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# H. R. 214

To allow States to elect to observe daylight savings time for the duration of the year, and for other purposes.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. STEWART introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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## 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 “Daylight Act”.

5 **SEC. 2. OPTIONAL YEAR-LONG APPLICATION OF DAYLIGHT**  
6 **SAVINGS TIME.**

7 Section 3(a) of the Uniform Time Act of 1966 (15  
8 U.S.C. 260a) is amended—

9 (1) by inserting “or may by law apply the ad-  
10 vancement of time described in this section for the

1 duration of the year,” after “may by law exempt  
2 itself from the provisions of this subsection providing  
3 for the advancement of time,”;

4 (2) by striking “the standard time otherwise  
5 applicable during that period” and inserting “the  
6 same standard time”;

7 (3) by striking “may by law exempt either the  
8 entire State as provided in (1) or” and inserting “,  
9 by law, may apply either standard time provided for  
10 in paragraph (1) to the entire State,”; and

11 (4) by inserting “, or may apply the advance-  
12 ment of time for the duration of the year to the en-  
13 tire area of the State lying within any time zone”  
14 before the period at the end.

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