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# S. 3178

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 6 (legislative day, SEPTEMBER 22), 2000

Mr. REID for (Mrs. FEINSTEIN (for herself, Mrs. BOXER, and Mr. AKAKA)) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs

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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. MANDATORY SEPARATION AGE FOR FIRE-**  
4 **FIGHTERS.**

5 (a) CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM.—

6 (1) IN GENERAL.—The second sentence of sec-  
7 tion 8335(b) of title 5, United States Code, is  
8 amended—

1 (A) by inserting “, firefighter,” after “law  
2 enforcement officer”; and

3 (B) by inserting “, firefighter,” after “that  
4 officer”.

5 (2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section  
6 8335(b) of title 5, United States Code, is amended  
7 by striking the first sentence.

8 (b) FEDERAL EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM.—

9 (1) IN GENERAL.—The second sentence of sec-  
10 tion 8425(b) of title 5, United States Code, is  
11 amended—

12 (A) by inserting “, firefighter,” after “law  
13 enforcement officer”; and

14 (B) by inserting “, firefighter,” after “that  
15 officer”.

16 (2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section  
17 8425(b) of title 5, United States Code, is amended  
18 by striking the first sentence.

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