Union Calendar No. 94

106TH CONGRESS Tat Session

H. R. 206

[Report No. 106–169]

To provide for greater access to child care services for Federal employees.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

January 6, 1999

Mrs. Morella (for herself, Mr. Davis of Virginia, Ms. Delauro, Mr. Wynn, Ms. Norton, Ms. Lee, Mr. Sanders, Mr. Horn, Mr. Defazio, Mr. Frost, Mr. Gilman, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Maloney of New York, Mr. Towns, Mr. Cummings, Mr. Forbes, Mr. Moran of Virginia, and Mr. Baldacci) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Government Reform

June 7, 1999

Additional sponsors: Mr. Barrett of Wisconsin, Ms. DeGette, Ms. Pelosi, Ms. Stabenow, Ms. Carson, Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas, Mrs. Wilson, Mr. Nadler, Mr. McGovern, Mr. Hilliard, Mr. Lantos, Mr. Martinez, Mr. Whitfield, Mr. Hoyer, Mr. Snyder, Mr. Davis of Illinois, Mr. Wexler, Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Mr. Inslee, Mr. Delahunt, Mr. Costello, Mr. Payne, Mr. Andrews, Mr. Olver, Mrs. Myrick, Mr. Kucinich, Mr. Etheridge, Mrs. Clayton, Mr. Crowley, Ms. Baldwin, Mr. Bonior, Mr. Allen, Ms. Jackson-Lee of Texas, Mr. English, Mrs. Tauscher, and Mr. Gejdenson

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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. CHILD CARE SERVICES FOR FEDERAL EMPLOY-4 EES. 5 (a) IN GENERAL.—An Executive agency which provides or proposes to provide child care services for Federal 6 7 employees may use appropriated funds (otherwise available to such agency for salaries) to provide child care, in 8 a Federal or leased facility, or through contract, for civilian employees of such agency. 10 11 (b) Affordability.—Amounts so provided with re-12 spect to any such facility or contractor shall be applied to improve the affordability of child care for lower income 13 14 Federal employees using or seeking to use the child care 15 services offered by such facility or contractor. 16 (c) Regulations.—The Office of Personnel Man-17 agement shall, within 180 days after the date of enactment of this Act, issue regulations necessary to carry out 18 19 this section. 20 (d) Definition.—For purposes of this section, the
- 21 term "Executive agency" has the meaning given such term

- 1 by section 105 of title 5, United States Code, but does
- $2\,\,$ not include the General Accounting Office.

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