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H. R. 808

For the relief of John M. Ragsdale.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 13, 1997

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

A BILL

For the relief of John M. Ragsdale.

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. COMPENSATION FOR WORK-RELATED INJURY.**

4 (a) **AUTHORIZATION OF PAYMENT.**—The Secretary
5 of the Treasury shall pay, out of money in the Treasury
6 not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$49,331.29 to
7 John M. Ragsdale as compensation for injuries sustained
8 by John M. Ragsdale in June and July of 1952 while John
9 M. Ragsdale was employed by the National Bureau of
10 Standards.

11 (b) **SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS.**—The payment made
12 under subsection (a) shall be a full settlement of all claims

1 by John M. Ragsdale against the United States for the
2 injuries referred to in subsection (a).

3 **SEC. 2. LIMITATION ON AGENTS AND ATTORNEYS' FEES.**

4 It shall be unlawful for an amount that exceeds 10
5 percent of the amount authorized by section 1 to be paid
6 to or received by any agent or attorney in consideration
7 of services rendered in connection with this Act. Any per-
8 son who violates this section shall be guilty of an infrac-
9 tion and shall be subject to a fine in the amount provided
10 in title 18, United States Code.

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