109TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

## S. 486

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

March 1, 2005

Mr. Lieberman (for himself and Mr. Dodd) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services

## 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. VH-3D PRESIDENTIAL HELICOPTER FLEET RE-
- 4 PLACEMENT PROGRAM PROCUREMENT RE-
- 5 QUIREMENT.
- 6 (a) In General.—The Secretary of the Navy may
- 7 not enter into a contract for the procurement of a heli-
- 8 copter under the VH-3D presidential helicopter fleet re-

- 1 placement program unless the contract requires the heli-
- 2 copter to be wholly manufactured in the United States
- 3 from parts wholly manufactured in the United States.
- 4 (b) Existing Contracts.—If a contract entered
- 5 into after December 31, 2004, and before the date of the
- 6 enactment of this section does not meet the requirements
- 7 described in subsection (a), the Secretary of the Navy shall
- 8 terminate such contract.

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