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H. R. 7775

To extend the National Alzheimer’s Project.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 13, 2022

Mr. TONKO (for himself, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Ms. WATERS) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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 “NAPA Reauthorization
5 Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF PROJECT.**

7 Section 2 of the National Alzheimer’s Project Act (42
8 U.S.C. 11225) is amended—

9 (1) in subsection (c)—

(A) in paragraph (2), by striking “and coordination of” and inserting “on, and coordination of,”;

(B) in paragraph (4)—

(i) by redesignating subparagraphs (A) and (B) as subparagraphs (B) and (C), respectively; and

(ii) by inserting before subparagraph (B), as so redesignated, the following:

“(A) promotion of healthy aging and reduction of risk factors for Alzheimer’s disease;”;

(C) in paragraph (5), by striking “; and” and inserting a semicolon;

(D) by redesignating paragraph (6) as paragraph (7); and

(E) by inserting after paragraph (5) the following:

“(6) provide information on, and promote the adoption of, healthy behaviors that may reduce the risk of cognitive decline and promote and protect cognitive health; and”;

(2) in subsection (d)(2)—

(A) by inserting “, across public and private sectors,” after “Nation’s progress”; and

(B) by inserting “, including consideration of public-private collaborations, as appropriate” before the period;

(3) in subsection (e)—

(A) in paragraph (2)—

(i) in subparagraph (A), by adding at the end the following:

“(xi) A designee of the Department of Justice.

“(xii) A designee of the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

“(xiii) A designee of the Social Security Administration.

“(xiv) A designee of the Office of Management and Budget.”; and

(ii) in subparagraph (B)—

(I) in clause (v)—

(aa) by striking “2 researchers” and inserting “3 researchers”; and

(bb) by striking “; and” and inserting “, including at least one researcher with demonstrated experience in recruitment and re-

1 tention of diverse cohorts of trial
2 participants;”;

3 (II) in clause (vi), by striking the
4 period and inserting “; and”; and

5 (III) by adding at the end the
6 following:

7 “(vii) an individual with a diagnosis of
8 Alzheimer’s disease.”;

9 (B) in paragraph (5)—

10 (i) in subparagraph (A)—

11 (I) by striking “an initial evalua-
12 tion” and inserting “annual evalua-
13 tions”; and

14 (II) by striking “research, clin-
15 ical” and inserting “research, risk re-
16 duction, public health, clinical”;

17 (ii) in subparagraph (B), by striking
18 “initial”;

19 (iii) in subparagraph (C)—

20 (I) in the matter preceding clause
21 (i), by striking “initial”; and

22 (II) in clause (ii), by inserting
23 “and reduce disparities” before the
24 semicolon; and

1 (iv) in subparagraph (D), by striking
2 “annually thereafter, an evaluation” and
3 inserting “annual evaluations”; and
4 (C) in paragraph (6), by striking “2025”
5 and inserting “2035”;
6 (4) in subsection (g)(3)(A)(ii), by inserting
7 “and reduce disparities” before the semicolon; and
8 (5) in subsection (h), by striking “2025” and
9 inserting “2035”.

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