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2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 4796

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 10, 1998

Mr. ENSIGN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on Banking and Financial Services

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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. USE OF FUNDS TO FACILITATE SALE OR USE**  
4                               **OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS PROHIBITED.**

5       (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 105 of the Housing and  
6       Community Development Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5305)  
7       is amended by adding at the end the following new sub-  
8       section:

1       “(h) INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES.—Notwithstanding sub-  
2 section (a), activities under this title may not include the  
3 acquisition, construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, or  
4 other improvement of any facility a primary or significant  
5 purpose of which is the distribution, including sale, of any  
6 tobacco product.”.

7       (b) FUNDS AFFECTED.—The amendment made by  
8 subsection (a) shall not apply to funds which were obli-  
9 gated by the Secretary of Housing and Human Develop-  
10 ment before the date of the enactment of this Act.

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