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To clarify the status of the Young Men's Christian Association Retirement Fund for purposes of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. BUNNING (for himself, Mr. SMITH, and Mr. GRAHAM of Florida) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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 **SECTION 1. CLARIFICATION OF STATUS OF YOUNG MEN'S**
4 **CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION RETIREMENT**
5 **FUND.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of the Internal Rev-
7 enue Code of 1986—

1 (1) the retirement fund of the YMCA shall be
2 treated as an organization described in section
3 414(e)(3)(A) of such Code, and

4 (2) any retirement plan established or main-
5 tained by such fund as of January 1, 2003 (includ-
6 ing any reserve accounts for such plan) shall be
7 treated as a retirement income account described in
8 section 403(b)(9) of such Code.

9 (b) APPLICATION OF REQUIREMENTS.—Any require-
10 ment under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 applicable
11 to a retirement income account described in section
12 403(b)(9)(B) of such Code shall apply to a plan described
13 in subsection (a)(2), except that the exception contained
14 in section 403(b)(1)(D) of such Code for a contract pur-
15 chased by a church plan shall not apply to any plan de-
16 scribed in subsection (a)(2).

17 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section shall apply to
18 years beginning after December 31, 2002, except that the
19 requirements of subsection (b) shall only apply to periods
20 after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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