

# Union Calendar No. 544

118TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 7347

[Report No. 118-647]

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 14, 2024

Mr. VAN ORDEN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

SEPTEMBER 6, 2024

Additional sponsor: Mr. BERGMAN

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Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union  
and ordered to be printed

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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. REPORTING OF DETERMINATION OF THE SEC-**  
4 **RETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS WHETHER**  
5 **TO INCLUDE NEWLY APPROVED OR LI-**  
6 **CENSED PSYCHEDELIC DRUGS IN THE FOR-**  
7 **MULARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS**  
8 **AFFAIRS.**

9 Chapter 81 of title 38, United States Code, is amend-  
10 ed by inserting, after section 8125, the following new sec-  
11 tion (and conforming the table of sections at the beginning  
12 of such chapter accordingly):

13 **“§ 8125A. Reporting of determination whether to in-**  
14 **clude newly approved or licensed psyche-**  
15 **delic drugs in the formulary of the De-**  
16 **partment**

17 “Not later than 180 days after a psychedelic drug  
18 is approved under section 505 of the Federal Food, Drug,  
19 and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 355) or licensed under sec-  
20 tion 351 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 262),  
21 the Secretary shall submit to the Committees on Veterans’  
22 Affairs of the Senate and House of Representatives a re-  
23 port regarding such drug, that includes—

1           “(1) the determination of the Secretary whether  
2           to include such drug in the formulary of the Depart-  
3           ment; and

4           “(2) the justification of the Secretary for such  
5           determination.”.



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