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# S. 1638

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 15, 2007

Mr. LEAHY (for himself, Mr. HATCH, Mr. REID, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. GRAHAM) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

To adjust the salaries of Federal justices and judges, 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Federal Judicial Salary  
5 Restoration Act of 2007”.

6 **SEC. 2. RESTORATION OF COMPENSATION.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-  
8 sion of law, the annual rate of salary of—

1           (1) the judges of the district courts, as estab-  
2           lished under section 132 of title 28, United States  
3           Code, shall be adjusted to \$247,800;

4           (2) the judges of the Court of International  
5           Trade, as established under section 251 of title 28,  
6           United States Code, shall be adjusted to \$247,800;

7           (3) the judges of the courts of appeals, as es-  
8           tablished under section 44 of title 28, United States  
9           Code, shall be adjusted to \$262,700;

10          (4) the Associate Justices of the Supreme  
11          Court, as described under section 1 of title 28,  
12          United States Code, shall be adjusted to \$304,500;  
13          and

14          (5) the Chief Justice of the United States, as  
15          described under section 1 of title 28, United States  
16          Code, shall be adjusted to \$318,200.

17          (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section shall take effect  
18          on the first applicable pay period beginning on or after  
19          the date of enactment of this Act.

20          **SEC. 3. COORDINATION RULE.**

21          If a pay adjustment under section 2 is to be made  
22          for an office or position as of the same date that any other  
23          pay adjustment would take effect for such office or posi-  
24          tion, the adjustment under this Act shall be made first.

1 **SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

2       There are authorized to be appropriated such sums

3 as necessary to carry out this Act.

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