

H. R. 358

To repeal the authority of the Mayor of the District of Columbia to requisition unlimited funds from the Treasury of the United States to meet the general expenses of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 4, 1995

Mr. ROHRBACHER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight

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,*

SECTION 1. REPEAL OF MAYOR'S AUTHORITY TO REQUISITION ADVANCES FROM THE UNITED STATES TREASURY.

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Effective on the date of the enact-
7 ment of this Act, title VI of the District of Columbia Reve-

1 nue Act of 1939 (sec. 47–3401, D.C. Code) is hereby re-
2 pealed.

3 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The second sen-
4 tence of section 603(b)(1) of the District of Columbia Self-
5 Government and Governmental Reorganization Act (sec.
6 47–313(b)(1), D.C. Code) is amended by striking “, ex-
7 cept those funds” and all that follows and inserting a pe-
8 riod.

9 **SEC. 2. REDUCTION IN FEDERAL PAYMENT TO DISTRICT BY**
10 **AMOUNTS BORROWED FROM TREASURY**
11 **PRIOR TO REPEAL.**

12 Section 503 of the District of Columbia Self-Govern-
13 ment and Governmental Reorganization Act (sec. 47–
14 3406.1, D.C. Code), as amended by section 2 of the Fed-
15 eral Payment Reauthorization Act of 1994, is amended
16 by adding at the end the following new subsection:

17 “(d) The amount authorized to be appropriated as
18 the annual Federal payment to the District of Columbia
19 under this section for a fiscal year shall be reduced by
20 the amount of any funds advanced to the District by the
21 Secretary of the Treasury on or after January 4, 1995,
22 under title VI of the District of Columbia Revenue Act
23 of 1939 that have not been reimbursed by the District to

1 the Treasury of the United States as of the last day of
2 the previous fiscal year.”.

