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# S. 253

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 10, 2007

Ms. LANDRIEU introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

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# 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 “Disaster Loan Fair-  
5 ness Act of 2007”.

**6 SEC. 2. CANCELLATION OF LOANS.**

7       (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 2(a) of the Community  
8 Disaster Loan Act of 2005 (Public Law 109–88; 119 Stat.  
9 2061) is amended by striking “*Provided further*, That not-

1 notwithstanding section 417(c)(1) of the Stafford Act, such  
2 loans may not be canceled:”.

3 (b) DISASTER ASSISTANCE DIRECT LOAN PROGRAM  
4 ACCOUNT.—Chapter 4 of title II of the Emergency Sup-  
5 plemental Appropriations Act for Defense, the Global War  
6 on Terror, and Hurricane Recovery, 2006 (Public Law  
7 109–234; 120 Stat. 471) is amended under the heading  
8 “DISASTER ASSISTANCE DIRECT LOAN PROGRAM AC-  
9 COUNT” under the heading “FEDERAL EMERGENCY MAN-  
10 AGEMENT AGENCY” under the heading “DEPARTMENT  
11 OF HOMELAND SECURITY”, by striking “*Provided*  
12 *further*, That notwithstanding section 417(c)(1) of such  
13 Act, such loans may not be canceled:”.

14 **SEC. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

15 The amendments made by this Act shall be effective  
16 on the date of enactment of the Community Disaster Loan  
17 Act of 2005 (Public Law 109–88; 119 Stat. 2061).

