105TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 3499

To authorize the Washington Interdependence Council to establish a memorial to Mr. Benjamin Banneker in the District of Columbia.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 18, 1998

Ms. NORTON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

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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 **SECTION 1. MEMORIAL TO MR. BENJAMIN BANNEKER IN**

4 **THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.**

5 (a) MEMORIAL AUTHORIZED.—The Washington

6 Interdependence Council of the District of Columbia is au-

7 thorized to establish a memorial in the District of Colum-

8 bia to honor and commemorate the accomplishments of

9 Mr. Benjamin Banneker.

1 (b) COMPLIANCE WITH STANDARDS FOR COMMEMO-
2 RATIVE WORKS.—The establishment of the memorial shall
3 be in accordance with the Commemorative Works Act (40
4 U.S.C. 1001 et seq.).

5 (c) PAYMENT OF EXPENSES.—The Washington
6 Interdependence Council shall be solely responsible for ac-
7 ceptance of contributions for, and payment of the expenses
8 of, the establishment of the memorial. No Federal funds
9 may be used to pay any expense of the establishment of
10 the memorial.

11 (d) DEPOSIT OF EXCESS FUNDS.—If, upon payment
12 of all expenses of the establishment of the memorial (in-
13 cluding the maintenance and preservation amount re-
14 quired under section 8(b) of the Commemorative Works
15 Act (40 U.S.C. 1008(b))), or upon expiration of the au-
16 thority for the memorial under section 10(b) of such Act
17 (40 U.S.C. 1010(b)), there remains a balance of funds re-
18 ceived for the establishment of the memorial, the Washing-
19 ton Interdependence Council shall transmit the amount of
20 the balance to the Secretary of the Treasury for deposit
21 in the account provided for in section 8(b)(1) of such Act
22 (40 U.S.C. 1008(b)(1)).

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