

106TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2472

To amend the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to restore certain penalties under that Act.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 26, 2000

Mr. SHELBY introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Migratory Bird Pen-
5 alty Restoration Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. RESTORATION OF PENALTIES.**

7 Section 6 of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16
8 U.S.C. 707) is amended—

9 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “\$15,000”
10 and inserting “\$5,000”; and

1 (2) by striking subsection (c) and inserting the
2 following:

3 “(c) PLACEMENT OF BAIT.—Notwithstanding section
4 3571 of title 18, United States Code—

5 “(1) an individual who violates section 3(b)(2)
6 shall be fined not more than \$5000, imprisoned not
7 more than 1 year, or both; and

8 “(2) a person, other than an individual, that
9 violates section 3(b)(2) shall be fined not more than
10 \$10,000, imprisoned not more than 1 year, or
11 both.”.

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