

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. J. RES. 125

Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Office of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services relating to “Policy on Adhering to the Text of the Administrative Procedure Act”.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 18, 2025

Mrs. FLETCHER submitted the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

JOINT RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That Congress disapproves the rule submitted by the Of-
4 fice of the Secretary of the Department of Health and
5 Human Services relating to “Policy on Adhering to the
6 Text of the Administrative Procedure Act” (published on
7 March 3, 2025, and a letter of opinion from the Govern-

1 ment Accountability Office dated August 27, 2025, print-
2 ed in the Congressional Record on September 3, 2025, on
3 pages S6003–S6005, concluding that such Policy State-
4 ment is a rule under chapter 8 of title 5, United States
5 Code), and such rule shall have no force or effect.

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