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S. 1853

Authorizing the President of the United States, on behalf of the Congress,
to present a gold medal to Sargent Shriver.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 19 (legislative day, DECEMBER 18), 2001

Mr. DODD (for himself and Mr. ROCKEFELLER) introduced the following bill;
which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing,
and Urban Affairs

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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. PRESENTATION OF MEDAL.**

4 The President is authorized to present to Sargent
5 Shriver, on behalf of Congress, a gold medal of appro-
6 priate design to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the
7 establishment of the Peace Corps and to recognize the in-
8 comparable contribution of Sargent Shriver as the first
9 Director of the Peace Corps.

1 **SEC. 2. PRODUCTION AND AUTHORIZATION.**

2 (a) COINING THE MEDAL.—For purposes of the pres-
3 entation referred to in section 1, the Secretary of the
4 Treasury (in this Act referred to as the “Secretary”) is
5 authorized and directed to cause to be struck a gold medal
6 with the emblem of the Peace Corps and the likeness of
7 Sargent Shriver as well as the names of all past Directors
8 of the Peace Corps.

9 (b) AUTHORIZATION.—There is authorized to be ap-
10 propriated not to exceed \$30,000 to carry out subsection
11 (a).

12 **SEC. 3. SELLING BRONZE DUPLICATES.**

13 The Secretary may cause bronze duplicates of the
14 gold medal authorized by section 2(a) to be coined and
15 sold under such regulations as the Secretary may pre-
16 scribe. These duplicates shall be sold at a price sufficient
17 to cover their cost and the cost of the gold medal author-
18 ized by section 2(a), including labor, material, dies, use
19 of machinery, and overhead expenses. The Secretary shall
20 deposit in the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts proceeds
21 from the sale of such duplicates.

22 **SEC. 4. DESIGNATION AS NATIONAL MEDALS.**

23 The medals authorized by section 2(a) and section
24 3 shall be considered to be national medals for purposes
25 of section 5111 of title 31, United States Code.