

106TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1516

To amend title III of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11331 et seq.) to reauthorize the Federal Emergency Management Food and Shelter Program, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

AUGUST 5, 1999

Mr. THOMPSON (for himself and Mr. LIEBERMAN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs

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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. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

4 Section 322 of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless
5 Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11352) is amended to read as
6 follows:

1 **“SEC. 322. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

2 “There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out
3 this title \$125,000,000 for fiscal year 2000, \$130,000,000
4 for fiscal year 2001, and \$135,000,000 for fiscal year
5 2002.”.

6 **SEC. 2. NAME CHANGE TO NOMINATING ORGANIZATION.**

7 Section 301(b) of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless
8 Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11331(b)) is amended by strik-
9 ing paragraph (5) and inserting the following:

10 “(5) United Jewish Communities.”.

11 **SEC. 3. PARTICIPATION OF HOMELESS INDIVIDUALS ON**
12 **LOCAL BOARDS.**

13 Section 316(a) of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless
14 Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11346(a)) is amended by strik-
15 ing paragraph (6) and inserting the following:

16 “(6) guidelines requiring each local board to in-
17 clude in their membership not less than 1 homeless
18 individual, former homeless individual, homeless ad-
19 vocate, or recipient of food or shelter services, except
20 that such guidelines may waive such requirement for
21 any board unable to meet such requirement if the
22 board otherwise consults with homeless individuals,
23 former homeless individuals, homeless advocates, or
24 recipients of food or shelter services.”.