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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 11, 2009

Mr. HATCH (for himself and Mrs. LINCOLN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

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. SHORT TITLE.

- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Stop Tarp Asset Recy-
- 5 cling Act of 2009" or the "STAR Act of 2009".

SEC. 2. DEPOSIT OF TARP REPAYMENTS AND PROCEEDS INTO TREASURY TO REDUCE THE PUBLIC DEBT.

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 115(a)(3) of the Emer5 gency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008 (12 U.S.C.
6 5225(a)(3)) is amended by striking "outstanding at any
7 one time" and inserting ", in the aggregate (or such high8 er amount, in the aggregate, as has been obligated or ex9 pended under this Act as of the date of enactment of the
10 STAR Act of 2009)".

11 (b) Deposit of Funds Into Treasury.—

12 (1) IN GENERAL.—On and after the date of en-13 actment of this Act, all repayments of obligations 14 arising under the Emergency Economic Stabilization 15 Act of 2008 (Public Law 110–343), and all proceeds 16 from the sale of assets acquired by the Federal Gov-17 ernment under that Act, shall be paid into the gen-18 eral fund of the Treasury for reduction of the public 19 debt, in accordance with section 106(d) of that Act 20 (12 U.S.C. 5216(d)), as amended by this section.

(2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section
106(d) of the Emergency Economic Stabilization Act
of 2008 (12 U.S.C. 5216(d)) is amended by inserting ", and repayments of obligations arising under
this Act," after "section 113".