H. R. 2339

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. Saxton introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Government Reform

A BILL

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1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 3 SECTION 1. DOOR DELIVERY OF MAIL REQUIRED FOR INDI-4 **VIDUALS** RESIDING IN SENIOR COMMU-5 NITIES. (a) IN GENERAL.—The United States Postal Service 6 7 shall take such measures as may be necessary to ensure 8 that all individuals residing in senior communities shall

receive their mail through door delivery service.

- 1 (b) SENIOR COMMUNITY DEFINED.—As used in this
- 2 section, the term "senior community" means a housing fa-
- 3 cility or community which is intended and operated for
- 4 occupancy by individuals 55 years of age or older, and at
- 5 least 80 percent of the occupied units of which are occu-
- 6 pied by at least one individual who is 55 years of age or
- 7 older.
- 8 (c) Exception.—Nothing in this section shall be
- 9 considered to require door delivery service for persons re-
- 10 siding in a structure that consists of or contains 2 or more
- 11 dwelling units if delivery is made in a manner that allows
- 12 such persons to receive or retrieve their mail without hav-
- 13 ing to exit such structure.
- 14 (d) Effective Date.—This section shall apply with
- 15 respect to mail delivered after the end of the 6-month pe-
- 16 riod beginning on the date of enactment of this Act.

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