

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 2417

To amend title 31, United States Code, to require the inscription “In God We Trust” to appear on a face of the \$1 coins honoring each of the Presidents of the United States.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 5, 2007

Mr. BROWNBACK (for himself and Mr. BYRD) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

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. INSCRIPTION MOVED FROM EDGE TO FACE OF**
4 **COIN.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 5112(n)(2) of title 31,
6 United States Code, is amended—

7 (1) in subparagraph (C)(i)—

1 (A) by striking “inscriptions” and insert-
 2 ing “inscription”; and

3 (B) by striking “and ‘In God We Trust’”;
 4 and

5 (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
 6 paragraph:

7 “(F) INSCRIPTION OF ‘IN GOD WE
 8 TRUST’.—The design on the obverse or the re-
 9 verse shall bear the inscription ‘In God We
 10 Trust’.”.

11 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 5112(r)(2)
 12 of title 31, United States Code, is amended—

13 (1) in subparagraph (C)(i)—

14 (A) by striking “inscriptions” and insert-
 15 ing “inscription”; and

16 (B) by striking “and ‘In God We Trust’”;
 17 and

18 (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
 19 paragraph:

20 “(E) INSCRIPTION OF ‘IN GOD WE
 21 TRUST’.—The design on the obverse or the re-
 22 verse shall bear the inscription ‘In God We
 23 Trust’.”.

24 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The change required by the
 25 amendments made by subsections (a) and (b) shall be put

- 1 into effect by the Secretary of the Treasury as soon as
- 2 is practicable after the date of enactment of this Act.

