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To require that information on spending associated with national emergencies be subject to the same reporting requirements as other Federal funds under the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 13, 2023

Mr. GOSAR (for himself, Mr. DONALDS, Mr. NEHLS, Mrs. BOEBERT, Mrs. MILLER of Illinois, Ms. TENNEY, Mr. BIGGS, Mr. ROSENDALE, Ms. HAGEMAN, Mr. CRANE, Mr. OGLES, Mr. JACKSON of Texas, Mr. SANTOS, Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana, and Mr. MOORE of Alabama) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability

A BILL

To require that information on spending associated with national emergencies be subject to the same reporting requirements as other Federal funds under the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006, and for other purposes.

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 “National Emergency
5 Expenditure Reporting Transparency Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPORTING ON SPENDING FOR NATIONAL EMER-**
2 **GENCIES.**

3 (a) FULL DISCLOSURE OF FEDERAL FUNDS.—Sec-
4 tion 3(b)(1) of the Federal Funding Accountability and
5 Transparency Act of 2006 (31 U.S.C. 6101 note) is
6 amended—

7 (1) in section 3(b)(1)—

8 (2) in subparagraph (C)(ii) by striking “and”
9 at the end;

10 (3) in subparagraph (D)(ii) by striking the pe-
11 riod at the end and inserting “; and”; and

12 (4) by adding at the end the following:

13 “(E) beginning not later than 6 months
14 after the date of enactment of this subpara-
15 graph, for each national emergency declared by
16 the President under section 201 of the National
17 Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1621)—

18 “(i) the amount—

19 “(I) of budget authority appro-
20 priated;

21 “(II) that is obligated;

22 “(III) of unobligated balances;

23 and

24 “(IV) of any other budgetary re-
25 sources; and

1 “(ii) from which accounts and in what
2 amount appropriations are obligated and
3 outlays are made—

4 “(I) by object class; and

5 “(II) for each program activity.”.

6 (b) DATA STANDARDS.—

7 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 4(b) of the Federal
8 Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of
9 2006 (31 U.S.C. 6101 note) is amended—

10 (A) in paragraph (6) by striking “and” at
11 the end;

12 (B) in paragraph (7) by striking the period
13 at the end and inserting “; and”; and

14 (C) by adding at the end the following:

15 “(8) include unique identifiers for Federal
16 funds made available or expended with respect to
17 each national emergency declared by the President
18 under section 201 of the National Emergencies Act
19 (50 U.S.C. 1621).”.

20 (2) UPDATES.—Not later than 6 months after
21 the date of enactment of this Act, the Director of
22 the Office of Management and Budget and the Sec-
23 retary of the Treasury shall update the data stand-
24 ards established under section 4(a) of the Federal
25 Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of

- 1 2006 (31 U.S.C. 6101 note(a)) to comply with the
- 2 amendments made by this section.

