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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 6, 1997

Ms. FURSE introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on National Security, and in addition to the Committee on International Relations, 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

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. TERMINATION OF NAVY F/A-18E/F AIRCRAFT**
4 **PROGRAM.**

5 No funds may be appropriated to the Department of
6 Defense for any fiscal year after fiscal year 1997 for re-

1 search, development, test, and evaluation or for procure-
2 ment for the Navy F/A-18E/F aircraft program.

3 **SEC. 2. TERMINATION OF THE MARINE CORPS V-22 OSPREY**
4 **AIRCRAFT PROGRAM.**

5 No funds may be appropriated to the Department of
6 Defense for any fiscal year after fiscal year 1997 for re-
7 search, development, test, and evaluation or for procure-
8 ment for the Marine Corps V-22 Osprey aircraft program.

9 **SEC. 3. TERMINATION OF THE AIR FORCE F-22 AIRCRAFT**
10 **PROGRAM.**

11 No funds may be appropriated to the Department of
12 Defense for any fiscal year after fiscal year 1997 for re-
13 search, development, test, and evaluation, for procure-
14 ment, or for military construction for the Air Force F-
15 22 aircraft program.

16 **SEC. 4. TERMINATION OF PRODUCTION OF TRIDENT II (D-**
17 **5) MISSILES AND RETIREMENT OF TRIDENT I**
18 **SUBMARINES.**

19 (a) **TERMINATION OF TRIDENT II MISSILE PRODUC-**
20 **TION.**—No funds may be appropriated to the Department
21 of Defense for any fiscal year after fiscal year 1997 for
22 production of Trident II (D-5) missiles for the Depart-
23 ment of the Navy.

1 (b) RETIREMENT OF TRIDENT I SUBMARINES.—The
2 Secretary of Defense shall retire eight Trident I sub-
3 marines during fiscal years 2000 through 2003.

4 **SEC. 5. LIMITATION ON PROCUREMENT OF C-17 AIRCRAFT.**

5 The Secretary of the Air Force may not procure more
6 than eight C-17 aircraft in each of fiscal years 1998,
7 1999, and 2000.

8 **SEC. 6. REDUCTION OF NUCLEAR DELIVERY SYSTEMS.**

9 The Secretary of Defense shall reduce the strategic
10 nuclear force of the Department of Defense by fiscal year
11 2003 to include a maximum number of 300 Minuteman
12 III intercontinental ballistic missiles.

13 **SEC. 7. REDUCTION IN THEATER MISSILE DEFENSE PRO-**
14 **GRAMS.**

15 (a) TERMINATION OF PROGRAMS.—The Secretary of
16 Defense shall reduce theater missile defense programs by
17 terminating development of—

18 (1) the Navy sea-based area theater missile de-
19 fense system;

20 (2) the Army Medium Extended Air Defense
21 System (MEADS);

22 (3) the Air Force airborne laser for destruction
23 of missiles system; and

24 (4) the Space and Missile Tracking System
25 (Brilliant Eyes).

1 (b) PROHIBITION ON FUNDING FOR DEVELOPMENT
2 OF ARROW MISSILE FOR ISRAEL.—No funds may be ap-
3 propriated to the Department of Defense for any fiscal
4 year after fiscal year 1997 to provide assistance to Israel
5 for development of the Arrow missile.

6 **SEC. 8. REDUCTION IN SCOPE OF DEPARTMENT OF EN-**
7 **ERGY STOCKPILE STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM.**

8 The Secretary of Energy shall reduce activities under
9 the Stockpile Stewardship Program so as to achieve sav-
10 ings of not less than \$730,000,000 during fiscal years
11 1998 through 2002 by—

12 (1) consolidating the activities of the Los Ala-
13 mos National Laboratory and the Lawrence Liver-
14 more National Laboratory;

15 (2) terminating testing activities at the Nevada
16 Test Site; and

17 (3) canceling the development of a tritium pro-
18 duction accelerator reactor.

19 **SEC. 9. REDUCTION IN ARMS TRANSFER SUBSIDIES.**

20 (a) RECOUPMENT OF FEES FOR COMMERCIAL
21 SALES.—Section 38 of the Arms Export Control Act (22
22 U.S.C. 2778) is amended by adding at the end the follow-
23 ing new subsection:

24 “(i)(1) Any sale involving the export of major defense
25 equipment pursuant to a license or other approval granted

1 under this section shall include an appropriate charge for
2 a proportionate amount of the nonrecurring costs incurred
3 by the United States in the research, development, and
4 production of such equipment. Such charge shall be com-
5 parable to the charge imposed pursuant to section
6 21(e)(1)(B) of this Act relating to government-to-govern-
7 ment sales of major defense equipment.

8 “(2) The charge provided for in paragraph (1) shall
9 not apply with respect to major defense equipment that
10 is paid for from funds transferred under section 503(a)(3)
11 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C.
12 2311(a)(3)) or from funds made available on a grant or
13 other non repayable basis under section 23 of this Act.”.

14 (b) RECOVERY OF ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES.—
15 Section 43(b) of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C.
16 2792(b)) is amended—

17 (1) by adding “and” at the end of paragraph

18 (1);

19 (2) by striking “; and” at the end of paragraph

20 (2) and inserting a period; and

21 (3) by striking paragraph (3).

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