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To prohibit Federal funds from being used to provide certain gender transition procedures to individuals in the custody of the Department of Homeland Security and the Department of Health and Human Services.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. STEUBE (for himself, Mr. RESCHENTHALER, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. LAMALFA, Mr. TIFFANY, and Mr. ROSENDALE) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

To prohibit Federal funds from being used to provide certain gender transition procedures to individuals in the custody of the Department of Homeland Security and the Department of Health and Human Services.

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 “Stopping Transgender
5 Operation Payments and Wacky Expenses for Illegal Resi-

1 dents and Detainees Act of 2024” or the “STOP WEIRD
2 Act of 2024”.

3 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITING FEDERAL FUNDS FROM BEING USED**
4 **TO PROVIDE CERTAIN GENDER TRANSITION**
5 **PROCEDURES.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-
7 sion of law, no Federal funds may be used or otherwise
8 made available to provide or refer for a specified gender
9 transition procedure to an individual in the custody of the
10 Department of Homeland Security or the Department of
11 Health and Human Services or to reimburse any entity
12 for providing such a procedure to such an individual.

13 (b) SPECIFIED GENDER TRANSITION PROCEDURE
14 DEFINED.—

15 (1) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of this para-
16 graph, except as provided in paragraph (2), the term
17 “specified gender transition procedure” means, with
18 respect to an individual, any of the following when
19 performed for the purpose of intentionally changing
20 the body of such individual to no longer correspond
21 to their sex:

- 22 (A) Performing any surgery, including—
23 (i) castration;
24 (ii) orchiectomy;
25 (iii) scrotoplasty;

- 1 (iv) vasectomy;
2 (v) hysterectomy;
3 (vi) oophorectomy;
4 (vii) ovariectomy;
5 (viii) metoidioplasty;
6 (ix) penectomy;
7 (x) phalloplasty;
8 (xi) vaginoplasty;
9 (xii) vaginectomy;
10 (xiii) vulvoplasty;
11 (xiv) reduction thyrochondroplasty;
12 (xv) chondrolaryngoplasty;
13 (xvi) mastectomy; and
14 (xvii) any plastic, cosmetic, or aes-
15 thetic surgery that feminizes or
16 masculinizes the facial or other body fea-
17 tures of an individual.
- 18 (B) Any placement of chest implants to
19 create feminine breasts.
- 20 (C) Any placement of fat or artificial im-
21 plants in the gluteal region.
- 22 (D) Administering, supplying, prescribing,
23 dispensing, distributing, or otherwise conveying
24 to an individual medications, including—

1 (i) gonadotropin-releasing hormone
2 (GnRH) analogues or other puberty-block-
3 ing drugs to stop or delay normal puberty;
4 and

5 (ii) testosterone, estrogen, or other
6 androgens to an individual at doses that
7 are supraphysiologic than would normally
8 be produced endogenously in a healthy in-
9 dividual of the same age and sex.

10 (2) SEX.—For purposes of paragraph (1), the
11 term “sex” means the indication of male or female
12 sex by reproductive potential or capacity, sex chro-
13 mosomes, naturally occurring sex hormones, gonads,
14 or internal or external genitalia present at birth.

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