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S. 791

To provide that certain civil defense employees and employees of the Federal Emergency Management Agency may be eligible for certain public safety officers death benefits, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 11 (legislative day, MAY 1), 1995

Mr. COCHRAN (for himself and Mr. LOTT) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs

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. PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS DEATH BENEFITS**

4 **FOR CIVIL DEFENSE EMPLOYEES.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1204(7) of the Omnibus
6 Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C.
7 3796b(7)) is amended by striking “or rescue squad or am-
8 bulance crew” and inserting “rescue squad or ambulance

1 crew, or an employee of the Federal Emergency Manage-
2 ment Agency and employees of State and local emergency
3 management and civil defense agencies.”.

4 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
5 subsection (a) shall take effect on the date of enactment
6 of this Act and shall apply only to employees of the Fed-
7 eral Emergency Management Agency and employees of
8 State and local emergency management and civil defense
9 agencies who are injured or die in the line of duty on or
10 after such date.

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