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An Act

May 27, 1976  
[H.R. 8957]

To raise the limitation on appropriations for the United States Commission on Civil Rights.

Civil Rights  
Commission  
Authorization Act  
of 1976.  
42 USC 1975e  
note.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That this Act may be cited as the "Civil Rights Commission Authorization Act of 1976".*

Sec. 2. Section 106 of the Civil Rights Act of 1957 (42 U.S.C. 1975e) is amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 106. For the purposes of carrying out this Act, there is hereby authorized to be appropriated for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976, the sum of \$7,893,000, and for the period beginning July 1, 1976, and ending September 30, 1976, the sum of \$1,993,000, and for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1977, the sum of \$9,540,000, and such additional amounts for those fiscal years and period prior to October 1, 1977, as may be necessary for increases in salary, pay, retirement, and other employee benefits authorized by law which arise subsequent to the date of the enactment of the Civil Rights Commission Authorization Act of 1976."

Approved May 27, 1976.

Sec. 106 (a) of Title I of Public Law 94-292 is amended by adding section 106 to read as follows: "Section 106 of the Commission for the Cooperative Inquiries program may be retained and used for salaries and expenses associated with that program notwithstanding the provisions of section 5017 of the Revised Statutes (42 U.S.C. 1975e), and shall remain available until expended, funds may be obligated for purposes stated in this section only to the extent provided in appropriation Act."

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

- SENATE REPORT No. 94-811 (Comm. on the Judiciary).
- CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, Vol. 122 (1976):
- Apr. 5, considered and passed House.
- May 13, considered and passed Senate.