

EXHIBIT NO. 3

91ST CONGRESS
1ST SESSION**S. 2590**

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 10, 1969

Mr. Moss introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

To provide for the establishment of a Commission on Marihuana.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

That (a) there is hereby established a commission to be known as the Commission on Marihuana (hereinafter referred to as the "Commission"). The Commission shall be composed of nine members, appointed by the President.

(b) The President shall designate one of the members of the Commission as Chairman, and one as Vice Chairman. Five members of the Commission shall constitute a quorum.

(c) Members of the Commission shall each be entitled to receive \$100 per diem when engaged in the performance

of the duties vested in the Commission, including traveltime: and while so engaged when away from their home or regular place of business, they may be allowed travel expenses, including per diem in lieu of subsistence, as authorized by section 5703 (b) of title 5, United States Code, for persons in Government service employed intermittently.

(d) The Commission shall meet at the call of the Chairman or at the call of a majority of the members thereof.

SEC. 2. (a) The Commission shall have the power to appoint and fix the compensation of such personnel, as it deems advisable, without regard to the provisions of title 5, United States Code, governing appointments in the competitive service, and the provisions of chapter 51 and subchapter III of chapter 53 of such title, relating to classification and General Schedule pay rates.

(b) The Commission may procure, in accordance with the provisions of section 3109 of title 5, United States Code, the temporary or intermittent services of experts or consultants. Persons so employed shall receive compensation at a rate to be fixed by the Commission, but not in excess of \$75 per diem, including traveltime. While away from his home or regular place of business in the performance of services for the Commission, any such person may be allowed travel expenses, including

per diem in lieu of subsistence, as authorized by section 5703 (b) of title 5, United States Code, for persons in the Government service employed intermittently.

SEC. 3. The Commission shall conduct a study of marihuana including, but not limited to, the following areas:

(1) the extent of use of marihuana in the United States to include number of users, number of arrests, number of convictions, amount of marihuana seized, type of user, nature of use;

(2) an evaluation of the efficacy of existing marihuana laws;

(3) a study of the pharmacology of marihuana and its immediate and long-term effects both physiological and psychological;

(4) the relationship of marihuana use to aggressive behavior and crime; and

(5) the relationship between marihuana and the use of other drugs.

SEC. 4. Within two years after the enactment of this Act, the Commission shall submit to the President and the Congress a comprehensive report on its study and investigation which shall include its recommendations and such proposals for legislation and administrative action as may be necessary to carry out its recommendations. The Commis-

sion shall cease to exist thirty days after such report is submitted.

SEC. 5. Total expenditures of the Commission shall not exceed \$750,000.