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[Report No. 105-283]

To amend the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Act of 1990 to provide for implementation of recommendations of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service contained in the Great Lakes Fishery Restoration Study Report.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 25, 1997

Mr. GLENN (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. MOYNIHAN, Mr. DEWINE, Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN, Mr. KOHL, Mr. SPECTER, and Mr. LUGAR) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

JULY 31, 1998

Reported by Mr. CHAFEE, with an amendment

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A BILL

To amend the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Act of 1990 to provide for implementation of recommendations of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service contained in the Great Lakes Fishery Restoration Study Report.

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Great Lakes Fish and
 5 Wildlife Restoration Act of 1997”.

6 **SEC. 2. FINDINGS.**

7 The Congress finds the following:

8 (1) The Great Lakes Fishery Resources Res-
 9 toration Study, for which a report was submitted to
 10 the Congress in 1995, was a comprehensive study of
 11 the status, assessment, management, and restoration
 12 needs of the fishery resources of the Great Lakes
 13 Basin, and was conducted through the joint effort of
 14 the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, State
 15 fish and wildlife resource management agencies, In-
 16 dian tribes, and the Great Lakes Fishery Commis-
 17 sion.

18 (2) This study found the following:

19 (A) Physical changes to the Great Lakes
 20 through dredging, construction of hydroelectric
 21 and other dams, stone revetment projects, clear-
 22 ing of shoreline vegetation, and increased agri-
 23 culture have altered habitats, fish spawning
 24 mortality, erosion, sedimentation, oxygen levels,
 25 contaminant transport, nutrient loading, and

1 aesthetic character. Combined effects of over-
2 exploitation, habitat impairment, and destabiliz-
3 ing effects of nonindigenous species are respon-
4 sible for most of the decline of native fishes in
5 the Great Lakes. Physical changes to the near-
6 shore environments, riverine tributaries, and
7 wetlands by development projects have affected
8 those species relying on these habitats for criti-
9 cal phases of their life histories. Monitoring of
10 contaminants and analysis of their effects
11 should be coordinated and expanded.

12 (B) Significant habitats necessary for self-
13 sustaining populations of fish and wildlife are
14 threatened or impaired. Actions should include
15 identifying and protecting habitats that are
16 used by fish and wildlife for spawning, breed-
17 ing, nesting, rearing and feeding, and rehabili-
18 tating degraded habitats to be utilized by a di-
19 verse community.

20 (C) Working under the cooperatively devel-
21 oped guidance of the Strategic Plan for Man-
22 agement of the Great Lakes Fisheries, pub-
23 lished by the Great Lakes Fishery Commission
24 in 1980, and the Great Lakes Water Quality
25 Agreement, State, Provincial, Native American

1 tribal, and Federal agencies bordering the
2 Great Lakes have made significant progress to-
3 ward the goal of restoring a healthy fish com-
4 munity to the Great Lakes. Differences in man-
5 date, perception of priorities, and style of man-
6 agement create major institutional impediments
7 to systematic and comprehensive coordination
8 of ecosystem management. Many of the current
9 problems are, in fact, the unintended con-
10 sequences of uncoordinated management of
11 water quality, fisheries, shipping, and human
12 developments in the Great Lakes Basin. Con-
13 cepts of responsible resource use and manage-
14 ment and biological conservation should not be
15 at odds, but should be integrated via partner-
16 ships to meet future needs. Information ex-
17 change and cross-program forums should be es-
18 tablished to encourage management. Setting of
19 specific management goals is central to the co-
20 ordination of management efforts. Fishery man-
21 agers should increase their involvement with the
22 Binational Program, Remedial Action Plans,
23 Lake-Wide Management Plans, and the Envi-
24 ronmental Monitoring and Assessment Program
25 planning process.

1 **SEC. 3. REFERENCE.**

2 Whenever in this Act an amendment is expressed in
 3 terms of an amendment to, or repeal of, a section or other
 4 provision, the reference shall be considered to be made to
 5 that section or other provision of the Great Lakes Fish
 6 and Wildlife Restoration Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C. 941 et
 7 seq.), as set forth in title I of Public Law 101-573.

8 **SEC. 4. PURPOSES.**

9 Section 1003 (16 U.S.C. 941a) is amended—

10 (1) in the matter preceding paragraph (1), by
 11 striking “this Act” and inserting “this title”;

12 (2) by striking paragraph (1);

13 (3) by redesignating paragraphs (2) and (3) in
 14 order as paragraphs (1) and (2);

15 (4) by amending paragraph (1), as so redesign-
 16 nated, to read as follows:

17 “(1) to develop and implement proposals for the
 18 restoration of fish and wildlife resources in the
 19 Great Lakes Basin; and”;

20 (5) in paragraph (2), as so redesignated, by
 21 striking “habitat of” and inserting “habitat in”.

22 **SEC. 5. DEFINITIONS.**

23 Section 1004 (16 U.S.C. 941b) is amended—

24 (1) in the matter preceding paragraph (1), by
 25 striking “this Act” and inserting “this title”;

1 (2) in paragraph (8) by striking “plant or ani-
 2 mal” and inserting “plant, animal, or microorga-
 3 nism”;

4 (3) in paragraph (9) by striking “and” after
 5 the semicolon at the end; in paragraph (10) by strik-
 6 ing the period at the end and inserting a semicolon;
 7 and by redesignating paragraphs (9) and (10) as
 8 paragraphs (10) and (11), respectively;

9 (4) by inserting after paragraph (8) the follow-
 10 ing new paragraph:

11 “(9) the term ‘restoration’ means to rehabilitate
 12 and maintain the structure, function, diversity, and
 13 dynamics of a biological system, including, but not
 14 limited to, the reestablishment of self-sustaining
 15 populations of fish and wildlife;”;

16 (5) by adding at the end the following new
 17 paragraphs:

18 “(12) the term ‘Report’ means the United
 19 States Fish and Wildlife Service report entitled
 20 ‘Great Lakes Fishery Resources Restoration Study’,
 21 as submitted to the President of the Senate and the
 22 Speaker of the House of Representatives on Septem-
 23 ber 13, 1995;

1 “(13) the term ‘Committee’ means the Great
2 Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Proposal Re-
3 view Committee established by section 1005(e); and

4 “(14) the term ‘non-Federal source’ includes
5 State government, local governments, Indian Tribes,
6 other governmental entities, private entities, and in-
7 dividuals.”.

8 **SEC. 6. IDENTIFICATION, REVIEW, AND IMPLEMENTATION**
9 **OF PROPOSALS.**

10 Section 1005 (16 U.S.C. 941e) is amended to read
11 as follows:

12 **“SEC. 1005. IDENTIFICATION, REVIEW, AND IMPLEMENTA-**
13 **TION OF PROPOSALS.**

14 “(a) IN GENERAL.—The Director, in consultation
15 with the Committee, shall ensure that proposals resulting
16 from recommendations of the Study or identified through
17 an annual request to State and Tribal entities described
18 in subsection (b) are developed and, within available ap-
19 propriations, the highest priority proposals are imple-
20 mented.

21 “(b) IDENTIFICATION OF PROPOSALS.—The Director
22 shall annually request that State Directors and Indian
23 Tribes, in cooperation or partnership with other interested
24 entities, submit fish and wildlife resources restoration pro-
25 posals based on the results of the Study or other sources

1 such as recommendations of the Council of Lake Commit-
2 tees sponsored by the Great Lakes Fishery Commission.
3 These proposals shall be submitted in the manner and
4 form prescribed by the Director. The proposals shall be
5 consistent with the goals of the Great Lakes Water Qual-
6 ity Agreement, as revised in 1987, the 1954 Convention
7 on Great Lakes Fisheries, State and Tribal fishery man-
8 agement jurisdiction, the Joint Strategic Plan for the
9 Management of Great Lakes Fisheries, the Nonindigenous
10 Aquatic Nuisance Prevention and Control Act of 1990, the
11 North American Waterfowl Management Plan, and var-
12 ious joint ventures established under that plan. Notwith-
13 standing any other provision of law, the Great Lakes Fish-
14 ery Commission shall retain authority and responsibility
15 for formulation and implementation of a comprehensive
16 program for eradicating or minimizing sea lamprey popu-
17 lations in the Great Lakes Basin. The Secretary of the
18 Army may, upon request of the Great Lakes Fishery Com-
19 mission, construct and improve water resources projects
20 related to sea lamprey management that improve the qual-
21 ity of the environment in the public trust, at any location
22 within the Great Lakes or their tributaries or connecting
23 waters.

24 “(c) REVIEW OF PROPOSALS.—

1 “(1) ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMITTEE.—There
2 is established the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife
3 Restoration Proposal Review Committee.

4 “(2) MEMBERSHIP AND APPOINTMENT.—The
5 Committee shall operate under the auspices of the
6 Council of Lake Committees, and consist of rep-
7 resentatives of all State Directors and federally rec-
8 ognized Indian Tribes with Great Lakes fish and
9 wildlife management authority in the Basin. State
10 Directors and Tribal Chairs shall appoint their rep-
11 resentatives, who shall serve at the pleasure of the
12 appointing authority. The Great Lakes Coordinator
13 of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service shall
14 participate as an observer of the Committee.

15 “(3) FUNCTIONS.—The Committee shall annu-
16 ally review proposals developed under the process es-
17 tablished by subsection (b) to assess their effective-
18 ness and appropriateness in fulfilling the purposes of
19 this title and recommend to the Director priorities
20 for implementing the proposals.

21 “(d) IMPLEMENTATION OF PROPOSALS.—Consider-
22 ing the Committee’s recommendations and the goals stat-
23 ed in section 1006, the Director shall select proposals to
24 be implemented and, within available appropriations, shall
25 fund their implementation.

1 ~~“(e) COST-SHARING.—~~

2 ~~“(1) IN GENERAL.—~~The Director shall require
3 that 25 percent of the cost of implementing any pro-
4 posal selected under subsection (d), other than those
5 involving the establishment of sea lamprey barriers,
6 must be paid by non-Federal sources on a basis con-
7 sidered by the Director to be timely and appropriate.

8 ~~“(2) IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS.—~~In addition to
9 cash outlays, the Director shall consider as financial
10 contributions by a non-Federal source the value of
11 in-kind contributions provided for the purpose of im-
12 plementing a proposal. In-kind contributions may
13 consist of, but are not required to be limited to, real
14 or personal property or personal services necessary
15 to implement a proposal that are rendered by volun-
16 teers. The Director shall establish the standards
17 under which the value of in-kind contributions shall
18 be determined. Valuations made by the Director
19 under this paragraph are final and not subject to
20 judicial review.

21 ~~“(3) EXCLUSION OF FEDERAL FUNDS FROM~~
22 ~~NON-FEDERAL SHARE.—~~The Director may not con-
23 sider the expenditure, either directly or indirectly, of
24 Federal funds received by a State or local govern-

1 ment to be a contribution by a non-Federal source
2 for purposes of this section.”.

3 **SEC. 7. MAINTENANCE OF OFFICES.**

4 Section 1007 (16 U.S.C. 941e) is amended—

5 (1) by amending the section heading to read as
6 follows:

7 **“SEC. 1007. MAINTENANCE OF OFFICES.”;**

8 (2) in subsection (a) by striking the first sen-
9 tence and inserting the following: “The Director
10 shall maintain the functions of the Great Lakes Co-
11 ordination Office in East Lansing, Michigan, for the
12 purpose of coordinating all United States Fish and
13 Wildlife Service activities in the Great Lakes
14 Basin.”;

15 (3) by amending subsection (b) to read as fol-
16 lows:

17 **“(b) GREAT LAKES FISHERY RESOURCES OF-**
18 **FICES.—**The Director shall maintain the Upper Great
19 Lakes Fishery Resources Office and the Lower Great
20 Lakes Fishery Resources Office. The Director shall pro-
21 vide each of these offices the necessary administrative and
22 technical support services to carry out all United States
23 Fish and Wildlife Service operational activities related to
24 fishery resource protection, restoration, maintenance, and
25 enhancement in their respective regions.”; and

1 ~~(4) by striking subsection (c).~~

2 **SEC. 8. REPORTS TO CONGRESS.**

3 Section ~~1008~~ ~~(16 U.S.C. 941f)~~ is amended to read
4 as follows:

5 **~~“SEC. 1008. REPORTS TO CONGRESS.~~**

6 ~~“The Director shall submit a report within 6 months~~
7 ~~after the end of every second fiscal year to the Committee~~
8 ~~on Resources of the House of Representatives and the~~
9 ~~Committee on Environment and Public Works of the Sen-~~
10 ~~ate. The first such biennial report shall be submitted by~~
11 ~~April 1, 1998. Each such report shall describe—~~

12 ~~“(1) actions taken to implement the process es-~~
13 ~~tablished by section 1005;~~

14 ~~“(2) the results of proposals implemented under~~
15 ~~section 1005; and~~

16 ~~“(3) activities undertaken and progress toward~~
17 ~~the accomplishment of the goals stated in section~~
18 ~~1006.”.~~

19 **SEC. 9. AUTHORIZATIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

20 Section ~~1009~~ ~~(16 U.S.C. 941g)~~ is amended to read
21 as follows:

22 **~~“SEC. 1009. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.~~**

23 ~~“There are authorized to be appropriated to the Di-~~
24 ~~rector—~~

1 ~~“(1) for the operation of the Great Lakes Co-~~
 2 ~~ordination Office, the Upper Great Lakes Fishery~~
 3 ~~Resources Office, and the Lower Great Lakes Fish-~~
 4 ~~ery Resources Office under section 1007, \$1,500,000~~
 5 ~~for each of fiscal years 1998 through 2002; and~~

6 ~~“(2) for implementation of fish and wildlife res-~~
 7 ~~toration proposals under section 1005(e),~~
 8 ~~\$3,500,000 for each of fiscal years 1998 through~~
 9 ~~2002.”.~~

10 **SEC. 10. TECHNICAL CORRECTION.**

11 Title II of Public Law 101-646 (104 Stat. 4773) is
 12 repealed.

13 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

14 *This Act may be cited as the “Great Lakes Fish and*
 15 *Wildlife Restoration Act of 1998”.*

16 **SEC. 2. FINDINGS.**

17 *Congress finds that—*

18 *(1) the Great Lakes Fishery Resources Restora-*
 19 *tion Study, for which a report was submitted to Con-*
 20 *gress in 1995, was a comprehensive study of the sta-*
 21 *tus, and the assessment, management, and restoration*
 22 *needs, of the fishery resources of the Great Lakes*
 23 *Basin, and was conducted through the joint effort of*
 24 *the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, State*
 25 *fish and wildlife resource management agencies, In-*

1 *dian Tribes, and the Great Lakes Fishery Commis-*
 2 *sion; and*

3 *(2) the study—*

4 *(A) found that, although State, Provincial,*
 5 *Native American Tribal, and Federal agencies*
 6 *have made significant progress toward the goal*
 7 *of restoring a healthy fish community to the*
 8 *Great Lakes Basin, additional actions and better*
 9 *coordination are needed to protect and effectively*
 10 *manage the fisheries and related resources in the*
 11 *Great Lakes Basin; and*

12 *(B) recommended actions that are not cur-*
 13 *rently funded but are considered essential to*
 14 *meet goals and objectives in managing the re-*
 15 *sources of the Great Lakes Basin.*

16 **SEC. 3. REFERENCE; REPEAL.**

17 *(a) REFERENCE.—Each reference in this Act (other*
 18 *than in subsection (b)) to the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife*
 19 *Restoration Act of 1990 is a reference to the Act enacted*
 20 *by title I of Public Law 101–573 (104 Stat. 2370).*

21 *(b) REPEAL OF DUPLICATIVE ENACTMENT.—The*
 22 *Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Act of 1990, en-*
 23 *acted as title II of Public Law 101–646 (104 Stat. 4773),*
 24 *is repealed.*

1 **SEC. 4. PURPOSES.**

2 *Section 1003 of the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Res-*
 3 *toration Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C. 941a) is amended—*

4 *(1) in the matter preceding paragraph (1), by*
 5 *striking “this Act” and inserting “this title”;*

6 *(2) by striking paragraph (1);*

7 *(3) by redesignating paragraphs (2) and (3) as*
 8 *paragraphs (1) and (2), respectively;*

9 *(4) by striking paragraph (1) (as so redesign-*
 10 *ated) and inserting the following:*

11 *“(1) to develop and implement proposals for the*
 12 *restoration of fish and wildlife resources in the Great*
 13 *Lakes Basin; and”;* and

14 *(5) in paragraph (2) (as redesignated by para-*
 15 *graph (4)), by striking “habitat of” and inserting*
 16 *“habitat in”.*

17 **SEC. 5. DEFINITIONS.**

18 *Section 1004 of the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Res-*
 19 *toration Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C. 941b) is amended—*

20 *(1) in the matter preceding paragraph (1), by*
 21 *striking “this Act” and inserting “this title”;*

22 *(2) by redesignating paragraphs (2), (3), (4),*
 23 *(5), (6), (7), (8), (9), and (10) as paragraphs (3), (4),*
 24 *(5), (6), (7), (14), (9), (12), and (13), respectively;*

25 *(3) by moving paragraph (14) (as redesignated*
 26 *by paragraph (2)) to the end of the section;*

1 (4) in paragraph (9) (as redesignated by para-
 2 graph (2)), by striking “plant or animal” and insert-
 3 ing “plant, animal, or other organism”;

4 (5) by inserting after paragraph (1) the follow-
 5 ing:

6 “(2) the term ‘Committee’ means the Great Lakes
 7 Fish and Wildlife Restoration Proposal Review Com-
 8 mittee established by section 1005(c);”;

9 (6) by inserting after paragraph (7) (as redesign-
 10 nated by paragraph (2)) the following:

11 “(8) the term ‘non-Federal source’ includes a
 12 State government, local government, Indian Tribe,
 13 other non-Federal governmental entity, private entity,
 14 and individual”;

15 (7) by inserting after paragraph (9) (as redesign-
 16 nated by paragraph (2)) the following:

17 “(10) the term ‘Report’ means the United States
 18 Fish and Wildlife Service report entitled ‘Great Lakes
 19 Fishery Resources Restoration Study’, submitted to
 20 the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the
 21 House of Representatives on September 13, 1995;

22 “(11) the term ‘restoration’ means to rehabilitate
 23 and maintain the structure, function, diversity, and
 24 dynamics of a biological system, including reestab-

1 *ishment of self-sustaining populations of fish and*
 2 *wildlife;”;*

3 (8) *in paragraph (12) (as redesignated by para-*
 4 *graph (2)), by striking “and” at the end; and*

5 (9) *in paragraph (13) (as redesignated by para-*
 6 *graph (2)), by striking the period at the end and in-*
 7 *serting “; and”.*

8 **SEC. 6. IDENTIFICATION, REVIEW, AND IMPLEMENTATION**
 9 **OF PROPOSALS.**

10 *Section 1005 of the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Res-*
 11 *toration Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C. 941c) is amended to read*
 12 *as follows:*

13 **“SEC. 1005. IDENTIFICATION, REVIEW, AND IMPLEMENTA-**
 14 **TION OF PROPOSALS.**

15 *“(a) IN GENERAL.—The Director, in consultation with*
 16 *the Committee, shall encourage the development and, subject*
 17 *to the availability of appropriations, the implementation*
 18 *of proposals based on the results of the Report.*

19 *“(b) IDENTIFICATION OF PROPOSALS.—*

20 *“(1) REQUEST BY DIRECTOR.—The Director*
 21 *shall annually request that State Directors and In-*
 22 *dian Tribes, in cooperation or partnership with other*
 23 *interested entities and based on the results of the Re-*
 24 *port, submit proposals for the restoration of fish and*
 25 *wildlife resources.*

1 “(2) *REQUIREMENTS FOR PROPOSALS.*—A pro-
 2 posal under paragraph (1) shall be submitted in the
 3 manner and form prescribed by the Director and shall
 4 be consistent with the goals of the Great Lakes Water
 5 Quality Agreement, as revised in 1987, the 1954
 6 Great Lakes Fisheries Convention, State and tribal
 7 fishery management jurisdiction, the 1980 Joint
 8 Strategic Plan for the management of Great Lakes
 9 fishery resources, the Nonindigenous Aquatic Nui-
 10 sance Prevention and Control Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C.
 11 4701 *et seq.*), and the North American Waterfowl
 12 Management Plan and joint ventures established
 13 under the plan.

14 “(3) *SEA LAMPREY AUTHORITY.*—The Great
 15 Lakes Fishery Commission shall retain authority and
 16 responsibility for formulation and implementation of
 17 a comprehensive program for eradicating or minimiz-
 18 ing sea lamprey populations in the Great Lakes
 19 Basin.

20 “(c) *REVIEW OF PROPOSALS.*—

21 “(1) *ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMITTEE.*—There is
 22 established the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Res-
 23 toration Proposal Review Committee, which shall op-
 24 erate under the auspices of the Council of Lake Com-
 25 mittees.

1 “(2) *MEMBERSHIP AND APPOINTMENT.*—

2 “(A) *IN GENERAL.*—*The Committee shall*
 3 *consist of representatives of all State Directors*
 4 *and Indian Tribes with Great Lakes fish and*
 5 *wildlife management authority in the Great*
 6 *Lakes Basin.*

7 “(B) *APPOINTMENTS.*—*State Directors and*
 8 *Tribal Chairs shall appoint their representatives,*
 9 *who shall serve at the pleasure of the appointing*
 10 *authority.*

11 “(C) *OBSERVER.*—*The Great Lakes Coordi-*
 12 *nator of the United States Fish and Wildlife*
 13 *Service shall participate as an observer of the*
 14 *Committee.*

15 “(D) *RECUSAL.*—*A member of the Commit-*
 16 *tee shall recuse himself or herself from consider-*
 17 *ation of proposals that the member, or the entity*
 18 *that the member represents, has submitted.*

19 “(3) *FUNCTIONS.*—*The Committee shall at least*
 20 *annually—*

21 “(A) *review proposals developed in accord-*
 22 *ance with subsection (b) to assess their effective-*
 23 *ness and appropriateness in fulfilling the pur-*
 24 *poses of this title; and*

1 “(B) *recommend to the Director priorities*
 2 *for implementing the proposals, taking into ac-*
 3 *count the effectiveness and appropriateness of the*
 4 *proposals in fulfilling the purposes of other laws*
 5 *applicable to restoration of the fishery resources*
 6 *and habitat of the Great Lakes Basin.*

7 “(d) *IMPLEMENTATION OF PROPOSALS.—After consid-*
 8 *ering the recommendations of the Committee and the goals*
 9 *specified in section 1006, the Director shall select proposals*
 10 *to be implemented and, subject to the availability of appro-*
 11 *priations and subsection (e), fund implementation of the*
 12 *proposals.*

13 “(e) *COST-SHARING.—*

14 “(1) *IN GENERAL.—Not less than 25 percent of*
 15 *the cost of implementing a proposal selected under*
 16 *subsection (d) (not including the cost of establishing*
 17 *sea lamprey barriers) shall be paid in cash or in-kind*
 18 *contributions by non-Federal sources.*

19 “(2) *EXCLUSION OF FEDERAL FUNDS FROM NON-*
 20 *FEDERAL SHARE.—The Director may not consider the*
 21 *expenditure, directly or indirectly, of Federal funds*
 22 *received by a State or local government to be a con-*
 23 *tribution by a non-Federal source for purposes of this*
 24 *subsection.”.*

1 **SEC. 7. REPORTS TO CONGRESS.**

2 *Section 1008 of the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Res-*
 3 *toration Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C. 941f) is amended to read*
 4 *as follows:*

5 **“SEC. 1008. REPORTS TO CONGRESS.**

6 *“On December 31, 2002, the Director shall submit to*
 7 *the Committee on Resources of the House of Representatives*
 8 *and the Committee on Environment and Public Works of*
 9 *the Senate a report that describes—*

10 *“(1) actions taken to solicit and review proposals*
 11 *under section 1005;*

12 *“(2) the results of proposals implemented under*
 13 *section 1005; and*

14 *“(3) progress toward the accomplishment of the*
 15 *goals specified in section 1006.”.*

16 **SEC. 8. AUTHORIZATIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

17 *Section 1009 of the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Res-*
 18 *toration Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C. 941g) is amended to read*
 19 *as follows:*

20 **“SEC. 1009. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

21 *“There are authorized to be appropriated to the Direc-*
 22 *tor—*

23 *“(1) for the operation of the Great Lakes Coordi-*
 24 *nation Office, the Upper Great Lakes Fishery Re-*
 25 *sources Office, and the Lower Great Lakes Fishery*

1 *Resources Office under section 1007, \$3,500,000 for*
2 *each of fiscal years 1998 through 2003; and*
3 *“(2) for implementation of fish and wildlife res-*
4 *toration proposals selected by the Director under sec-*
5 *tion 1005(d), \$4,500,000 for each of fiscal years 1999*
6 *through 2003, of which none shall be available for*
7 *costs incurred in administering the proposals.”.*

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