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To reauthorize the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 17, 1997

Mr. GRAMS (for himself, Mr. D'AMATO, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN, Mr. McCONNELL, and Mr. LEAHY) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

SEPTEMBER 10, 1997

Reported by Mr. D'AMATO, with an amendment

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in italic]

A BILL

To reauthorize the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

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. EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY.**4 ~~Section 7 of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945~~5 ~~(12 U.S.C. 635f) is amended by striking “1997” and in-~~6 ~~serting “2001”.~~

1 **SEC. 2. TIED AID CREDIT FUND AUTHORITY.**

2 (a) Section 10(c)(2) of the Export-Import Bank Act
3 of 1945 (12 U.S.C. 635i-3(e)(2)) is amended by striking
4 “through September 30, 1997”.

5 (b) Section 10(c) of such Act (12 U.S.C. 635i-3(e))
6 is amended by striking the first sentence and inserting the
7 following: “There are authorized to be appropriated to the
8 Fund such sums as may be necessary to carry out the
9 purposes of this section.”.

10 **SEC. 3. EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE FINANC-**
11 **ING FOR THE EXPORT OF NONLETHAL DE-**
12 **FENSE ARTICLES OR SERVICES THE PRIMARY**
13 **END USE OF WHICH WILL BE FOR CIVILIAN**
14 **PURPOSES.**

15 Section 1(c) of Public Law 103-428 (12 U.S.C. 635
16 note; 108 Stat. 4376) is amended by striking “1997” and
17 inserting “2001”.

18 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

19 *This Act may be cited as the “Export-Import Bank*
20 *Reauthorization Act of 1997”.*

21 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY.**

22 *Section 7 of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 (12*
23 *U.S.C. 635f) is amended by striking “1997” and inserting*
24 *“2001”.*

1 **SEC. 3. TIED AID CREDIT FUND AUTHORITY.**

2 (a) *Section 10(c)(2) of the Export-Import Bank Act*
 3 *of 1945 (12 U.S.C. 635i-3(c)(2)) is amended by striking*
 4 *“through” and all that follows through “1997”.*

5 (b) *Section 10(e) of such Act (12 U.S.C. 635i-3(3))*
 6 *is amended by striking the first sentence and inserting the*
 7 *following: “There are authorized to be appropriated to the*
 8 *Fund such sums as may be necessary to carry out the pur-*
 9 *poses of this section.”.*

10 **SEC. 4. EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE FINANCING**
 11 **FOR THE EXPORT OF NONLETHAL DEFENSE**
 12 **ARTICLES OR SERVICES THE PRIMARY END**
 13 **USE OF WHICH WILL BE FOR CIVILIAN PUR-**
 14 **POSES.**

15 *Section 1(c) of Public Law 103-428 (12 U.S.C. 635*
 16 *note; 108 Stat. 4376) is amended by striking “1997” and*
 17 *inserting “2001”.*

18 **SEC. 5. OUTREACH TO COMPANIES.**

19 *Section 2(b)(1) of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945*
 20 *(12 U.S.C. 635(b)(1)) is amended by adding at the end the*
 21 *following:*

22 *“(I) The Chairman of the Bank shall undertake efforts*
 23 *to enhance the Bank’s capacity to provide information*
 24 *about the Bank’s programs to small and rural companies*
 25 *which have not previously participated in the Bank’s pro-*
 26 *grams. Not later than 1 year after the date of the enactment*

1 *of this subparagraph, the Chairman of the Bank shall sub-*
2 *mit to Congress a report on the activities undertaken pursu-*
3 *ant to this subparagraph.”.*

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