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# S. RES. 28

Authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 28, 1997

Mr. D'AMATO, from the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, reported the following original resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration

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## RESOLUTION

Authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

1       *Resolved*, That, in carrying out its powers, duties, and  
2 functions under the Standing Rules of the Senate, in ac-  
3 cordance with its jurisdiction under rule XXV of such  
4 rules, including holding hearings, reporting such hearings,  
5 and making investigations as authorized by paragraphs 1  
6 and 8 of rule XXVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate,  
7 the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs  
8 is authorized from March 1, 1997 through February 28,  
9 1998, and March 1, 1998, through February 28, 1999,

1 in its discretion (1) to make expenditures from the contin-  
2 gent fund of the Senate, (2) to employ personnel, and (3)  
3 with the prior consent of the Government department or  
4 agency concerned and the Committee on Rules and Ad-  
5 ministration, to use on a reimbursable or non-reimburs-  
6 able basis the services of personnel of any such depart-  
7 ment or agency.

8       SEC. 2. The expenses of the committee for the period  
9 of March 1, 1997, through February 28, 1998, under this  
10 resolution shall not exceed \$2,853,725 of which amount  
11 (1) not to exceed \$20,000 may be expended for the pro-  
12 curement of the services of individual consultants, or orga-  
13 nizations thereof (as authorized by section 202(i) of the  
14 Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946, as amended), and  
15 (2) not to exceed \$850 may be expended for the training  
16 of the professional staff of such committee (under proce-  
17 dures specified by section 202(j) of the Legislative Reorga-  
18 nization Act of 1946).

19       (b) For the period of March 1, 1998, through Feb-  
20 ruary 28, 1999, expenses of the committee under this res-  
21 olution shall not exceed \$2,928,278 of which amount (1)  
22 not to exceed \$20,000 may be expended for the procure-  
23 ment of the services of individual consultants, or organiza-  
24 tions thereof (as authorized by section 202(i) of the Legis-  
25 lative Reorganization Act of 1946, as amended), and (2)

1 not to exceed \$850 may be expended for the training of  
2 professional staff of such committee (under procedures  
3 specified by section 202(j) of the Legislative Reorganiza-  
4 tion Act of 1946).

5       SEC. 3. The committee shall report its findings, to-  
6 gether with such recommendations for legislation as it  
7 deems advisable, to the Senate at the earliest practicable  
8 date, but not later than February 28, 1998, and February  
9 28, 1999, respectively.

10       SEC. 4. Expenses of the committee under this resolu-  
11 tion shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate  
12 upon vouchers approved by the chairman of the commit-  
13 tee, except that vouchers shall not be required (1) for the  
14 disbursement of salaries of employees paid at an annual  
15 rate, or (2) for the payment of telecommunications pro-  
16 vided by the Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Door-  
17 keeper, United States Senate, or (3) for the payment of  
18 stationery supplies purchased through the Keeper of the  
19 Stationery, United States Senate, or (4) for payments to  
20 the Postmaster, United States Senate, or (5) for the pay-  
21 ment of metered charges on copying equipment provided  
22 by the Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper,  
23 United States Senate, or (6) for the payment of Senate  
24 Recording and Photographic Services.

1        SEC. 5. There are authorized such sums as may be  
2 necessary for agency contributions related to the com-  
3 pensation of employees of the committee from March 1,  
4 1997, through February 28, 1998, and March 1, 1998,  
5 through February 28, 1999, to be paid from the Appro-  
6 priations account for “Expenses of Inquiries and Inves-  
7 tigation”.

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