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To reauthorize various fisheries management laws, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. GILCHREST (for himself and Mr. POMBO) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on Resources

A BILL

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other purposes.

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 “Multi-State and Inter-
5 national Fisheries Conservation and Management Act of
6 2006”.

7 **SEC. 2. REAUTHORIZATION OF THE INTERJURISDICTIONAL**
8 **FISHERIES ACT OF 1986.**

9 Section 308 of the Interjurisdictional Fisheries Act
10 of 1986 (16 U.S.C. 4107) is amended—

1 (1) by amending subsection (a) to read as fol-
2 lows:

3 “(a) GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.—There are author-
4 ized to be appropriated to the Department of Commerce
5 for apportionment to carry out the purposes of this title—

6 “(1) \$6,400,000 for each of fiscal years 2007
7 and 2008;

8 “(2) \$6,900,000 for each of fiscal years 2009
9 and 2010; and

10 “(3) \$7,400,000 for each of fiscal years 2011
11 and 2012.”; and

12 (2) in subsection (c) by striking “\$850,000 for
13 each of fiscal years 2003 and 2004, and \$900,000
14 for each of fiscal years 2005 and 2006” and insert-
15 ing “\$1,050,000 for each of fiscal years 2007 and
16 2008, \$1,200,000 for each of fiscal years 2009 and
17 2010, and \$1,350,000 for each of fiscal years 2011
18 and 2012”.

19 **SEC. 3. REAUTHORIZATION AND AMENDMENT OF THE**
20 **ANADROMOUS FISH CONSERVATION ACT.**

21 Section 4 of the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act
22 (16 U.S.C. 757d) is amended to read as follows:

23 **“SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

24 “There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out
25 the purposes of this Act not to exceed the following sums:

1 “(1) \$5,250,000 for each of fiscal years 2007
2 and 2008;

3 “(2) \$5,500,000 for each of fiscal years 2009
4 and 2010; and

5 “(3) \$5,750,000 for each of fiscal years 2011
6 and 2012.”.

7 **SEC. 5. EXTENSION OF DUNGENESS CRAB FISHERY MAN-**
8 **AGEMENT ACT OF 1996.**

9 Section 203 of Public Law 105–384 (16 U.S.C. 1856
10 note) is amended—

11 (1) in subsection (i) by striking “2006” and in-
12 serting “2012”;

13 (2) in subsection (j) by inserting “REPORT.—”
14 after “(j)”; and

15 (3) by adding at the end the following:

16 “(b) SHORT TITLE.—This section may be cited as the
17 ‘Dungeness Crab Fishery Management Act of 1996’.”.

18 **SEC. 6. REAUTHORIZATION OF THE ATLANTIC TUNAS CON-**
19 **VENTION ACT OF 1975.**

20 Section 10 of the Atlantic Tunas Convention Act of
21 1975 (16 U.S.C. 971h) is amended by striking so much
22 as precedes subsection (b) and inserting the following:

23 **“SEC. 10. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

24 “(a) IN GENERAL.—There are authorized to be ap-
25 propriated to carry out this Act, including use for payment

1 of the United States share of the joint expenses of the
2 Commission as provided in Article X of the Convention,
3 the following sums:

4 “(1) For each of fiscal years 2007 and 2008,
5 \$5,510,000.

6 “(2) For each of fiscal years 2009 and 2010,
7 \$5,525,000.

8 “(3) For each of fiscal years 2011 and 2012,
9 \$5,540,000.”.

10 **SEC. 7. REAUTHORIZATION OF THE NORTHWEST ATLANTIC**
11 **FISHERIES CONVENTION ACT OF 1995.**

12 Section 211 of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Con-
13 vention Act of 1995 (16 U.S.C. 5610) is amended by strik-
14 ing “2006” and inserting “2012”.

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