

106TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 521

To amend part Y of title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide for a waiver of or reduction in the matching funds requirement in the case of fiscal hardship.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 3, 1999

Mr. LEAHY (for himself, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. FEINGOLD, and Mr. TORRICELLI) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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. MATCHING GRANT PROGRAM FOR LAW EN-**
4 **FORCEMENT ARMOR VESTS.**

5 Section 2501(f) of part Y of title I of the Omnibus
6 Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C.
7 3796ll(f)) is amended—

1 (1) by striking “The portion” and inserting the
2 following:

3 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Subject to paragraph (2),
4 the portion”; and

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

6 “(2) WAIVER.—The Director may waive, in
7 whole or in part, the requirement of paragraph (1)
8 in the case of fiscal hardship, as determined by the
9 Director.”.

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