

117TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 2198

To direct the Joint Committee of Congress on the Library to obtain a statue of Shirley Chisholm for placement in the United States Capitol.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 26, 2021

Ms. Clarke of New York (for herself, Mr. Brown, Mrs. Watson Coleman, Ms. Johnson of Texas, Ms. Norton, Mr. Meeks, Mr. Veasey, Mr. Payne, Mr. Carson, Mr. Jeffries, Mr. Hastings, Mr. Butterfield, Mr. Johnson of Georgia, Mrs. Lawrence, Ms. Bass, Mrs. Beatty, Mr. McEachin, Ms. Pressley, Mr. Evans, Ms. Plaskett, Ms. Lee of California, Mr. Thompson of Mississippi, Mrs. McBath, Mrs. Demings, Ms. Williams of Georgia, Ms. Strickland, and Ms. Bush) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

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. PLACEMENT OF STATUE OF SHIRLEY CHIS-
- 4 HOLM IN UNITED STATES CAPITOL.
- 5 (a) Obtaining Statue.—Not later than 2 years
- 6 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Joint Com-

- 1 mittee of Congress on the Library shall enter into an
- 2 agreement to obtain a statue of Shirley Chisholm, under
- 3 such terms and conditions as the Joint Committee con-
- 4 siders appropriate consistent with applicable law. The
- 5 Joint Committee may authorize the Architect of the Cap-
- 6 itol to enter into the agreement and related contracts re-
- 7 quired under this subsection on its behalf, under such
- 8 terms and conditions as the Joint Committee may require.
- 9 (b) Placement.—The Joint Committee of Congress
- 10 on the Library shall place the statue obtained under sub-
- 11 section (a) in a public permanent location in the United
- 12 States Capitol.
- 13 (c) Authorization of Appropriations.—There
- 14 are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be
- 15 necessary to carry out this Act, and any amounts so ap-
- 16 propriated shall remain available until expended.

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