

117TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION H.R. 2526

To enhance oversight of the implementation of subtitles B and C of title III of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 by the Secretary of the Treasury and the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

April 14, 2021

Mr. McHenry introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

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. OVERSIGHT OF AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN AC-
- 4 TIVITIES.
- 5 (a) Special Inspector General.—Section
- 6 4018(c)(3) of the Coronavirus Economic Stabilization Act
- 7 of 2020 (15 U.S.C. 9053(c)(3)) is amended—

| 1 | (1) by striking "shall also" and inserting "shall |
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| 2 | also—''; |
| 3 | (2) by striking "have the duties" and inserting |
| 4 | the following: |
| 5 | "(A) have the duties"; |
| 6 | (3) by striking "(5 U.S.C. App.)." and inserting |
| 7 | "(5 U.S.C. App.); and"; and |
| 8 | (4) by adding at the end the following: |
| 9 | "(B) conduct, supervise, and coordinate |
| 10 | audits and investigations of activities under- |
| 11 | taken by the Secretary, the Secretary of Hous- |
| 12 | ing and Urban Development, and the Secretary |
| 13 | of Agriculture pursuant to subtitles B and C of |
| 14 | title III of the American Rescue Plan Act of |
| 15 | 2021 (and amendments made by such sub- |
| 16 | titles).". |
| 17 | (b) Congressional Oversight Commission.—Sec- |
| 18 | tion 4020(b)(1) of the Coronavirus Economic Stabilization |
| 19 | Act of 2020 (15 U.S.C. 9055(b)(1)) is amended— |
| 20 | (1) in subparagraph (B), by striking "; and" |
| 21 | and inserting a semicolon; |
| 22 | (2) in subparagraph (C), by striking the period |
| 23 | at the end and inserting "; and"; and |
| 24 | (3) by adding at the end the following: |

| 1 | "(D) conduct oversight of the implementa- |
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| 2 | tion of subtitles B and C of title III of the of |
| 3 | the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (and |
| 4 | amendments made by such subtitles) by the De- |
| 5 | partment of the Treasury and the Department |
| 6 | of Housing and Urban Development.". |
| 7 | (c) Testimony.—Section 4026(c) of the Coronavirus |
| 8 | Economic Stabilization Act of 2020 (15 U.S.C. 9060(c)) |
| 9 | is amended— |
| 10 | (1) by striking "The Secretary" and inserting |
| 11 | "The Secretary, the Secretary of Housing and |
| 12 | Urban Development,"; |
| 13 | (2) by striking "Department of the Treasury" |
| 14 | and inserting "Department of the Treasury, Depart- |
| 15 | ment of Housing and Urban Development, and"; |
| 16 | and |
| 17 | (3) by striking "this Act" and inserting "this |
| 18 | Act and subtitles B and C of title III of the Amer- |
| 19 | ican Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (and amendments |
| 20 | made by such subtitles)". |

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