

106TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. 1681

To extend the authority of the Thomas Paine National Historical Association to establish a memorial to Thomas Paine in the District of Columbia.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 1, 1999

Mr. CRAIG introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration

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## 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. EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY FOR ESTABLISH-**  
4 **MENT OF THOMAS PAINE MEMORIAL.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Public Law 102–407 (40 U.S.C.  
6 1003 note; 106 Stat. 1991) is amended by adding at the  
7 end the following:

8 **“SEC. 4. EXPIRATION OF AUTHORITY.**

9 “Notwithstanding the time period limitation specified  
10 in section 10(b) of the Commemorative Works Act (40

1 U.S.C. 1010(b)) or any other provision of law, the author-  
2 ity for the Thomas Paine National Historical Association  
3 to establish a memorial to Thomas Paine in the District  
4 of Columbia under this Act shall expire on December 31,  
5 2003.”.

6 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—

7 (1) APPLICABLE LAW.—Section 1(b) of Public  
8 Law 102–407 (40 U.S.C. 1003 note; 106 Stat.  
9 1991) is amended by striking “The establishment”  
10 and inserting “Except as provided in section 4, the  
11 establishment”.

12 (2) EXPIRATION OF AUTHORITY.—Section 3 of  
13 Public Law 102–407 (40 U.S.C. 1003 note; 106  
14 Stat. 1991) is amended—

15 (A) by striking “or upon expiration of the  
16 authority for the memorial under section 10(b)  
17 of that Act,” and inserting “or on expiration of  
18 the authority for the memorial under section  
19 4,”; and

20 (B) by striking “section 8(b)(1) of that  
21 Act” and inserting “section 8(b)(1) of the Com-  
22 memorative Works Act (40 U.S.C.  
23 1008(b)(1))”.

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