

# Union Calendar No. 302

105<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 3504

[Report No. 105-533]

To amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize appropriations for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts and to further define the criteria for capital repair and operation and maintenance.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 19, 1998

Mr. SHUSTER (for himself and Mr. OBERSTAR) (both by request) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

MAY 13, 1998

Additional sponsor: Mr. DUNCAN

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[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 March 19, 1998]

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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 “John F. Kennedy Center*  
5 *for the Performing Arts Authorization Act of 1998”.*

6 **SEC. 2. CAPITAL REPAIR DUTIES.**

7        *Section 4(a)(1)(G) of the John F. Kennedy Center Act*  
8 *(20 U.S.C. 76j(a)(1)(G)) is amended to read as follows:*

9                *“(G) with respect to the building and site of*  
10                *the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing*  
11                *Arts, plan, design, and construct each capital re-*  
12                *pair, replacement, improvement, rehabilitation,*  
13                *alteration, or modification necessary to main-*  
14                *tain the functionality of the building and site at*  
15                *current standards of life, safety, security, and*  
16                *accessibility;”.*

17 **SEC. 3. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DUTIES.**

18        *Section 4(a)(1)(H)(ii) of the John F. Kennedy Center*  
19 *Act (20 U.S.C. 76j(a)(1)(H)(ii)) is amended to read as fol-*  
20 *lows:*

21                *“(ii) with respect to the building and*  
22                *site of the John F. Kennedy Center for the*  
23                *Performing Arts, all necessary maintenance,*  
24                *repair, and alteration of, and all janitorial,*  
25                *security, and other services and equipment*

1                   *necessary for the operations of, the building*  
2                   *and site, in a manner consistent with re-*  
3                   *quirements for high quality operations;*  
4                   *and”.*

5 **SEC. 4. REPEAL OF AUDIT REQUIREMENT.**

6           *Section 6 of the John F. Kennedy Center Act (20*  
7 *U.S.C. 76l) is amended by striking subsection (d) and redess-*  
8 *ignating subsections (e) and (f) as subsections (d) and (e),*  
9 *respectively.*

10 **SEC. 5. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

11           *Section 12 of the John F. Kennedy Center Act (20*  
12 *U.S.C. 76r) is amended by striking subsections (a) and (b)*  
13 *and inserting the following:*

14           “(a) *MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND SECURITY.—There*  
15 *are authorized to be appropriated to the Board to carry*  
16 *out section 4(a)(1)(H)—*

17                   “(1) *\$13,000,000 for fiscal year 1999;*

18                   “(2) *\$14,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2000*  
19 *and 2001; and*

20                   “(3) *\$15,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2002*  
21 *and 2003.*

22           “(b) *CAPITAL PROJECTS.—There are authorized to be*  
23 *appropriated to the Board to carry out subparagraphs (F)*  
24 *and (G) of section 4(a)(1)—*

- 1           “(1) \$20,000,000 for each of fiscal years 1999,  
2           2000, and 2001;  
3           “(2) \$19,000,000 for fiscal year 2002; and  
4           “(3) \$17,000,000 for fiscal year 2003.”.



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