

# Union Calendar No. 124

110TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 1982

[Report No. 110–205]

To authorize appropriations for the rural housing and economic development program of the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 20, 2007

Mr. HINOJOSA (for himself, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, and Mr. RENZI) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

JUNE 21, 2007

Additional sponsors: Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. HODES

JUNE 21, 2007

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

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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,*

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2 This Act may be cited as the “Rural Housing and  
3 Economic Development Improvement Act of 2007”.

4 **SEC. 2. RURAL HOUSING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**  
5 **ASSISTANCE.**

6 (a) **USE.**—The Secretary of Housing and Urban De-  
7 velopment may carry out a program, through the Office  
8 of Rural Housing and Economic Development, to provide  
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10 cies, State community or economic development agencies,  
11 local nonprofit organizations and community development  
12 corporations in rural areas to support innovative housing  
13 and economic development activities in rural areas.

14 (b) **AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**—There is  
15 authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary of Housing  
16 and Urban Development for assistance under this sec-  
17 tion—

18 (1) \$30,000,000 for fiscal year 2008; and

19 (2) \$40,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2009,  
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 10 *economic development activities in rural areas.*

11 (b) *REQUIREMENT OF SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT*  
 12 *NUMBER FOR ASSISTANCE.*—*As a condition of initial or*  
 13 *continuing assistance under any housing or economic devel-*  
 14 *opment activity that is provided assistance with amounts*  
 15 *made available under this section, the Secretary of Housing*  
 16 *and Urban Development shall require that each member of*  
 17 *a family so assisted (or of a family applying for such assist-*  
 18 *ance) who is 18 years of age or older or is the spouse of*  
 19 *the head of household of such family, shall have a valid so-*  
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