116TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION H.R. 1371

To conduct or support further comprehensive research for the creation of a universal influenza vaccine.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 26, 2019

Ms. DELAURO (for herself, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. COHEN, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, and Ms. NORTON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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 "Flu Vaccine Act".

5 SEC. 2. RESEARCH FOR THE CREATION OF A UNIVERSAL

6 INFLUENZA VACCINE.

- 7 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Director of the National In-
- 8 stitute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases shall conduct or

support comprehensive research for the creation of a uni versal influenza vaccine.

3 (b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—To carry
4 out this section, there are authorized to be appropriated
5 \$200,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2020 through 2024.

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