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# S. 114

To authorize reduced postage rates for certain mail matter sent to Members of Congress.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. INOUE introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs

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## 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       That (a) chapter 32 of title 39, United States Code, is  
4       amended by adding at the end thereof the following new  
5       section:

6       **“§ 3221. Mail matter sent to Members of Congress**

7       “(a) Any person may send any piece of mail matter,  
8       not exceeding four ounces in weight, for postage of 1 cent  
9       to (1) any Member of the Senate representing the State,  
10      and (2) the Member of the House of Representatives rep-

1 resenting the district, in which such person resides, if that  
 2 person uses a special stamp issued by the Postal Service  
 3 for any such matter. The Postal Service shall issue special  
 4 1-cent stamps to be used in sending such matter, and such  
 5 stamps shall only be sold at post offices.

6 “(b) For the purposes of this section—

7 “(1) ‘district’ includes Puerto Rico and the Dis-  
 8 trict of Columbia;

9 “(2) ‘Member of the House of Representatives’  
 10 includes a Representative, Delegate, and Resident  
 11 Commissioner; and

12 “(3) a Member of the House of Representatives  
 13 elected at large from a State having more than one  
 14 district shall be considered a Member elected from  
 15 each district of that State.”.

16 (b) The analysis of such chapter is amended by add-  
 17 ing after the item relating to section 3220 the following  
 18 new item:

“3221. Mail matter sent to Members of Congress.”.

19 (c) Section 2401(c) of such title is amended by insert-  
 20 ing “3221,” after “3217,”.

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