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H. R. 1621

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 23, 1989

Mr. KASTENMEIER (for himself and Mr. MOORHEAD) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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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 "Copyright Royalty Tribu-
5 nal Reform Act of 1989".

1 **SEC. 2. MEMBERSHIP OF THE COPYRIGHT ROYALTY TRIBU-**
2 **NAL.**

3 Section 802(a) of title 17, United States Code, is
4 amended to read as follows:

5 “(a) The Tribunal shall be composed of three commis-
6 sioners appointed by the President, by and with the advice
7 and consent of the Senate. The term of office of any individ-
8 ual appointed as a Commissioner shall be seven years, except
9 that a Commissioner may serve after the expiration of his or
10 her term until a successor has taken office. Each Commis-
11 sioner shall be compensated at the rate of pay in effect for
12 level V of the Executive Schedule under section 5316 of title
13 5, United States Code.”.

14 **SEC. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE; BUDGET ACT.**

15 (a) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendment made by sec-
16 tion 2 shall take effect on October 1, 1989.

17 (b) **BUDGET ACT.**—Any new spending authority (within
18 the meaning of section 401 of the Congressional Budget Act
19 of 1974) which is provided under this Act shall be effective
20 for any fiscal year only to the extent or in such amounts as
21 are provided in appropriations Acts.

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