

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

# S. 2143

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 45 of title 28, United States Code, to authorize the Administrative Assistant to the Chief Justice to accept voluntary services, 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. AUTHORIZATION FOR VOLUNTARY SERVICES.**

2 Section 677 of title 28, United States Code, is  
3 amended by adding at the end the following:

4 “(c)(1) Notwithstanding section 1342 of title 31, the  
5 Administrative Assistant, with the approval of the Chief  
6 Justice, may accept voluntary personal services to assist  
7 with public and visitor programs.

8 “(2) No person may volunteer personal services under  
9 this subsection unless the person has first agreed, in writ-  
10 ing, to waive any claim against the United States arising  
11 out of or in connection with such services, other than a  
12 claim under chapter 81 of title 5.

13 “(3) No person volunteering personal services under  
14 this subsection shall be considered an employee of the  
15 United States for any purpose other than for purposes  
16 of—

17 “(A) chapter 81 of title 5; or

18 “(B) chapter 171 of this title.

19 “(4) In the administration of this subsection, the Ad-  
20 ministrative Assistant shall ensure that the acceptance of

1 personal services shall not result in the reduction of pay  
2 or displacement of any employee of the Supreme Court.”.

Passed the Senate July 16, 1998.

Attest:

*Secretary.*

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