H. R. 434

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

February 1, 2005

Mr. Terry introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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 "Superfund Enhance-
- 5 ment and Prioritization Act of 2005".

1	SEC. 2. TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE
2	SUPERFUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2005.
3	Of the amounts made available to the Environmental
4	Protection Agency under the heading "Science and Tech-
5	nology" in title III of division I of the Consolidated Appro-
6	priations Act, 2005, \$124,000,000 shall be transferred to
7	the "Hazardous Substance Superfund" appropriation for
8	fiscal year 2005. Such funds shall be used for carrying
9	out cleanup activities under the Comprehensive Environ-
10	mental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (42
11	U.S.C. 9601 et seq.) for facilities on the National Priority
12	List.
13	SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR
14	HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE SUPERFUND FOR
15	FISCAL YEARS 2006 THROUGH 2009.
16	(a) Offset for Additional Funding.—Notwith-
17	standing any other provision of law, the total of amounts
18	appropriated to the Environmental Protection Agency for
19	projects, activities, and other costs funded under the
20	"Science and Technology" appropriation may not exceed
21	\$620,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2006 through 2009.
22	(b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—In addi-
23	tion to amounts otherwise authorized, there is authorized
24	to be appropriated for carrying out remedial actions under

 $26\,$ tion, and Liability Act (42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq.) for facili-

- 1 ties on the National Priority List \$124,000,000 for each
- 2 of fiscal years 2006 through 2009.
- 3 SEC. 4. LIMITATION ON USE OF FUNDS FOR MANAGEMENT
- 4 AND ADMINISTRATION COSTS.
- Not to exceed 22 percent of the total amount appro-
- 6 priated for a fiscal year to carry out the Comprehensive
- 7 Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
- 8 (42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq.) may be used for management
- 9 and administration costs.
- 10 SEC. 5. NATIONAL PRIORITIES LIST.
- No site or facility may be added to the National Pri-
- 12 orities List established under section 105 of the Com-
- 13 prehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and
- 14 Liability Act (42 U.S.C. 9605) until such date as the
- 15 President certifies that remedial actions have been com-
- 16 pleted at all sites and facilities included on the National
- 17 Priorities List as of the date of enactment of this Act.

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