

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

# H. R. 3656

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 25, 2002

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

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## AN ACT

To amend the International Organizations Immunities Act to provide for the applicability of that Act to the European Central Bank.

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. DESIGNATION OF THE EUROPEAN CENTRAL**  
2 **BANK UNDER THE INTERNATIONAL ORGANI-**  
3 **ZATIONS IMMUNITIES ACT.**

4 The International Organizations Immunities Act (22  
5 U.S.C. 288 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the  
6 following new section:

7 “SEC. 15. The provisions of this title may be ex-  
8 tended to the European Central Bank in the same man-  
9 ner, to the same extent, and subject to the same condi-  
10 tions, as they may be extended to a public international  
11 organization in which the United States participates pur-  
12 suant to any treaty or under the authority of any Act of  
13 Congress authorizing such participation or making an ap-  
14 propriation for such participation.”

Passed the House of Representatives September 24,  
2002.

Attest:

JEFF TRANDAHL,

*Clerk.*