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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 17, 2012

Mr. LEAHY (for himself and Mr. SANDERS) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

A BILL

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “MILC Continuation Act of 2012”.

SEC. 2. MILK INCOME LOSS CONTRACT PROGRAM.

Section 1506 of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 8773) is amended—

(1) in subsection (c)(3)—
(A) in subparagraph (A), by adding “and” at the end;

(B) in subparagraph (B)—

(i) by striking “August 31, 2012” and inserting “September 30, 2013”; and

(ii) by striking “; and” and inserting a period; and

(C) by striking subparagraph (C);

(2) in subsection (d)—

(A) in paragraph (1), by striking “August 31, 2012” and inserting “September 30, 2013”;

(B) by striking paragraph (2); and

(C) by redesignating paragraph (3) as paragraph (2);

(3) in subsection (e)(2)(A)—

(A) in clause (i), by adding “and” at the end;

(B) in clause (ii)—

(i) by striking “August 31, 2012” and inserting “September 30, 2013”; and

(ii) by striking “; and” and inserting a period; and

(C) by striking clause (iii); and
(4) in subsections (g) and (h)(1), by striking “2012” each place it appears and inserting “2013”. 