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To amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to require the label on certain menstrual products to include an ingredient list, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. MENG (for herself and Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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A BILL

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

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the ''Accurate Labeling of Menstrual Products Act of 2016''.

SEC. 2. LABELING REQUIREMENT FOR MENSTRUAL PRODUCTS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 502 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 352) is amended by inserting at the end the following:

''(dd) If it is an obstetrical and gynecological device described in section 884.5400, 884.5425, 884.5435, 884.5460, 884.5470, or 884.5900 of title 21, Code of Federal Regulations (or any successor regulation), unless it bears a label listing the name of each ingredient or component of the device in order of the most predominant ingredient or component to the least predominant ingredient or component.''.

(b) DATE OF APPLICATION.—The amendment made by subsection (a) applies only with respect to a device manufactured more than one year after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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