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To promote shared values.

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Ms. UNDERWOOD introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Appropriations, Ethics, Agriculture, Ways and Means, Armed Services, the Budget, Education and Workforce, Rules, Financial Services, Foreign Affairs, Homeland Security, House Administration, Intelligence (Permanent Select), the Judiciary, Natural Resources, Oversight and Government Reform, Science, Space, and Technology, Small Business, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Veterans' Affairs, 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 promote shared values.

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 “Shared Values Act”.

TITLE I**SEC. 101. FARMERS' MARKETS AND LOCAL FOOD PRO-
MOTION PROGRAM REAUTHORIZATION.**

(a) MATCHING FUNDS.—Section 210A(d)(6)(E) of the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946 (7 U.S.C. 1627c(d)(6)(E)) is amended to read as follows:

“(E) MATCHING FUNDS.—

“(i) IN GENERAL.—An eligible entity that receives a grant under this paragraph shall provide matching funds in the form of cash or an in-kind contribution in an amount that is equal to 25 percent of the total amount of the Federal portion of the grant.

“(ii) EXCEPTION.—Clause (i) shall not apply to an eligible entity that is carrying out a priority grant described in clause (i) or (ii) of subparagraph (C).”.

(b) FUNDING.—Section 210A(i) of the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946 (7 U.S.C. 1627c(i)) is amended—

(1) in paragraph (1), by striking “\$50,000,000” and inserting “\$100,000,000”;

(2) in paragraph (2)—

1 (A) by striking “for fiscal year 2019 and
2 each fiscal year thereafter” and inserting “for
3 each of fiscal years 2019 through 2026”; and

4 (B) by striking the period at the end and
5 inserting the following: “, and \$50,000,000 for
6 fiscal year 2027 and each fiscal year thereafter,
7 to remain available until expended.”; and

8 (3) in paragraph (3)(B), by adding at the end
9 the following: “Of the amount made available pursu-
10 ant to the preceding sentence for a fiscal year, 30
11 percent shall be reserved for priority grants de-
12 scribed in clause (i) or (ii) of subparagraph (C) of
13 subsection (d)(6) for entities that have not received
14 a grant under such subsection in the preceding 3
15 years and will use the funds to establish a new farm-
16 ers’ market. If applications for such priority grants
17 are insufficient in number or merit in a fiscal year,
18 the Secretary may use such reserved funds for
19 grants described in the first sentence of this sub-
20 paragraph.”.

21 (c) REPORTS.—

22 (1) SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE REPORT.—
23 Not later than 3 years after the date of the enact-
24 ment of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture shall

1 make publicly available on the website of the De-
2 partment of Agriculture a report describing—

3 (A) the number of applications for a grant
4 under section 210A(d)(6) of the Agricultural
5 Marketing Act of 1946 (7 U.S.C. 1627c(d)(6))
6 in the preceding 2 years;

7 (B) the number of such applications that
8 were submitted by eligible entities that had not
9 previously applied for such a grant;

10 (C) the number of such applications that
11 met the requirements for a priority grant de-
12 scribed in clause (i) or (ii) of subparagraph (C)
13 of such section; and

14 (D) the number of grants awarded relating
15 to the applications described in paragraph (2)
16 and (3), respectively.

17 (2) INSPECTOR GENERAL REPORT.—Not later
18 than 3 years after the date of the enactment of this
19 Act, the Inspector General of the Department of Ag-
20 riculture shall make publicly available on the website
21 of the Department of Agriculture a report describ-
22 ing—

23 (A) any fraud or abuse related to the grant
24 program under section 210A(d)(6) of the Agri-

1 cultural Marketing Act of 1946 (7 U.S.C.
2 1627c(d)(6)) in the preceding 2 years; and
3 (B) the effects of the amendment made by
4 subsection (a) on participation in such grant
5 program.

6 **TITLE II**

7 **SEC. 201. NURSING WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PRO-** 8 **GRAMS.**

9 There is hereby appropriated \$610,000,000 for fiscal
10 year 2026 for Nursing Workforce Development programs
11 under title VIII of the Public Health Service Act (42
12 U.S.C. 296 et seq.).

13 **TITLE III**

14 **SEC. 301. SUPPORTING THE RECOGNITION OF BLACK MID-** 15 **WIVES DAY.**

16 It is the sense of Congress that Congress—

17 (1) supports the recognition of “Black Midwives
18 Day”;

19 (2) encourages the Federal Government and
20 State and local governments to take proactive meas-
21 ures to address racial disparities in maternal health
22 outcomes by supporting initiatives aimed at diversi-
23 fying the perinatal workforce, increasing access to
24 culturally congruent maternal health care;

(3) commits to collaborating with relevant stakeholders to develop and enact policy solutions that promote health equity, address systemic racism, and support the advancement of Black midwifery;

(4) calls for—

(A) increased funding for education, training, and access to Black preceptors;

(B) removing barriers and restrictions to Black preceptors;

(C) providing financial pathways to support students and preceptors;

(D) mentorship programs that focus on promoting and sustaining Black midwifery; and

(E) removing barriers related to accreditation by recognizing midwives across all training pathways;

(5) encourages the Federal Government and State governments to authorize the autonomous practice of all midwives to the full extent of their training;

(6) promotes the authorization or reauthorization of funding for TRICARE and Medicaid coverage of maternity care provided by midwives of all training pathways;

1 (7) encourages the Federal Government and
 2 State and local governments to take active steps to
 3 destigmatize and decriminalize midwifery pathways
 4 in the setting of choice of the pregnant person, in-
 5 cluding their homes, birth centers, clinics, or health
 6 units; and

7 (8) supports and recognizes the longstanding
 8 and invaluable contributions of Black midwives to
 9 maternal and infant health in the United States.

10 **TITLE IV**

11 **SEC. 401. DETERMINATION OF BUDGETARY EFFECTS.**

12 The budgetary effects of this Act, for the purpose of
 13 complying with the Statutory Pay-As-You-Go-Act of 2010,
 14 shall be determined by reference to the latest statement
 15 titled “Budgetary Effects of PAYGO Legislation” for this
 16 Act, submitted for printing in the Congressional Record
 17 by the Chairman of the House Budget Committee, pro-
 18 vided that such statement has been submitted prior to the
 19 vote on passage.

20 **TITLE V**

21 **SEC. 501. STUDENT LOAN CONTRACT AND LOAN DISCLO-** 22 **SURES.**

23 (a) STUDENT LOAN CONTRACT.—Section
 24 432(m)(1)(D) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20

1 U.S.C. 1082(m)(1)(D)) is amended by adding at the end
2 the following:

3 “(iv) STUDENT LOAN CONTRACT.—

4 “(I) IN GENERAL.—Any master
5 promissory note form described in this
6 subparagraph that is developed or
7 used for loans made under part D for
8 periods of enrollment beginning on or
9 after the date of enactment of the
10 Student Loan Contract Act of 2025
11 shall be referred to as a ‘student loan
12 contract’.

13 “(II) CLARIFICATION ON USE.—

14 A student loan contract for loans
15 made under part D for a student shall
16 only be used with respect to loans
17 made under part D for the periods of
18 enrollment that are in the same award
19 year for which the initial loans for
20 which the contract is used were
21 made.”.

22 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Section
23 485(l)(2)(B) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20
24 U.S.C. 1092(l)(2)(B)) is amended by inserting before the

1 period at the end the following: “or the student loan con-
 2 tract”.

3 **TITLE VI**

4 **SEC. 601. CONTINUED IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CLIMATE** 5 **AND HEALTH PROGRAM.**

6 Part B of title III of the Public Health Service Act
 7 is amended by inserting after section 317V (42 U.S.C.
 8 247b–24) the following new section:

9 **“SEC. 317W. CLIMATE AND HEALTH PROGRAM.**

10 “(a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary, acting through
 11 the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Pre-
 12 vention, shall continue to implement the Climate and
 13 Health program carried out by the National Center for
 14 Environmental Health (or any successor program) for the
 15 following purposes:

16 “(1) To translate climate change science to in-
 17 form State, local, Tribal, and territorial govern-
 18 ments, including health departments, as well as com-
 19 munities.

20 “(2) To create decision support tools to build
 21 capacity to prepare for climate change.

22 “(3) To serve as a credible leader in planning
 23 for the public health impacts of climate change.

24 “(b) WRITTEN NOTIFICATION TO CONGRESS.—In
 25 the case of the establishment of any successor program

1 to the Climate and Health program referred to in sub-
2 section (a), the Secretary, acting through the Director of
3 the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, shall sub-
4 mit to Congress a written notification of any transfer or
5 reprogramming of funds to establish such a successor pro-
6 gram.

7 “(c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—

8 “(1) IN GENERAL.—There are authorized to be
9 appropriated to carry out the program continued
10 under subsection (a) \$110,000,000 for fiscal year
11 2026 and each fiscal year thereafter.

12 “(2) LIMITATION.—None of the funds made
13 available under paragraph (1) may be transferred or
14 reprogrammed by the Secretary to carry out another
15 program administered by the Secretary.”.

16 **TITLE VII**

17 **SEC. 701. CODE OF OFFICIAL CONDUCT.**

18 Rule XXIII of the Rules of the House of Representa-
19 tives is amended by striking clause 18 and inserting the
20 following:

21 “18. A Member, Delegate, or Resident Commissioner
22 may not engage in a sexual relationship with any employee
23 of the House who works under the supervision of the
24 Member, Delegate, or Resident Commissioner, or who is
25 an employee of a committee on which the Member, Dele-

1 gate, or Resident Commissioner serves, or who is an em-
 2 ployee of a leadership office with respect to which the
 3 Member, Delegate, or Resident Commissioner occupies.
 4 This paragraph does not apply with respect to any rela-
 5 tionship between two people who are married to each
 6 other.”.

7 **TITLE VIII**

8 **SEC. 801. MEMORIALIZING THE 1969 ESTABLISHMENT OF** 9 **THE BISON HERD AT THE FERMI NATIONAL** 10 **ACCELERATOR LABORATORY.**

11 (a) COIN SPECIFICATIONS.—

12 (1) DENOMINATIONS.—The Secretary of the
 13 Treasury (referred to in this section as the “Sec-
 14 retary”), in commemoration of the 1969 establish-
 15 ment of the bison herd at the Fermi National Accel-
 16 erator Laboratory, shall mint and issue not more
 17 than 400,000 \$1 silver coins, which shall each—

18 (A) weigh 26.73 grams;

19 (B) have a diameter of 1.500 inches; and

20 (C) contain not less than 90 percent silver.

21 (2) LEGAL TENDER.—The coins minted under
 22 this section shall be legal tender, as provided in sec-
 23 tion 5103 of title 31, United States Code.

24 (3) NUMISMATIC ITEMS.—For purposes of sec-
 25 tions 5134 and 5136 of title 31, United States Code,

1 all coins minted under this section shall be consid-
2 ered to be numismatic items.

3 (b) DESIGNS OF COINS.—

4 (1) DESIGN REQUIREMENTS.—The designs of
5 the coins minted under this section shall commemo-
6 rate the 1969 establishment of the bison herd at the
7 Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory.

8 (2) SELECTION.—The designs for the coins
9 minted under this section shall be selected by the
10 Secretary.

11 (c) ISSUANCE OF COINS.—

12 (1) QUALITY OF COINS.—The coins minted
13 under this section shall be issued in uncirculated
14 and proof qualities.

15 (2) MINT FACILITY.—Any facility of the United
16 States mint may be used to strike any particular
17 quality of the coins minted under this section.

18 (3) PERIOD FOR ISSUANCE.—The Secretary
19 may issue coins under this section only during the
20 2026 calendar year.

21 (d) SALE OF COINS.—

22 (1) SALE PRICE.—The coins issued under this
23 section shall be sold by the Secretary at a price
24 equal to the sum of—

25 (A) the face value of the coins; and

1 (B) the cost of designing and issuing the
2 coins including labor, materials, dies, use of
3 machinery, overhead expenses, marketing, and
4 shipping.

5 (2) BULK SALES.—The Secretary shall make
6 bulk sales of the coins issued under this section
7 available at a reasonable discount.

8 (3) PREPAID ORDERS.—The Secretary shall ac-
9 cept prepaid orders for the coins minted under this
10 section at a reasonable discount before the issuance
11 of the coins.

12 (e) FINANCIAL ASSURANCES.—The Secretary shall
13 take such actions as may be necessary to ensure that mint-
14 ing and issuing coins under this section will not result in
15 any net cost to the Government.

16 TITLE IX

17 SEC. 901. AUTHORIZING THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO
18 PROVIDE CERTAIN ASSISTANCE INTER-
19 NATIONALLY.

20 The Secretary of State is authorized to provide assist-
21 ance to prevent and respond to criminalization, discrimi-
22 nation, and violence against LGBTQI+ people inter-
23 nationally.

TITLE X**SEC. 1001. FORCE MULTIPLIER PILOT PROGRAM; CRITICAL
INFRASTRUCTURE CLEARINGHOUSES.****(a) FORCE MULTIPLIER PILOT PROGRAM.—**

(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Director shall establish a 1-year pilot program for appropriate State, local, Tribal, and territorial government officials to be trained by appropriate Agency officials regarding carrying out security vulnerability or terrorism risk assessments of critical infrastructure facilities.

(2) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the completion of the pilot program under paragraph (1), the Director shall submit to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs of the Senate and the Committee on Homeland Security of the House of Representatives a report on the pilot program.

**(b) AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH CRITICAL INFRA-
STRUCTURE CLEARINGHOUSES.—**

(1) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (c) of section 2202 of the Homeland Security Act of 2002 (6 U.S.C. 652) is amended—

1 (A) by redesignating paragraphs (6)
2 through (14) as paragraphs (7) through (15),
3 respectively; and

4 (B) by inserting after paragraph (5) the
5 following:

6 “(6) maintain one or more clearinghouses for
7 owners and operators of critical infrastructure and
8 other relevant stakeholders, which may include non-
9 profit organizations, to access security guidance,
10 best practices, and other voluntary content developed
11 by the Agency, or aggregated from trusted sources,
12 in a manner consistent with the requirements of sec-
13 tion 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29
14 U.S.C. 794d) and the Plain Writing Act of 2010 (5
15 U.S.C. 301 note; Public Law 111–274);”.

16 (2) ANNUAL REPORT.—The Director shall make
17 publicly available, on an annual basis, a report de-
18 tailing outreach the Agency has conducted to critical
19 infrastructure owners and operators regarding secu-
20 rity guidance, best practices, and other voluntary
21 content. Each such report shall include the fol-
22 lowing:

23 (A) A summary regarding how the Agency
24 determines methods and frequency of outreach.

1 (B) The various methods of outreach car-
2 ried out by the Agency, including briefings,
3 emails, and conferences.

4 (C) For each such method of outreach, a
5 summary of such outreach that has been car-
6 ried out—

7 (i) to each of the 16 critical infra-
8 structure sectors;

9 (ii) in rural, suburban, and urban
10 areas;

11 (iii) by each regional office of the
12 Agency; and

13 (iv) through protective security advi-
14 sors and governmental coordinating coun-
15 cils.

16 (D) Detailed plans to expand outreach to
17 critical infrastructure owners and operators.

18 (c) EXEMPTION.—Chapter 35 of title 44, United
19 States Code (commonly known as the “Paperwork Reduc-
20 tion Act”), shall not apply to any rulemaking or informa-
21 tion collection required under this section or paragraph
22 (6) of section 2202(c) of the Homeland Security Act of
23 2002, as amended by subsection (b).

24 (d) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this sec-
25 tion or the amendments made by this section may be con-

1 strued to create, satisfy, or waive any requirement under
2 Federal civil rights laws, including the following:

3 (1) Title II of the Americans with Disabilities
4 Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12131 et seq.).

5 (2) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42
6 U.S.C. 2000d et seq.).

7 (e) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

8 (1) AGENCY.—The term “Agency” means the
9 Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency of
10 the Department.

11 (2) DEPARTMENT.—The term “Department”
12 means the Department of Homeland Security.

13 (3) DIRECTOR.—The term “Director” means
14 the Director of the Agency.

15 (4) NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION.—The term
16 “nonprofit organization” means—

17 (A) an organization of the type described
18 in subsection (c)(3) of section 501 of the Inter-
19 nal Revenue Code of 1986 and exempt from
20 taxation under subsection (a) of such section;
21 and

22 (B) determined by the Secretary to be at
23 risk of a terrorist attack.

TITLE XI

SEC. 1101. FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ELIGIBILITY.

Section 202(a)(2)(B) of the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1312(a)(2)(B)) is amended by striking “12 months and for at least 1,250 hours of employment during the previous 12 months” and inserting “90 days”.

TITLE XII

SEC. 1201. DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE REPORT ON FOREIGN THREATS TO ELECTIONS IN THE UNITED STATES.

Not later than 90 days after the end of each fiscal year (beginning with fiscal year 2027), the Director of National Intelligence, in coordination with the heads of appropriate offices of the Federal Government, shall submit to the appropriate congressional committees a report on foreign threats, including physical and cybersecurity threats, to elections in the United States.

TITLE XIII

SEC. 1301. EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE GRANT PROGRAM.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Beginning on the date that is 6 months after the date of enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter, in each State that receives a grant under subpart 1 of part E of title I of the Omnibus Crime Con-

1 trol and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. 10151 et
 2 seq.) (commonly referred to as the “Edward Byrne Memo-
 3 rial Justice Grant Program”) and that does not have in
 4 effect throughout the State for such fiscal year laws re-
 5 stricting the use of restraints on pregnant individuals in
 6 prison that are substantially similar to the rights, proce-
 7 dures, requirements, effects, and penalties set forth in sec-
 8 tion 4322 of title 18, United States Code, the amount of
 9 such grant that would otherwise be allocated to such State
 10 under such subpart for the fiscal year shall be decreased
 11 by 25 percent.

12 (b) REALLOCATION.—Amounts not allocated to a
 13 State for failure to comply with subsection (a) shall be
 14 reallocated in accordance with subpart 1 of part E of title
 15 I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of
 16 1968 (34 U.S.C. 10151 et seq.) to States that have com-
 17 plied with such subsection.

18 **TITLE XIV**

19 **SEC. 1401. PROGRAM FOR REDUCTION OF DISPOSABLE** 20 **PLASTIC PRODUCTS.**

21 Not later than 180 days after the date of the enact-
 22 ment of this Act, the Director of the National Park Serv-
 23 ice shall establish for the National Park System a program
 24 for reduction of disposable plastic products and, if applica-
 25 ble, elimination of the sale and distribution of disposable

1 plastic products. Each regional director shall implement
 2 the plan for park units in their region.

3 **TITLE XV**

4 **SEC. 1501. FINANCIAL DISCLOSURES FOR SPECIAL GOV-** 5 **ERNMENT EMPLOYEES.**

6 Upon the date of the enactment of this Act, any spe-
 7 cial Government employee (as that term is defined in sec-
 8 tion 202 of title 18, United States Code) who is the owner,
 9 controlling shareholder, or chief executive officer of a com-
 10 pany contracted with the Federal Government shall, in ad-
 11 dition to the officers and employees described under sec-
 12 tion 13103(f) of title 5, United States Code, be subject
 13 to the requirements of subchapter I of chapter 131 of such
 14 title (relating to financial disclosures).

15 **TITLE XVI**

16 **SEC. 1601. HEARINGS IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTA-** 17 **TIVES.**

18 (a) IN GENERAL.—Each standing committee of the
 19 House of Representatives shall hold a hearing on the im-
 20 plementation of this Act within one year of enactment.

21 (b) EXERCISE OF RULEMAKING AUTHORITY.—Sub-
 22 section (a) is enacted—

23 (1) as an exercise of rulemaking power of the
 24 House of Representatives, and, as such, shall be con-
 25 sidered as part of the rules of the House, and such

1 rules shall supersede any other rule of the House
2 only to the extent that rule is inconsistent therewith;
3 and

4 (2) with full recognition of the constitutional
5 right of either House to change such rules (so far
6 as relating to the procedure in such House) at any
7 time, in the same manner, and to the same extent
8 as in the case of any other rule of the House.

9 **TITLE XVII**

10 **SEC. 1701. SECRETARY OF ENERGY PROJECTS WITH RE-** 11 **SPECT TO NATIONAL LABORATORIES.**

12 The Secretary of Energy shall fund projects as need-
13 ed to address deferred maintenance, critical infrastructure
14 needs, and modernization of National Laboratories.

15 **TITLE XVIII**

16 **SEC. 1801. FEDERAL AND STATE TECHNOLOGY PARTNER-** 17 **SHIP PROGRAM.**

18 Section 34(i) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C.
19 657d(i)) is amended by striking “September 30, 2005”
20 and inserting “September 30, 2030”.

TITLE XIX

SEC. 1901. INSTALLATION OF BABY CHANGING TABLES ON AMTRAK TRAINS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 243 of title 49, United States Code, is amended by inserting after section 24313 the following:

“§ 24314. Baby changing tables

“(a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

“(1) ADA-COMPLIANT RESTROOM.—The term ‘ADA-compliant restroom’ means a restroom that complies with the requirements set forth in section 242(a) of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12162(a)).

“(2) BABY CHANGING TABLE.—The term ‘baby changing table’ means an elevated, freestanding structure generally designed to support and retain a child with a body weight of up to 30 pounds in a horizontal position for the purpose of allowing an individual to change the child’s diaper, including pull-out or drop-down changing surfaces.

“(3) COVERED PASSENGER RAIL TRAIN.—The term ‘covered passenger rail train’—

“(A) means a passenger rail train that—

1 “(i) is owned and operated by the Na-
 2 tional Railroad Passenger Corporation
 3 (commonly known as ‘Amtrak’); and

4 “(ii) was solicited for purchase after
 5 the date of the enactment of the Baby
 6 Changing on Board Act for use by Am-
 7 trak; and

8 “(B) does not include any passenger rail
 9 train that Amtrak operates, but does not own.

10 “(b) BABY CHANGING TABLES.—

11 “(1) IN GENERAL.—All covered passenger rail
 12 trains shall have a baby changing table in at least
 13 one restroom in each car, including in an ADA-com-
 14 pliant restroom.

15 “(2) SIGNAGE.—Each restroom described in
 16 paragraph (1) shall clearly indicate with signage the
 17 presence of a baby changing table and such baby
 18 changing tables shall be clearly identified with sign-
 19 age.”.

20 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The chapter analysis
 21 for chapter 243 of title 49, United States Code, is amend-
 22 ed by inserting after the item relating to section 24313
 23 the following:

 “24314. Baby changing tables.”.

TITLE XX

1
2 **SEC. 2001. FULL-YEAR SUPPLY OF CONTRACEPTIVE PILLS,**
3 **TRANSDERMAL PATCHES, VAGINAL RINGS,**
4 **AND OTHER CONTRACEPTIVE PRODUCTS**
5 **FOR VETERANS.**

6 (a) FULL-YEAR SUPPLY.—Subchapter II of chapter
7 17 of title 38, United States Code, is amended by inserting
8 after section 1720L the following new section:

9 **“§ 1720M. Full-year supply of contraceptive pills,**
10 **transdermal patches, vaginal rings, and**
11 **other contraceptive products**

12 “(a) AVAILABILITY OF FULL-YEAR SUPPLY.—The
13 Secretary shall ensure that a veteran who is enrolled in
14 the system of annual patient enrollment under section
15 1705 of this title and to whom a medical provider of the
16 Department prescribes contraceptive pills, transdermal
17 patches, vaginal rings, or other contraceptive products
18 may elect to fill such prescription as a full-year supply.

19 “(b) NOTICE.—A medical provider of the Department
20 who prescribes to a veteran contraceptive pills,
21 transdermal patches, vaginal rings, or other contraceptive
22 products shall notify the veteran of the option to fill the
23 prescription as a full-year supply.

24 “(c) CONTRACEPTIVE PRODUCT DEFINED.—In this
25 section, the term ‘contraceptive product’ means any drug,

1 device, or biological product intended for use in the pre-
 2 vention of pregnancy, whether specifically intended to pre-
 3 vent pregnancy or for other health needs, that is approved,
 4 cleared, authorized, or licensed under section 505, 510(k),
 5 513(f)(2), 515, or 564 of the Federal Food, Drug, and
 6 Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 355, 360(k), 360c(f)(2), 360e,
 7 360bbb–3) or section 351 of the Public Health Service Act
 8 (42 U.S.C. 262).”.

9 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
 10 at the beginning of such chapter is amended by inserting
 11 after the item relating to section 1720L the following new
 12 item:

“1720M. Full-year supply of contraceptive pills, transdermal patches, vaginal
 rings, and other contraceptive products.”.

13 **TITLE XXI**

14 **SEC. 2101. INCREASE IN LIMITATION ON DEDUCTION FOR** 15 **CERTAIN STATE AND LOCAL TAXES OF INDIV-** 16 **VIDUALS.**

17 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 164(b)(6)(B) of the Inter-
 18 nal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by striking
 19 “\$10,000 (\$5,000 in the case of a married individual filing
 20 a separate return)” and inserting “\$15,000 (twice such
 21 amount in the case of a joint return)”.

1 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
2 this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after
3 December 31, 2024.

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