118TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

### S. 3960

#### AN ACT

To amend title 35, United States Code, to provide a good faith exception to the imposition of fines for false assertions and certifications, and for other purposes.

- 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. GOOD FAITH EXCEPTION TO THE IMPOSITION

2	OF CERTAIN FINES.
3	Title 35, United States Code, is amended—
4	(1) in section 41(j), by inserting ", unless the
5	entity shows that the assertion was made in good
6	faith," before "be subject"; and
7	(2) in section 123(f), by inserting ", unless the
8	entity shows that the certification was made in good
9	faith," before "be subject".
	Passed the Senate June 20, 2024.
	Attest:

Secretary.

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