105TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

S. 2177

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

June 16, 1998

Mr. Inouye introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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. PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION FOR FINAL
- 4 CREW OF THE U.S.S. INDIANAPOLIS.
- 5 (a) Sense of Congress.—It is the sense of the Con-
- 6 gress that the President should award a Presidential Unit
- 7 Citation to the final crew of the U.S.S. INDIANAPOLIS
- 8 (CA-35) in recognition of the courage and fortitude dis-

- 1 played by the members of that crew in the face of extraor-
- 2 dinary hardship and adversity after their ship was
- 3 torpedoed and sunk on July 30, 1945.
- 4 (b) WAIVER OF TIME LIMITATION.—A citation de-
- 5 scribed in subsection (a) may be made without regard to
- 6 any provision of law or regulation prescribing a time limi-
- 7 tation that is otherwise applicable with respect to rec-
- 8 ommendation for, or the award of, such a citation.

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