

105TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 782

To provide for the use of private delivery services in filing documents with  
Federal agencies.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 13, 1997

Mrs. MINK of Hawaii introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on Government Reform and Oversight

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## A BILL

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documents with Federal agencies.

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. USE OF DESIGNATED PRIVATE DELIVERY**  
4       **SERVICES.**

5       (a) IN GENERAL.—Any Federal law which provides  
6       that an item is deemed to be received by a Federal agency  
7       as of the date of the postmark on the item by the United  
8       States Postal Service shall be deemed to further provide  
9       that such an item is deemed to be received by the Federal

1 agency as of the date recorded or marked on the item by  
2 a designated private delivery service.

3 (b) DEFINITION.—In this Act, the term “designated  
4 private delivery service” has the meaning provided by sec-  
5 tion 7502(f)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

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