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H. R. 1006

To amend title 39, United States Code, to lower the maximum rate of compensation for United States Postal Service employees, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 6, 2013

Mr. GRIFFITH of Virginia (for himself and Mr. MICHAUD) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

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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 “Postal Executive Ac-
5 countability Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. LIMITS ON EXECUTIVE PAY.**

7 (a) LIMITATION ON COMPENSATION.—Section 1003
8 of title 39, United States Code, is amended—

1 (1) in subsection (a), by striking the last sen-
2 tence; and

3 (2) by adding at the end the following:

4 “(e)(1) Subject to paragraph (2), an officer or em-
5 ployee of the Postal Service may not be paid at a rate
6 of basic pay that exceeds the rate of basic pay for level
7 II of the Executive Schedule under section 5312 of title
8 5.

9 “(2) Not more than 6 officers or employees of the
10 Postal Service that are in very senior executive positions,
11 as determined by the Board of Governors, may be paid
12 at a rate of basic pay that does not exceed the rate of
13 basic pay for level I of the Executive Schedule under sec-
14 tion 5312 of title 5.

15 “(3) For any fiscal year, an officer or employee of
16 the Postal Service who is in a very senior executive posi-
17 tion, as designated under paragraph (2), may not receive
18 fringe benefits (within the meaning given that term under
19 section 1005(f)) that are greater than the fringe benefits
20 received by supervisory and other managerial personnel
21 who are not subject to collective-bargaining agreements
22 under chapter 12.”.

23 (b) LIMITATION ON BONUSES.—Section 3686 of title
24 39, United States Code, is amended as follows:

1 (1) In subsection (a), by adding at the end the
2 following: “Notwithstanding the authority granted
3 under this section and except as provided under sec-
4 tion 1003(e), no officer or employee of the Postal
5 Service shall be paid compensation at a rate in ex-
6 cess of the rate for level II of the Executive Sched-
7 ule under section 5312 of title 5.”.

8 (2) Subsections (b) and (c) are repealed.

9 (3) In subsection (d)—

10 (A) in paragraph (1)—

11 (i) by striking “which would not have
12 been allowable but for the provisions of
13 subsection (b) or (c);” and

14 (ii) by adding “and” at the end;

15 (B) in paragraph (2), by striking “; and”
16 and inserting a period; and

17 (C) by striking paragraph (3).

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