

Union Calendar No. 158

117TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 612

[Report No. 117-220]

To amend the Radiation Exposure Compensation Act to include certain communities, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 28, 2021

Mr. STANTON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

DECEMBER 20, 2021

Additional sponsors: Mrs. LEE of Nevada, Ms. TITUS, Mr. HORSFORD, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. GALLEGO, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK, Mr. O'HALLERAN, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. NEGUSE, and Mr. LEVIN of California

DECEMBER 20, 2021

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in *italic*]

[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on January 28, 2021]

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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 “Downwinders Parity*
5 *Act of 2021”.*

6 **SEC. 2. INCLUSION UNDER THE RADIATION EXPOSURE**
7 **COMPENSATION ACT.**

8 *Section 4(b)(1) of the Radiation Exposure Compensa-*
9 *tion Act (42 U.S.C. 2210 note; Public Law 101–426) is*
10 *amended—*

11 *(1) in subparagraph (B)—*

12 *(A) by striking “that portion of”; and*

13 *(B) by striking “that consists of townships*
14 *13 through 16 at ranges 63 through 71”; and*

15 *(2) in subparagraph (C), by inserting “all acre-*
16 *age in any county all or part of which is located in”*
17 *before “that part”.*

18 **SEC. 3. REPORT.**

19 *Within 60 days after the date of enactment of this Act,*
20 *the Attorney General shall submit to the relevant commit-*
21 *tees of the House of Representatives and of the Senate a*
22 *report that outlines efforts to educate and conduct outreach*
23 *to persons made newly eligible for benefits under the amend-*
24 *ments made by section 2 of this Act.*

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