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108TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION**S. 1478****[Report No. 108-161]**

To reauthorize the National Telecommunications and Information Administration, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 28, 2003

Mr. MCCAIN (for himself and Mr. HOLLINGS) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

OCTOBER 2, 2003

Reported by Mr. MCCAIN, without amendment

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. REAUTHORIZATION OF NTIA.**

4 Section 151 of the National Telecommunications and
5 Information Administration Organization Act is amended
6 to read as follows:

1 **“SEC. 151. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR AD-**
2 **MINISTRATION.**

3 “(a) IN GENERAL.—There are authorized to be ap-
4 propriated for the administration of the NTIA—

5 “(1) \$18,869,000 for fiscal year 2004;

6 “(2) \$19,435,000 for fiscal year 2005;

7 “(3) \$20,018,000 for fiscal year 2006;

8 “(4) \$20,619,000 for fiscal year 2007; and

9 “(5) \$21,237,000 for fiscal year 2008.

10 “(b) TOP PROGRAM.—There are authorized to be ap-
11 propriated to the NTIA for grants under the NTIA Tech-
12 nology Opportunities Program (described in the NTIA no-
13 tice of availability of funds published on March 17, 2003,
14 in the Federal Register (68 Fed. Reg. 12678)), including
15 administrative costs—

16 “(1) \$15,862,000 for fiscal year 2004;

17 “(2) \$16,338,000 for fiscal year 2005;

18 “(3) \$16,828,000 for fiscal year 2006;

19 “(4) \$17,333,000 for fiscal year 2007; and

20 “(5) \$17,852,000 for fiscal year 2008.”

21 **SEC. 2. PAYMENT FOR SPECTRUM MANAGEMENT FUNC-**
22 **TIONS.**

23 Section 104 of the National Telecommunications and
24 Information Administration Organization Act (47 U.S.C.
25 903) is amended by adding at the end the following:

26 “(f) REIMBURSEMENT FROM FEDERAL AGENCIES.—

1 “(1) FEES FOR COSTS.—Notwithstanding sec-
2 tion 1535(d) of title 31, United States Code, the
3 NTIA shall assess against, and collect from, each
4 Federal agency for which the NTIA assigns spec-
5 trum or provides any spectrum management func-
6 tions a charge to cover the costs thereof.

7 “(2) ASSIGNMENT AND MANAGEMENT FUNC-
8 TION CHARGES.—The NTIA may not assign any
9 spectrum for use for, or provide any spectrum man-
10 agement functions with respect to, any Federal
11 agency, except to the extent that the NTIA obtains
12 reimbursement for the costs thereof.”.

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