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S. RES. 129

Authorizing expenditures for years October 1, 1999, to September 30, 2000, and October 1, 2000, to February 28, 2001, by the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 30, 1999

Mr. MURKOWSKI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration

RESOLUTION

Authorizing expenditures for years October 1, 1999, to September 30, 2000, and October 1, 2000, to February 28, 2001, by the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

1 *Resolved*, That in carrying out its powers, duties, and
2 functions under the Standing Rules of the Senate, in ac-
3 cordance with its jurisdiction under rule XXV of such
4 rules, including holding hearings, reporting such hearings,
5 and making investigations as authorized by paragraphs 1
6 and 8 of rule XXVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate,
7 the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources is au-
8 thorized from October 1, 1999, through September 30,

1 2000, and October 1, 2000, through February 28, 2001,
2 in its discretion (1) to make expenditures from the contin-
3 gent fund of the Senate, (2) to employ personnel, and (3)
4 with the prior consent of the Government department or
5 agency concerned and the Committee on Rules and Ad-
6 ministration, to use on a reimbursable or non-reimburs-
7 able basis the services of personnel of any such depart-
8 ment or agency.

9 SEC. 2. (a) The expenses of the committee for the
10 period October 1, 1999, through September 30, 2000,
11 under this resolution shall not exceed \$2,924,935.

12 (b) For the period October 1, 2000, through Feb-
13 ruary 28, 2001, expenses of the committee under this res-
14 olution shall not exceed \$1,248,068.

15 SEC. 3. The committee shall report its findings, to-
16 gether with such recommendations for legislation as it
17 deems advisable, to the Senate at the earliest practical
18 date, but not later than February 29, 2000, and February
19 28, 2001, respectively.

20 SEC. 4. Expenses of the committee under this resolu-
21 tion shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate
22 upon vouchers approved by the chairman of the com-
23 mittee, except that vouchers shall not be required (1) for
24 the disbursement of salaries of employees paid at an an-
25 nual rate, or (2) for the payment of telecommunications

1 provided by the Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Door-
2 keeper, United States Senate, or (3) for the payment of
3 stationery supplies purchased through the Keeper of the
4 Stationery, United States Senate, or (4) for payments to
5 the Postmaster, United States Senate, or (5) for the pay-
6 ment of metered charges on copying equipment provided
7 by the Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper,
8 United States Senate, or (6) for the payment of Senate
9 Recording and Photographic Services, or (7) for payment
10 of franked and mass mail costs by the Sergeant at Arms
11 and Doorkeeper, United States Senate.

12 SEC. 5. There are authorized such sums as may be
13 necessary for agency contributions related to the com-
14 pensation of employees of the committee from October 1,
15 1999, through September 30, 2000, and October 1, 2000
16 through February 28, 2001, to be paid from the Appro-
17 priation account for “Expenses of Inquiries and Investiga-
18 tions”.

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