



Public Law 93-403
93rd Congress, H. R. 15205
August 30, 1974

An Act

88 STAT. 802

To amend the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act of 1968, as amended, to authorize additional appropriations, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That this Act may be cited as the "Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act Amendments of 1974".

Natural Gas
Pipeline Safety
Act Amendments
of 1974.
49 USC 1674
note.
82 Stat. 722;
86 Stat. 616.

SEC. 2. Section 5(c) of the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act of 1968 (49 U.S.C. 1674(c)) is amended by renumbering paragraphs (2) and (3) as paragraphs (3) and (4), respectively, and by inserting immediately after paragraph (1) the following new paragraph:

"(2) Funds authorized to be appropriated by section 15(b) of this Act shall be allocated among the several States for payments to aid in the conduct of pipeline safety programs in accordance with paragraph (1) of this section."

Infra.

SEC. 3. Section 15 of such Act (49 U.S.C. 1684) is amended to read as follows:

86 Stat. 616.

"APPROPRIATIONS AUTHORIZED

"SEC. 15. (a) There are authorized to be appropriated \$2,000,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975, and \$2,850,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this Act, except that the funds appropriated pursuant to this subsection shall not be used for Federal grants-in-aid.

"(b) For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of section 5(c) of this Act, there are authorized to be appropriated for Federal grants-in-aid, \$1,800,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975, and \$2,500,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976."

Supra.

Approved August 30, 1974.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

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SENATE REPORT No. 93-1087 accompanying S. 3620 (Comm. on Commerce).

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