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S. 1607

To amend section 10501 of title 49, United States Code, to exclude solid waste disposal from the jurisdiction of the Surface Transportation Board.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 29, 2005

Mr. LAUTENBERG (for himself and Mr. CORZINE) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Solid Waste Environ-
5 mental Regulation Clarification Affecting Railroads Act of
6 2005”.

1 **SEC. 2. AMENDMENTS TO EXCLUDE SOLID WASTE DIS-**
2 **POSAL FROM THE JURISDICTION OF THE**
3 **BOARD.**

4 Section 10501 of title 49, United States Code, is
5 amended—

6 (1) in subsection (b)(2), by inserting “except
7 solid waste management facilities (as defined in sec-
8 tion 1004 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act (42
9 U.S.C. 6903)),” after “facilities,”; and

10 (2) in subsection (c)(2)—

11 (A) by striking “over mass” and inserting
12 the following: “over—

13 “(A) mass”; and

14 (B) by striking the period at the end and
15 inserting the following: “; or

16 “(B) the processing or sorting of solid
17 waste.”.

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