

108TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. 858

To extend the Abraham Lincoln Bicentennial Commission, and for other purposes.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 10, 2003

Mr. DURBIN (for himself and Mr. BUNNING) introduced the following bill;  
which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

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and for other purposes.

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. ABRAHAM LINCOLN BICENTENNIAL COMMIS-**  
4       **SION.**

5       (a) DUTIES.—Section 4 of the Abraham Lincoln Bi-  
6       centennial Commission Act (36 U.S.C. note prec. 101;  
7       Public Law 106–173) is amended—

8               (1) in paragraph (1)(D), by striking “redesigna-  
9       tion” and inserting “rededication”; and

10              (2) by adding at the end the following:

1           “(3) To recommend to Congress a plan to carry  
2 out the activities recommended under paragraph (2).

3           “(4) To carry out other related activities in  
4 support of the duties carried out under paragraphs  
5 (1) through (3).”.

6           (b) EXTENSION.—Section 8 of such Act (36 U.S.C.  
7 note prec. 101; Public Law 106–173) is amended—

8           (1) in subsection (a), by striking “The” and in-  
9 serting “In addition to the interim report required  
10 under subsection (b), the”;

11           (2) in subsection (b)—

12           (A) in the subsection heading, by striking  
13 “FINAL REPORT.—” and inserting “REQUIRED  
14 INTERIM REPORT.—”;

15           (B) by striking the first sentence and in-  
16 serting: “Not later than June 24, 2004, the  
17 Commission shall submit an interim report to  
18 Congress.”; and

19           (C) in the second sentence, by striking  
20 “final”; and

21           (3) by adding at the end the following:

22           “(c) FINAL REPORT.—Not later than April 30, 2010,  
23 the Commission shall submit a final report to Congress.  
24 The final report shall contain final statements, rec-

1 ommendations, and information described under sub-  
2 section (b)(1), (2), and (3).”.

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