

106TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2254

To amend the trade adjustment assistance provisions of the Trade Act of 1974 to allow the reimbursement of training costs incurred and for which payment became due within 30 days before the training is approved by the Secretary of Labor.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 17, 1999

Mr. DUNCAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Ways and Means

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. REIMBURSEMENT OF CERTAIN TRAINING**
4 **COSTS.**

5 Section 236(a)(6) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19
6 U.S.C. 2296(a)(6)) is amended—

1 (1) in subparagraph (A) by striking clause (ii)
2 and inserting the following:

3 “(ii) from any source other than this section,
4 except that the Secretary shall reimburse an adversely af-
5 fected worker for the costs of any training program ap-
6 proved under paragraph (1) for that worker to the extent
7 that worker was enrolled in the training program during
8 the 30-day period preceding the date on which the Sec-
9 retary approved the program and such costs were incurred
10 during that 30-day period.”; and

11 (2) in subparagraph (B), by striking “will not
12 be required” and inserting “, subject to the excep-
13 tion in subparagraph (A), will not be required”.

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