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**SEC. 10102. AMENDMENTS TO SECTION 201.**

[2 USC 601.](#)

(a) **TERM OF OFFICE.**—The first sentence of section 201(a)(3) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 is amended to read as follows: “The term of office of the Director shall be 4 years and shall expire on January 3 of the year preceding each Presidential election.”.

(b) **CONFORMING CHANGE.**—Section 201(e) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 is amended by inserting “and” before “the Library”, by striking “and the Office of Technology Assessment,”, by inserting “and” before “the Librarian”, and by striking “, and the Technology Assessment Board”.

(c) **REDESIGNATION OF EXECUTED PROVISION.**—Section 201 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 is amended by redesignating subsection (g) (relating to revenue estimates) as subsection (f).

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**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT OF MANAGERS  
(H. CONF. REPT. 105-217)**

*3. Amendment to section 201 of the Congressional Budget Act*

HOUSE BILL (SECTION 11102)

Provides a nonsubstantive change clarifying that the term of the Director of the Congressional Budget Office is one of four years that expires in the year preceding a Presidential election.

Corrects an error made by Section 13202 of the Budget Enforcement Act of 1990 that designated two different subsections as 201(g) by redesignating the first as Section 201(f).

SENATE AMENDMENT (SECTION 1601)

Provides a technical correction to redesignate a subsection regarding revenue estimates which was not properly executed in prior amendments.

CONFERENCE AGREEMENT (SECTION 10102)

The Conference agreement reflects the House bill with modifications to eliminate the references to the Office of Technology Assessment and the Technology Assessment Board from this section.

*[Joint Explanatory Statement on the Committee of Conference on the Balanced Budget Act of 1997; (Conference Report), Committee on the Budget, House of Representatives, 105th Congress, 1st Session, Washington D.C. 1997.]*