S. 2870

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

September 30, 2004

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

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. CERTIFICATE OF DOCUMENTATION.
- 4 Notwithstanding section 27 of the Merchant Marine
- 5 Act, 1920 (46 U.S.C. App. 883), section 8 of the Act of
- 6 June 19, 1886 (24 Stat. 81, chapter 421; 46 U.S.C. App.
- 7 289), and sections 12106 and 12108 of title 46, United
- 8 States Code, the Secretary of Transportation may issue

- 1 a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorse-
- 2 ment for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel
- 3 LOBSTAR and for the vessel SARA BELLE, State of
- 4 Maine registration numbers ME-11MMA and ME-

5 8763G, respectively.

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