105TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. R. 4011

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to eliminate the diversity immigrant program.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

June 5, 1998

Mr. Sherman introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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- 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. ELIMINATION OF DIVERSITY IMMIGRANT PRO-
- 4 GRAM.
- 5 (a) Worldwide Level of Diversity Immi-
- 6 Grants.—Section 201 of the Immigration and National-
- 7 ity Act (8 U.S.C. 1151) is amended by striking sub-
- 8 sections (a)(3) and (e).

1 (b) Allocation of Diversity Immigrant Visas.— 2 Section 203 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1153) is amended— 3 4 (1) by striking subsection (c); (2) in subsection (d), by striking "(a), (b), or 5 6 (c)," and inserting "(a) or (b),"; 7 (3) in subsection (e), by striking paragraph (2) 8 and redesignating paragraph (3) as paragraph (2); 9 (4) in subsection (f), by striking "(a), (b), or (c)" and inserting "(a) or (b)"; and 10 11 (5) in subsection (g), by striking "(a), (b), and 12 (c)" and inserting "(a) and (b)". 13 (c) Procedure for Granting Immigrant Sta-14 TUS.—Section 204 of the Immigration and Nationality 15 Act (8 U.S.C. 1154) is amended— (1) in subsection (a)(1)(A)(i), by striking "(1), 16 17 (3)," and inserting "(1)"; 18 (2) by striking subsection (a)(1)(G); and 19 (3) in subsection (e), by striking "(a), (b), or (c)" and inserting "(a) or (b)". 20 21 SEC. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. 22 The amendments made by section 1 shall take effect 23 on the first day of the first fiscal year beginning after the

date of the enactment of this Act.