

108TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. 2870

To authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue certificates of documentation with appropriate endorsements for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessels LOBSTAR and SARA BELLE.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 30, 2004

Ms. SNOWE introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

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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. CERTIFICATE OF DOCUMENTATION.**

4       Notwithstanding section 27 of the Merchant Marine  
5       Act, 1920 (46 U.S.C. App. 883), section 8 of the Act of  
6       June 19, 1886 (24 Stat. 81, chapter 421; 46 U.S.C. App.  
7       289), and sections 12106 and 12108 of title 46, United  
8       States Code, the Secretary of Transportation may issue

1 a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorse-  
2 ment for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel  
3 LOBSTAR and for the vessel SARA BELLE, State of  
4 Maine registration numbers ME-11MMA and ME-  
5 8763G, respectively.

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