result in a  
19 reduction in outlays.

1           **TITLE II—REDUCTIONS IN**  
2                           **SPENDING**

3   **SEC. 201. RESCISSIONS.**

4   **TITLE III—CHANGES IN AUTHOR-**  
5           **IZATION STATUTES TO EF-**  
6           **FECT SPENDING REDUC-**  
7           **TIONS**

8   **SEC. 301. CHANGES.**

9   **TITLE IV—SENSE OF THE CON-**  
10           **GRESS ON THE REDUCTION**  
11           **OF THE DISCRETIONARY**  
12           **SPENDING CAPS**

13   **SEC. 401. SENSE OF CONGRESS.**

14       It is the Sense of Congress that each reduction in  
15 the discretionary spending caps caused by the spending  
16 cuts in title II and title III of this Act shall result in reduc-  
17 tions in future spending for that particular program only.

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