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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. JOHNSON of Texas 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 “Easy Returns Act”.

5 **SEC. 2. PROVISION OF RETURN LABELS.**

6 (a) REQUIREMENT.—No person described in sub-
7 section (b) may sell to a consumer a physical good that
8 requires subsequent delivery to such consumer without in-
9 cluding, as part of such delivery, a physical label appro-
10 priately addressed for purposes of the return of such good.

1 (b) COVERED PERSONS.—A person is described in
2 this subsection if such person employed, in the preceding
3 year, at least 500 employees.

4 (c) LIMITATIONS.—Subsection (a) does not apply
5 with respect to the sale of a physical good—

6 (1) that is perishable and not typically returned
7 by a consumer after delivery;

8 (2) that is custom made or personalized in a
9 manner that prevents resale to another consumer if
10 returned; or

11 (3) with respect to which the person selling the
12 good offers an accessible and convenient return
13 method other than return by means of shipping, in-
14 cluding a scheduled, at-home pickup service that is
15 available without cost to a consumer.

16 (d) REGULATIONS.—Not later than 180 days after
17 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Federal Trade
18 Commission shall promulgate, under section 553 of title
19 5, United States Code, regulations to carry out this sec-
20 tion.

21 (e) ENFORCEMENT BY FEDERAL TRADE COMMIS-
22 SION.—

23 (1) UNFAIR OR DECEPTIVE ACTS OR PRAC-
24 TICES.—A violation of this section or a regulation
25 promulgated under this section shall be treated as a

1 violation of a regulation under section 18(a)(1)(B)
2 of the Federal Trade Commission Act (15 U.S.C.
3 57a(a)(1)(B)) regarding unfair or deceptive acts or
4 practices.

5 (2) POWERS OF COMMISSION.—The Federal
6 Trade Commission shall enforce this section and the
7 regulations promulgated under this section in the
8 same manner, by the same means, and with the
9 same jurisdiction, powers, and duties as though all
10 applicable terms and provisions of the Federal Trade
11 Commission Act (15 U.S.C. 41 et seq.) were incor-
12 porated into and made a part of this section. Any
13 person who violates this section or a regulation pro-
14 mulgated under this section shall be subject to the
15 penalties and entitled to the privileges and immuni-
16 ties provided in the Federal Trade Commission Act.

17 (f) APPLICABILITY.—This section shall apply to sales
18 occurring on or after the date that is 1 year after the date
19 of the enactment of this Act.

20 (g) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this sec-
21 tion may be construed to limit any right or remedy avail-
22 able to a consumer under any other provision of law.

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