

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 2409

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 5, 2007

Mr. DEMINT (for himself, Mr. ENZI, and Mr. VITTER) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Loyalty to Our Legacy
3 Act of 2007”.

4 **SEC. 2. INCLUSION OF PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND NA-**
5 **TIONAL MOTTO IN CAPITOL VISITOR CENTER.**

6 The Architect of the Capitol shall ensure that the
7 Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and the national motto
8 “In God We Trust” are each displayed prominently in the
9 Capitol Visitor Center on a permanent basis.

10 **SEC. 3. PROHIBITION OF REMOVAL OF LANGUAGE OR MA-**
11 **TERIAL FROM CAPITOL VISITOR CENTER EX-**
12 **HIBITS BECAUSE OF RELIGIOUS CONTENT.**

13 In preparing and producing any exhibit or other ma-
14 terial relating to the Capitol Visitor Center, the Architect
15 of the Capitol may not remove or refuse to include any
16 language, symbol, writing, document, or record on the
17 grounds that the language, symbol, writing, document, or
18 record includes a religious reference or Judeo-Christian
19 content.

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