## S. 851

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 21, 1999

Mr. Chafee (for himself and Mr. Moynihan) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs

## 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. CASH PAYMENT TO FEDERAL EMPLOYEES FOR
- 4 PARKING SPACES.
- 5 (a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the
- 6 "Federal Employee Flexibility Act of 1999".
- 7 (b) IN GENERAL.—Section 7905 of title 5, United
- 8 States Code, is amended—
- 9 (1) in subsection (a)—

1	(A) in paragraph $(2)(C)$ by inserting
2	"and" after the semicolon;
3	(B) in paragraph (3) by striking "; and"
4	and inserting a period; and
5	(C) by striking paragraph (4); and
6	(2) in subsection $(b)(2)$ —
7	(A) by amending subparagraph (A) to read
8	as follows:
9	"(A) a qualified transportation fringe as
10	defined in section 132(f)(1) of the Internal Rev-
11	enue Code of 1986;";
12	(B) in subparagraph (B) by striking "and"
13	after the semicolon;
14	(C) in subparagraph (C) by striking the
15	period and inserting a semicolon and "and";
16	and
17	(D) by adding at the end the following:
18	"(D) taxable cash payment to an employee
19	in lieu of an agency-provided parking space.".

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