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# S. 903

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 11, 2003

Ms. LANDRIEU introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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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. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Renewal Community  
5       Employment Credit Improvement Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. RENEWAL COMMUNITY EMPLOYERS MAY QUALIFY**  
2 **FOR EMPLOYMENT CREDIT BY EMPLOYING**  
3 **RESIDENTS OF CERTAIN OTHER RENEWAL**  
4 **COMMUNITIES.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1400H(b)(2) of the Inter-  
6 nal Revenue Code of 1986 (relating to modification) is  
7 amended by striking “and” at the end of paragraph (1),  
8 by striking the period at the end of paragraph (2) and  
9 inserting “, and”, and by adding at the end the following  
10 new paragraph:

11 “(3) subsection (d)(1)(B) thereof shall be ap-  
12 plied by substituting ‘such renewal community, an  
13 adjacent renewal community within the same State  
14 as such renewal community, or a renewal community  
15 within such State which is within 5 miles of any bor-  
16 der of such renewal community’ for ‘such empower-  
17 ment zone’.”.

18 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by  
19 this section shall take effect as if included in the amend-  
20 ment made by section 101(a) of the Community Renewal  
21 Tax Relief Act of 2000.

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