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H. R. 4887

To codify the proposed rule issued by the Federal Acquisition Regulatory Council relating to ending procurement and forced use of paper straws, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. ISSA introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

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 “Stop Ineffective Paper
5 Straws Act” or the “SIPS Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. ENDING PROCUREMENT AND FORCED USE OF**
7 **PAPER STRAWS.**

8 (a) REQUIREMENT.—A covered agency that procures
9 or provides for use a straw during the performance of a

1 contract in a facility that is owned or leased by such cov-
2 ered agency shall ensure that any such straw has the
3 strength and durability of a plastic straw.

4 (b) REPRESENTATION.—A person who submits a bid
5 or offer to a covered agency shall represent, by submission
6 of such bid or offer, that such person—

7 (1) does not have any policy promoting the use
8 of a paper straw or penalizing the use of a plastic
9 straw;

10 (2) shall not provide any paper straw in the
11 performance of any contract; and

12 (3) shall ensure that any straw such person
13 provides in the performance of any contract has the
14 strength and durability of a plastic straw.

15 (c) COVERED AGENCY DEFINED.—In this section,
16 the term “covered agency” means—

17 (1) the Office of Management and Budget;

18 (2) the Office of Federal Procurement Policy;

19 (3) the Department of Defense;

20 (4) the General Services Administration; and

21 (5) the National Aeronautics and Space Admin-
22 istration.

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