105TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 888

To amend the Omnibus Consolidated Appropriations Act for fiscal year 1997 to prohibit the contracting out of certain duties.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

February 27, 1997

Ms. NORTON (for herself and Mrs. MORELLA) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight

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 663 of the Omnibus Consolidated Appropria-
- 4 tions Act, FY 1997 (Public Law 104–208) is amended by
- 5 adding at the end the following new subsection:
- 6 "(h) Limitation on Procurement of Service
- 7 Contracts.—
- 8 "(1) Except as provided in paragraph (2), the
- 9 President shall take appropriate action to ensure

that there is no increase in the procurement of service contracts by reason of the enactment of this section, except in cases in which a cost comparison demonstrates such contracts would be to the financial advantage of the Federal Government.

"(2) The duties and responsibilities of an individual who separates from Government service in order to receive a voluntary separation incentive payment under this section may not be performed, in whole or in part, by any person under contract with the United States.".

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