

109TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1602

To provide grants for prosecutions of cases cleared through use of DNA backlog clearance funds.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 13, 2005

Mr. GALLEGLY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

To provide grants for prosecutions of cases cleared through use of DNA backlog clearance funds.

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 “Grants for DNA Back-
5 log Prosecutions Act”.

1 SEC. 2. ASSISTANCE FOR PROSECUTIONS OF CASES

2 **CLEARED THROUGH USE OF DNA BACKLOG**

3 **CLEARANCE FUNDS.**

4 The Justice for All Act of 2004 (Public Law 108–

5 405) is amended by adding after section 206 the following

6 new section:

7 **“SEC. 207. ASSISTANCE FOR PROSECUTIONS OF CASES**

8 **CLEARED THROUGH USE OF DNA BACKLOG**

9 **CLEARANCE FUNDS.**

10 “(a) IN GENERAL.—The Attorney General shall

11 make grants to train and employ personnel to help pros-

12 ecute cases cleared through use of funds provided for

13 DNA backlog elimination.

14 “(b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There

15 are authorized to be appropriated \$100,000,000 for each

16 of fiscal years 2006 through 2010 to carry out this sec-

17 tion.”.

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