

107TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2493

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 12, 2001

Mr. RANGEL introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on Financial Services

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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. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Public Housing Ten-  
5       ants Respect Act of 2001”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPEAL OF PUBLIC HOUSING COMMUNITY SERVICE**  
2 **AND FAMILY SELF-SUFFICIENCY REQUIRE-**  
3 **MENTS.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 12 of the United States  
5 Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437j) is amended by  
6 striking subsections (e) through (g).

7 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—The United States  
8 Housing Act of 1937 is amended—

9 (1) in section 5A(d)(12) (42 U.S.C. 1437c–  
10 1(d)(12))—

11 (A) in subparagraph (A), by inserting  
12 “and” after the semicolon;

13 (B) in subparagraph (B), by striking the  
14 semicolon and inserting a period; and

15 (C) by striking subparagraph (C);

16 (2) in section 6(l)(1) (42 U.S.C. 1437d(l)(1)),  
17 by striking “except for noncompliance” and all that  
18 follows through “based on such noncompliance”; and

19 (3) in section 9(e)(1)(H) (42 U.S.C.  
20 1437g(e)(1)(H)), by striking “a public housing work  
21 program under section 12” and inserting “any pro-  
22 gram that provides work for residents of public  
23 housing”.

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