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S. 1477

To establish a user fee for follow-up reinspections under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. Feingold introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

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. ESTABLISHMENT OF USER FEE FOR FOLLOW-
- 4 UP REINSPECTIONS.
- 5 (a) In General.—The Secretary shall assess and
- 6 collect a user fee from each facility registered under sec-
- 7 tion 415 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act
- 8 (21 U.S.C. 350d), establishment registered under section
- 9 510 of such Act (21 U.S.C. 360), and facility described
- 10 in section 351(a)(1)(C) of the Public Health Service Act

- 1 (42 U.S.C. 262(1)(C)) for which a follow-up reinspection
- 2 is required to ensure correction of a violation found by
- 3 the Secretary during initial inspection of the facility or
- 4 establishment of a good manufacturing practices require-
- 5 ment under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act
- 6 (21 U.S.C. 301 et seq.).
- 7 (b) Payment of Fee.—The user fee required under
- 8 subsection (a) shall be due from a facility or establishment
- 9 described in such subsection upon the reinspection of such
- 10 facility or establishment, as described in subsection (a).
- 11 (c) Amount of User Fee.—The amount of the user
- 12 fee required under subsection (a) shall be established by
- 13 the Secretary.
- 14 (d) Definitions.—For purposes of this section—
- 15 (1) the terms "animal drug", "device", "drug",
- and "food" have the meanings given those terms in
- section 201 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cos-
- 18 metic Act (21 U.S.C. 321);
- 19 (2) the term "biological product" has the mean-
- ing given the term in section 351 of the Public
- 21 Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 262); and
- 22 (3) the term "Secretary" means the Secretary
- of Health and Human Services.