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H. R. 9106

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 23, 2024

Mr. LAWLER (for himself, Mr. TORRES of New York, Mr. MOLINARO, Mr. WILLIAMS of New York, and Mr. KEAN of New Jersey) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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 “Enhanced Presidential
5 Security Act of 2024”.

1 **SEC. 2. UNIFORM STANDARDS FOR SECRET SERVICE PRO-**
2 **TECTION OF PRESIDENTS, VICE PRESIDENTS,**
3 **AND MAJOR PRESIDENTIAL AND VICE PRESI-**
4 **DENTIAL CANDIDATES.**

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6 shall apply the same standards for determining the num-
7 ber of agents required to protect Presidents, Vice Presi-
8 dents, and major Presidential and Vice Presidential can-
9 didates.

10 **SEC. 3. REPORT.**

11 Not later than 180 days after the date of enactment
12 of this Act, the Director of the United States Secret Serv-
13 ice shall conduct a comprehensive review of the provision
14 of protection by the Secret Service for Presidents, Vice
15 Presidents, former Presidents, and major Presidential and
16 Vice Presidential candidates, and submit to the Committee
17 on Homeland Security of the House of Representatives
18 and the Committee on Homeland Security and Govern-
19 mental Affairs of the Senate a report that includes the
20 findings from such review, along with any recommenda-
21 tions for improving the provision of protection.

22 **SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

23 There is authorized to be appropriated such sums as
24 may be necessary to carry out this Act.

1 **SEC. 5. DEFINITION.**

2 In this Act, the term “major Presidential and Vice
3 Presidential candidates” has the meaning given such term
4 in section 3056 of title 18, United States Code, and in-
5 cludes any other Presidential or Vice Presidential can-
6 didate for whom the President has otherwise authorized
7 the Secret Service to protect.

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