

109TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 4070

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 18, 2005

Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA (for himself, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. BORDALLO, and Mr. FORTUÑO) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

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. PLACEMENT OF STATUES OF CITIZENS OF TER-**
4 **RITORIES IN STATUARY HALL.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1814 of the Revised Stat-
6 utes of the United States (2 U.S.C. 2131) is amended by
7 adding at the end the following new sentence: “For pur-

1 poses of this section, the term ‘State’ shall include Amer-
2 ican Samoa, Guam, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico,
3 and the United States Virgin Islands, except that the
4 number of statues which may be provided and furnished
5 by each such jurisdiction may not exceed one.”.

6 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT REGARDING PROCE-
7 DURES FOR REPLACEMENT OF STATUES.—Section 311 of
8 the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2001 (2
9 U.S.C. 2132), is amended—

10 (1) in subsection (c), by inserting after “more
11 than two statues” the following: “(or, in the case of
12 American Samoa, Guam, the Commonwealth of
13 Puerto Rico, and the United States Virgin Islands,
14 more than one statue)”; and

15 (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
16 section:

17 “(f) For purposes of this section, the term ‘State’
18 shall include American Samoa, Guam, the Commonwealth
19 of Puerto Rico, and the United States Virgin Islands.”.

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