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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. BIDEN, without amendment

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## **AN ACT**

To amend the Torture Victims Relief Act of 1998 to authorize appropriations to provide assistance for domestic and foreign programs and centers for the treatment of victims of torture, 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Torture Victims Relief  
5 Reauthorization Act of 2007”.

1 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR DOMES-**  
2 **TIC TREATMENT CENTERS FOR VICTIMS OF**  
3 **TORTURE.**

4 Section 5(b)(1) of the Torture Victims Relief Act of  
5 1998 (22 U.S.C. 2152 note) is amended to read as follows:

6 “(1) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—Of  
7 the amounts authorized to be appropriated for the  
8 Department of Health and Human Services for fis-  
9 cal years 2008 and 2009, there are authorized to be  
10 appropriated to carry out subsection (a)  
11 \$25,000,000 for each of the fiscal years 2008 and  
12 2009.”.

13 **SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR FOR-**  
14 **EIGN TREATMENT CENTERS FOR VICTIMS OF**  
15 **TORTURE.**

16 Section 4(b)(1) of the Torture Victims Relief Act of  
17 1998 (22 U.S.C. 2152 note) is amended to read as follows:

18 “(1) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—Of  
19 the amounts authorized to be appropriated for fiscal  
20 years 2008 and 2009 pursuant to chapter 1 of part  
21 I of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, there are  
22 authorized to be appropriated to the President to  
23 carry out section 130 of such Act \$12,000,000 for  
24 each of the fiscal years 2008 and 2009.”.

1 **SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE**  
2 **UNITED STATES CONTRIBUTION TO THE**  
3 **UNITED NATIONS VOLUNTARY FUND FOR**  
4 **VICTIMS OF TORTURE.**

5       Of the amounts authorized to be appropriated for fis-  
6 cal years 2008 and 2009 pursuant to chapter 3 of part  
7 I of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, there are author-  
8 ized to be appropriated to the President for a voluntary  
9 contribution to the United Nations Voluntary Fund for  
10 Victims of Torture \$12,000,000 for each of the fiscal  
11 years 2008 and 2009.

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