Amendment 1 to the Senate Amendment to H.R. 2206

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment, insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

2 This Act may be cited as the “U.S. Troop Readiness, Veterans’ Care, Katrina Recovery, and Iraq Accountability Appropriations Act, 2007”.

5 SEC. 2. TABLE OF CONTENTS.

6 The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

TITLE I—[RESERVED]
TITLE II—[RESERVED]
TITLE III—ADDITIONAL DEFENSE, INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, AND HOMELAND SECURITY PROVISIONS
TITLE IV—ADDITIONAL HURRICANE DISASTER RELIEF AND RECOVERY
TITLE V—OTHER EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS
TITLE VI—OTHER MATTERS
TITLE VII—ELIMINATION OF SCHIP SHORTFALL AND OTHER HEALTH MATTERS
TITLE VIII—FAIR MINIMUM WAGE AND TAX RELIEF
TITLE IX—AGRICULTURAL ASSISTANCE
TITLE X—GENERAL PROVISIONS

7 SEC. 3. STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS.

8 The following sums in this Act are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated,

10 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2007.
graph (1), the provisions of section 1310.12(a) relating
to Federal seat spacing requirements, and Federal sup-
porting seating requirements related to
compartmentalization, for allowable alternate vehicles
used to transport children for a Head Start program, shall
not apply to such a vehicle if such vehicle meets all other
applicable Federal motor vehicle safety standards, as de-
scribed in paragraph (1).

SEC. 6611. (a)(1) Section 3(37)(G) of the Employee
1002(37)(G)) (as amended by section 1106(a) of the Pen-
sion Protection Act of 2006) is amended—

(A) in clause (i)(II)(aa), by striking “for each
of the 3 plan years immediately before the date of
the enactment of the Pension Protection Act of
2006,” and inserting “for each of the 3 plan years
immediately preceding the first plan year for which
the election under this paragraph is effective with
respect to the plan;”;

(B) in clause (ii), by striking “starting with the
first plan year ending after the date of the enact-
ment of the Pension Protection Act of 2006” and in-
serting “starting with any plan year beginning on or
after January 1, 1999, and ending before January
1, 2008, as designated by the plan in the election made under clause (i)(II)”; and
(C) by adding at the end the following new clause:
“(vii) For purposes of this Act and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, a plan making an election under this subparagraph shall be treated as maintained pursuant to a collective bargaining agreement if a collective bargaining agreement, expressly or otherwise, provides for or permits employer contributions to the plan by one or more employers that are signatory to such agreement, or participation in the plan by one or more employees of an employer that is signatory to such agreement, regardless of whether the plan was created, established, or maintained for such employees by virtue of another document that is not a collective bargaining agreement.”.

(2) Paragraph (6) of section 414(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (relating to election with regard to multiemployer status) (as amended by section 1106(b) of the Pension Protection Act of 2006) is amended—

(A) in subparagraph (A)(ii)(I), by striking “for each of the 3 plan years immediately before the date of enactment of the Pension Protection Act of 2006,” and inserting “for each of the 3 plan years immediately preceding the first plan year for which
the election under this paragraph is effective with respect to the plan,“;

(B) in subparagraph (B), by striking “starting with the first plan year ending after the date of the enactment of the Pension Protection Act of 2006” and inserting “starting with any plan year beginning on or after January 1, 1999, and ending before January 1, 2008, as designated by the plan in the election made under subparagraph (A)(ii)”; and

(C) by adding at the end the following new sub-paragraph:

“(F) MAINTENANCE UNDER COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT.—For purposes of this title and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, a plan making an election under this paragraph shall be treated as maintained pursuant to a collective bargaining agreement if a collective bargaining agreement, expressly or otherwise, provides for or permits employer contributions to the plan by one or more employers that are signatory to such agreement, or participation in the plan by one or more employees of an employer that is signatory to such agreement, regardless of whether the plan was created, established, or maintained
for such employees by virtue of another document that is not a collective bargaining agreement.”.

(b)(1) Clause (vi) of section 3(37)(G) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (as amended by section 1106(a) of the Pension Protection Act of 2006) is amended by striking “if it is a plan—” and all that follows and inserting the following: “if it is a plan sponsored by an organization which is described in section 501(c)(5) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and exempt from tax under section 501(a) of such Code and which was established in Chicago, Illinois, on August 12, 1881.”.

(2) Subparagraph (E) of section 414(f)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (as amended by section 1106(b) of the Pension Protection Act of 2006) is amended by striking “if it is a plan—” and all that follows and inserting the following: “if it is a plan sponsored by an organization which is described in section 501(c)(5) and exempt from tax under section 501(a) and which was established in Chicago, Illinois, on August 12, 1881.”.

(c) The amendments made by this section shall take effect as if included in section 1106 of the Pension Protection Act of 2006.

(b) Section 420(e)(2)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by striking “funding shortfall” and inserting “funding target”.

(c) The amendments made by this section shall take effect as if included in the provisions of the Pension Protection Act of 2006 to which they relate.

Sec. 6613. (a) Subparagraph (A) of section 420(e)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by striking “transfer.” and inserting “transfer or, in the case of a transfer which involves a plan maintained by an employer described in subsection (f)(2)(E)(i)(III), if the plan meets the requirements of subsection (f)(2)(D)(i)(II).”.

(b) The amendment made by subsection (a) shall apply to transfers after the date of the enactment of this Act.

Sec. 6614. (a) Section 402(i)(1) of the Pension Protection Act of 2006 is amended by striking “December 28, 2007” and inserting “January 1, 2008”.

(b) The amendment made by subsection (a) shall take effect as if included in section 402 of the Pension Protection Act of 2006.

Sec. 6615. (a) Section 402(a)(2) of the Pension Protection Act of 2006 is amended by inserting "and by using, in determining the funding target for each of the 10 plan years during such period, an interest rate of 8.25 percent (rather than the segment rates calculated on the basis of the corporate bond yield curve)" after "such plan year".

(b) The amendment made by this section shall take effect as if included in the provisions of the Pension Protection Act of 2006 to which such amendment relates.

CHAPTER 7

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PAYMENT TO WIDOWS AND HEIRS OF DECEASED MEMBERS OF CONGRESS

For payment to Gloria W. Norwood, widow of Charles W. Norwood, Jr., late a Representative from the State of Georgia, $165,200.

For payment to James McDonald, Jr., widower of Juanita Millender-McDonald, late a Representative from the State of California, $165,200.