

112TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 986

To provide for American Samoa and the Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas to be treated as States for certain criminal justice programs.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 9, 2011

Mr. SABLAN (for himself, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. COSTA, Ms. CHU, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. HONDA, Ms. MOORE, and Ms. RICHARDSON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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. TREATMENT AS A STATE FOR AMERICAN**
4 **SAMOA AND CNMI.**

5 Section 901(a)(2) of Omnibus Crime Control and
6 Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 3791(a)(2)) is

- 1 amended by striking “Islands:” and all that follows
- 2 through the period and inserting “Islands;”.

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