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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 31, 2000

Mr. SARBANES introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

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## 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. NATIONAL FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS FOUNDA-**  
4       **TION TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS ACT OF 2000.**

5       (a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the  
6       “National Fallen Firefighters Foundation Technical Cor-  
7       rections Act of 2000”.

8       (b) PURPOSES.—Section 151302 of title 36, United  
9       States Code, is amended—

1 (1) by striking paragraph (1) and inserting the  
2 following:

3 “(1) primarily—

4 “(A) to encourage, accept, and administer  
5 private gifts of property for the benefit of the  
6 National Fallen Firefighters’ Memorial and the  
7 annual memorial service associated with the  
8 memorial; and

9 “(B) to, in coordination with the Federal  
10 Government and fire services (as that term is  
11 defined in section 4 of the Federal Fire Preven-  
12 tion and Control Act of 1974 (15 U.S.C.  
13 2203)), plan, direct, and manage the memorial  
14 service referred to in subparagraph (A);”;

15 (2) in paragraph (2), by inserting “and Fed-  
16 eral” after “non-Federal”;

17 (3) in paragraph (3)—

18 (A) by striking “State and local” and in-  
19 serting “Federal, State, and local”; and

20 (B) by striking “and” after the semicolon;

21 (4) in paragraph (4), by striking the period and  
22 inserting a semicolon; and

23 (5) by adding at the end the following:

24 “(5) to provide for a national program to assist  
25 families of fallen firefighters and fire departments in

1 dealing with line-of-duty deaths of those firefighters;  
 2 and

3 “(6) to promote national, State, and local ini-  
 4 tiatives to increase public awareness of fire and life  
 5 safety.”.

6 (c) BOARD OF DIRECTORS.—Section 151303 of title  
 7 36, United States Code, is amended—

8 (1) by striking subsections (f) and (g) and in-  
 9 serting the following:

10 “(f) STATUS AND COMPENSATION.—(1) Appointment  
 11 to the board shall not constitute employment by or the  
 12 holding of an office of the United States.

13 “(2) Members of the board shall serve without com-  
 14 pensation.”; and

15 (2) in subsection (h), by striking “(h)” and in-  
 16 serting “(g)”.

17 (d) OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES.—Section 151304 of  
 18 title 36, United States Code, is amended—

19 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “not more  
 20 than 2”; and

21 (2) in subsection (b)(1), by striking “are not”  
 22 and inserting “shall not be considered”.

23 (e) SUPPORT BY THE ADMINISTRATOR.—Section  
 24 151307(a)(1) of title 36, United States Code, is  
 25 amended—

1           (1) by striking “The Administrator” and insert-  
2       ing “During the 10-year period beginning on the  
3       date of enactment of the National Fallen Fire-  
4       fighters Foundation Technical Corrections Act of  
5       2000, the Administrator”; and

6           (2) in subparagraph (B), by striking “shall”  
7       and inserting “may”.

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