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To amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to extend the authorizations of appropriations for that Act, and to make technical corrections.

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Mr. SHOWS, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SNYDER, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. STARK, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mrs. TAUSCHER, and Mr. TIERNEY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

A BILL

To amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to extend the authorizations of appropriations for that Act, and to make technical corrections.

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. TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS.**

4 (a) EXPIRED PROVISIONS.—(1) Section 202(a)(27)
 5 of the Older Americans Act of 1995 (42 U.S.C.
 6 3012(a)(27)) is amended by striking subparagraph (C).

7 (2) Section 205 of the Older Americans Act of 1995
 8 (42 U.S.C. 3016) is amended—

9 (A) by striking subsection (c), and

10 (B) by redesignating subsections (d) and (e) as
 11 subsections (c) and (d), respectively.

12 (3) Section 206(g) of the Older Americans Act of
 13 1995 (42 U.S.C. 3017(g)) is amended—

14 (A) by striking paragraph (1), and

15 (B) by redesignating paragraphs (2) and (3) as
 16 paragraphs (1) and (2), respectively.

1 (b) NAME CHANGES.—Section 207(b)(2) of the Older
2 Americans Act of 1995 (42 U.S.C. 3018(b)(2)) is
3 amended—

4 (1) in subparagraph (B) by striking
5 “Labor” and inserting “the Workforce”, and

6 (2) in subparagraph (C) by striking
7 “Labor and Human Resources” and inserting
8 “Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

9 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

10 (a) FEDERAL COUNCIL ON THE AGING.—Section
11 204(g) of the Older Americans Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C.
12 3015(g)) is amended by striking “\$300, 000 for fiscal year
13 1992 and such sums as may be necessary for fiscal years
14 1993, 1994, and 1995” and inserting “such sums as may
15 be necessary for fiscal years 2000 through 2002”.

16 (b) ADMINISTRATION.—Section 215 of the Older
17 Americans Act of 1995 (42 U.S.C. 3020f) is amended—

18 (1) in subsection (a) by striking “1992, 1993,
19 1994, and 1995” and inserting “2000 through
20 2002”, and

21 (2) in subsection (b) by amending paragraph
22 (1) to read as follows:

23 “(1) \$29,000,000 for each of the fiscal years
24 2000 through 2002; and”.

1 (c) GRANTS FOR STATE AND COMMUNITY PROGRAMS
2 ON AGING.—Section 303 of the Older Americans Act of
3 1995 (42 U.S.C. 3023) is amended—

4 (1) in subsection (a)(1) by striking
5 “\$461,376,000 for fiscal year 1992 and such sums
6 as may be necessary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and
7 1995” and inserting “such sums as may be nec-
8 essary for fiscal years 2000 through 2002”,

9 (2) in subsection (b)—

10 (A) in paragraph (1) by striking
11 “\$505,000,000 for fiscal year 1992 and such
12 sums as may be necessary for fiscal years 1993,
13 1994, and 1995” and inserting “such sums as
14 may be necessary for fiscal years 2000 through
15 2002”,

16 (B) in paragraph (2) by striking
17 “\$120,000,000 for fiscal year 1992 and such
18 sums as may be necessary for fiscal years 1993,
19 1994, and 1995” and inserting “such sums as
20 may be necessary for fiscal years 2000 through
21 2002”, and

22 (C) in paragraph (3) by striking
23 “\$15,000,000 for fiscal year 1992 and such
24 sums as may be necessary for fiscal years 1993,
25 1994, and 1995” and inserting “such sums as

1 may be necessary for fiscal years 2000 through
2 2002”,

3 (3) in subsection (d) by striking “\$45,388,000
4 for fiscal year 1992 and such sums as may be nec-
5 essary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and 1995” and
6 inserting “such sums as may be necessary for fiscal
7 years 2000 through 2002”,

8 (4) in subsection (e) by striking “the fiscal
9 years 1992, 1993, 1994, and 1995” and inserting
10 “fiscal years 2000 through 2002”,

11 (5) in subsection (f) by striking “\$25,000,000
12 for fiscal year 1992 and such sums as may be nec-
13 essary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and 1995” and
14 inserting “such sums as may be necessary for fiscal
15 years 2000 through 2002”, and

16 (6) in subsection (g) by striking “\$15,000,000
17 for fiscal year 1992 and such sums as may be nec-
18 essary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and 1995” and
19 inserting “such sums as may be necessary for fiscal
20 years 2000 through 2002”.

21 (d) AVAILABILITY OF SURPLUS COMMODITIES.—Sec-
22 tion 311(c)(1)(A) of the Older Americans Act of 1995 (42
23 U.S.C. 3030a(c)(1)(A)) is amended by striking
24 “\$250,000,000 for fiscal year 1992, \$310,000,000 for fis-
25 cal year 1993, \$380,000,000 for fiscal year 1994, and

1 \$460,000,000 for fiscal year 1995” and inserting
2 “\$460,000,000 for each of the fiscal years 2000 through
3 2002”.

4 (e) TRAINING, RESEARCH, AND DISCRETIONARY
5 PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS.—Section 431 of the Older
6 Americans Act of 1995 (42 U.S.C. 3037) is amended—

7 (1) in subsection (a)(1) by striking
8 “\$72,000,000 for fiscal year 1992, and such sums
9 as may be necessary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and
10 1995” and inserting “such sums as may be nec-
11 essary for fiscal years 2000 through 2002”, and

12 (2) in subsection (b) by striking “\$450,000 for
13 each of the fiscal years 1992, 1993, 1994, and
14 1995” and inserting “\$450,000 for each of the fiscal
15 years 2000 through 2002”.

16 (f) COMMUNITY SERVICE EMPLOYMENT FOR OLDER
17 AMERICANS.—Section 508(a)(1) of the Older Americans
18 Act of 1995 (42 U.S.C. 3056f(a)(1)) is amended by strik-
19 ing “\$470,671,000 for fiscal year 1992, and such sums
20 as may be necessary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and
21 1995” and inserting “such sums as may be necessary for
22 fiscal years 2000 through 2002”.

23 (g) GRANTS FOR NATIVE AMERICANS.—Section
24 633(a) of the Older Americans Act of 1995 (42 U.S.C.
25 3057n(a)) is amended by striking “\$30,000,000 for fiscal

1 year 1992 and such sums as may be necessary for fiscal
2 years 1993, 1994, and 1995” and inserting “such sums
3 as may be necessary for fiscal years 2000 through 2002”.

4 (h) ALLOTMENTS FOR VULNERABLE ELDER RIGHTS
5 PROTECTION ACTIVITIES.—Section 702 of the Older
6 Americans Act of 1995 (42 U.S.C. 3058a) is amended—

7 (1) in subsection (a) by striking “\$40,000,000
8 for fiscal year 1992 and such sums as may be nec-
9 essary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and 1995” and
10 inserting “such sums as may be necessary for fiscal
11 years 2000 through 2002”,

12 (2) in subsection (b) by striking “\$15,000,000
13 for fiscal year 1992 and such sums as may be nec-
14 essary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and 1995” and
15 inserting “such sums as may be necessary for fiscal
16 years 2000 through 2002”,

17 (3) in subsection (c) by striking “\$10,000,000
18 for fiscal year 1992 and such sums as may be nec-
19 essary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and 1995” and
20 inserting “such sums as may be necessary for fiscal
21 years 2000 through 2002”, and

22 (4) in subsection (d) by striking “\$15,000,000
23 for fiscal year 1992 and such sums as may be nec-
24 essary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and 1995” and

1 inserting “such sums as may be necessary for fiscal
2 years 2000 through 2002”.

3 (i) NATIVE AMERICAN PROGRAM.—Section 751(d) of
4 the Older Americans Act of 1995 (42 U.S.C. 3058aa(d))
5 is amended by striking “\$5,000,000 for fiscal year 1992,
6 and such sums as may be necessary for fiscal years 1993,
7 1994, and 1995” and inserting “such sums as may be nec-
8 essary for fiscal years 2000 through 2002”.

9 **SEC. 3. TRANSFERS.**

10 Section 308(b) of the Older Americans Act of 1965
11 (42 U.S.C. 3028(b)) is amended—

12 (1) in paragraph (4)(B)—

13 (A) by striking “fiscal year 1993, 1994,
14 1995, or 1996” and inserting “a fiscal year”,
15 and

16 (B) by striking “need—” and all that fol-
17 lows and inserting “need, an additional 10 per-
18 cent of the funds so received for the fiscal
19 year.”, and

20 (2) in paragraph (5)—

21 (A) in subparagraph (A) by striking “not
22 more than 30 percent for fiscal year 1993, not
23 more than 25 percent for fiscal year 1994, not
24 more than 25 percent for fiscal year 1995, and
25 not more than 20 percent for fiscal year 1996”

1 and inserting “not more than 20 percent for
2 the fiscal year involved”, and

3 (B) in subparagraph (B)—

4 (i) by striking “(B)(i)” and all that
5 follows through “(ii) If” and inserting
6 “(B) If”, and

7 (ii) by striking “for fiscal year 1996”
8 and inserting “for a fiscal year”.

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