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To amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to require the use of science assessments in the calculation of adequate yearly progress, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 4, 2007

Mr. EHLERS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor

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 "Science Accountability
- 5 Act of 2007".

1 SEC. 2. SCIENCE ASSESSMENTS AND ADEQUATE YEARLY 2 PROGRESS.

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3 Section 1111(b) of the Elementary and Secondary 4 Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6311(b)) is amended— 5 (1) in paragraph (2)(G)(i), by striking "mathematics and reading or language arts" and inserting 6 "mathematics, reading or language arts, and (begin-7 ning in the 2008–2009 school year) science"; and 8 (2) in paragraph (3)(C)(vii), by striking "math-9 ematics, and reading or language arts" and inserting 10 11 "mathematics, reading or language arts, and (begin-

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ning in the 2009–2010 school year) science".

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