H. R. 1643

To provide for an increase in funding for programs for the prevention and treatment of substance abuse in the Federal prison system.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 15, 1997

Ms. Waters (for herself, Mr. Cummings, Mr. Hilliard, Mr. Jackson of Illinois, Ms. Jackson-Lee of Texas, Ms. McKinney, Mrs. Meek of Florida, Mr. Thompson, Ms. Brown of Florida, Mr. Rush, Mr. Towns, Mr. Dixon, Mr. Stokes, Mr. Conyers, Mr. Dellums, Mr. Rangel, Mrs. Clayton, Ms. Kilpatrick, Mr. Clyburn, Mr. Ford, Mr. Davis of Illinois, Mr. Owens, Mr. Watt of North Carolina, Mr. Wynn, Mr. Scott, Mr. Hastings of Florida, Ms. Christian-Green, Ms. Carson, Ms. Norton, Mr. Payne, Mr. Clay, Mr. Jefferson, Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas, Mr. Fattah, Mr. Lewis of Georgia, and Ms. Millender-McDonald) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

To provide for an increase in funding for programs for the prevention and treatment of substance abuse in the Federal prison system.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

1 SECTION 1. INCREASED FUNDING FOR PREVENTION AND 2 TREATMENT OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE IN FED3 ERAL PRISON SYSTEM. 4 (a) IN GENERAL.—In carrying out section 4005 of 5 title 18, United States Code, the Attorney General (acting 6 through the Director of the Bureau of Prisons), in collabo7 ration with the Secretary of Health and Human Services

- 8 (acting through the Administrator of the Health Re-
- 9 sources and Services Administration), shall carry out a
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- 10 program for the prevention and treatment of substance
- 11 abuse among individuals who are in Federal penal or cor-
- 12 rectional institutions and in the criminal custody of the
- 13 Attorney General.
- 14 (b) Special Consideration in Provision of
- 15 Treatment.—In providing treatment under subsection
- 16 (a), the officials specified in such subsection shall give spe-
- 17 cial consideration to individuals whose terms of criminal
- 18 custody are within 12 months of completion.

19 SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

- For the purpose of carrying out section 1, there are
- 21 authorized to be appropriated \$250,000,000 for fiscal year
- 22 1998, and such sums as may be necessary for each of the
- 23 fiscal years 1999 through 2002. Such authorization is in
- 24 addition to any other authorization of appropriations that
- 25 is available for such purpose.