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# H. R. 7595

To provide the Administrator of the Drug-Free Communities Support Program the authority to waive the Federal fund limitation for the Drug-Free Communities Support Program.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 13, 2020

Mr. ROUDA (for himself, Mr. BUDD, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. KUSTOFF of Tennessee, Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire, Mr. COLE, Mr. TONKO, Mr. GONZALEZ of Ohio, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. TIFFANY, Mr. TRONE, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. GRIFFITH, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. STEIL, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, Ms. PORTER, Mr. BALDERSON, Mr. CISNEROS, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. WELCH, Mr. BANKS, Mr. CARBAJAL, Ms. STEFANIK, Ms. SCHRIER, Mr. VAN DREW, Mr. CASE, Mr. MCKINLEY, Ms. BONAMICI, Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico, Mrs. TRAHAN, Mr. RIGGLEMAN, Mr. MOOLENAAR, Mr. FERGUSON, Mrs. RADEWAGEN, Mr. STAUBER, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. GUEST) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2       This Act may be cited as the “Drug-Free Commu-  
3 nities Pandemic Relief Act”

4 **SEC. 2. WAIVER OF FEDERAL FUND LIMITATION FOR THE**  
5 **DRUG-FREE COMMUNITIES SUPPORT PRO-**  
6 **GRAM.**

7       (a) IN GENERAL.—Subject to subsection (b), if the  
8 Administrator of the Drug-Free Communities Support  
9 Program determines that, as a result of the public health  
10 emergency declared pursuant to section 319 of the Public  
11 Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 247d) as a result of  
12 COVID–19, an eligible coalition is unable to raise the  
13 amount of non-Federal funds, including in-kind contribu-  
14 tions, agreed to be raised by the coalition for a fiscal year  
15 under an agreement entered into with the Administrator  
16 pursuant to paragraph (1)(A) or (3)(D) of section 1032(b)  
17 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 (21 U.S.C. 1532(b)),  
18 the Administrator may, notwithstanding such paragraphs,  
19 provide to the eligible coalition the grant or renewal grant,  
20 as applicable, for that fiscal year in an amount—

21               (1) with respect to an initial grant or renewal  
22 grant described under paragraph (1)(A) of such sec-  
23 tion, that exceeds the amount of non-Federal funds  
24 raised by the eligible coalition, including in-kind con-  
25 tributions, for that fiscal year;

1           (2) with respect to a renewal grant described  
2           under paragraph (3)(D)(i) of such section, that ex-  
3           ceeds 125 percent of the amount of non-Federal  
4           funds raised by the eligible coalition, including in-  
5           kind contributions, for that fiscal year; and

6           (3) with respect to a renewal grant described  
7           under paragraph (3)(D)(ii) of such section, that ex-  
8           ceeds 150 percent of the amount of non-Federal  
9           funds raised by the eligible coalition, including in-  
10          kind contributions, for that fiscal year.

11          (b) LIMITATIONS.—The Administrator may not pro-  
12          vide a grant or renewal grant to an eligible coalition in  
13          an amount exceeding the amount of funds initially agreed  
14          to be provided by the Administrator under the applicable  
15          agreement.

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