

108TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 858

To extend the Abraham Lincoln Bicentennial Commission, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 10, 2003

Mr. DURBIN (for himself and Mr. BUNNING) introduced the following bill;
which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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and for 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. ABRAHAM LINCOLN BICENTENNIAL COMMIS-**
4 **SION.**

5 (a) DUTIES.—Section 4 of the Abraham Lincoln Bi-
6 centennial Commission Act (36 U.S.C. note prec. 101;
7 Public Law 106–173) is amended—

8 (1) in paragraph (1)(D), by striking “redesigna-
9 tion” and inserting “rededication”; and

10 (2) by adding at the end the following:

1 “(3) To recommend to Congress a plan to carry
2 out the activities recommended under paragraph (2).

3 “(4) To carry out other related activities in
4 support of the duties carried out under paragraphs
5 (1) through (3).”.

6 (b) EXTENSION.—Section 8 of such Act (36 U.S.C.
7 note prec. 101; Public Law 106–173) is amended—

8 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “The” and in-
9 serting “In addition to the interim report required
10 under subsection (b), the”;

11 (2) in subsection (b)—

12 (A) in the subsection heading, by striking
13 “FINAL REPORT.—” and inserting “REQUIRED
14 INTERIM REPORT.—”;

15 (B) by striking the first sentence and in-
16 serting: “Not later than June 24, 2004, the
17 Commission shall submit an interim report to
18 Congress.”; and

19 (C) in the second sentence, by striking
20 “final”; and

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

22 “(c) FINAL REPORT.—Not later than April 30, 2010,
23 the Commission shall submit a final report to Congress.
24 The final report shall contain final statements, rec-

1 ommendations, and information described under sub-
2 section (b)(1), (2), and (3).”.

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