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H. R. 3225

To express the sense of Congress that a uniform standard for declaring levels of alert in cases of emergencies should be developed for Federal agencies, and to require the Comptroller General to conduct a study of how such a uniform standard may be implemented.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 1, 2001

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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. SENSE OF CONGRESS.**

4 It is the sense of Congress that a uniform standard
5 for declaring levels of alert in cases of emergencies should
6 developed for, and implemented by, Federal agencies.

1 **SEC. 2. STUDY AND REPORT TO CONGRESS REQUIRED.**

2 (a) STUDY.—The Comptroller General shall conduct
3 a study on—

4 (1) the systems under which Federal agencies
5 declare levels of alert in cases of emergencies; and

6 (2) an appropriate uniform standard for such
7 agencies for declaring such levels of alert.

8 (b) REPORT.—Not later than three months after the
9 date of the enactment of this Act, the Comptroller General
10 shall submit to Congress a report describing the findings
11 of the study conducted under subsection (a), including rec-
12 ommendations for how a uniform standard for Federal
13 agencies for declaring levels of alert in cases of emer-
14 gencies may be implemented.

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