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H. R. 5095

To mandate all Members, Delegates, and the Resident Commissioner of the House of Representatives to complete annual ethics training conducted by the Committee on Ethics.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 14, 2014

Mr. CICILLINE (for himself and Mr. RIGELL) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

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. MANDATORY ANNUAL ETHICS TRAINING FOR**
4 **MEMBERS.**

5 Title V of the Honest Leadership and Open Govern-
6 ment Act of 2007 is amended by redesignating sections
7 555 and 556 as sections 556 and 557 and by inserting
8 after section 554 the following new section:

1 **“SEC. 555. MANDATORY ANNUAL ETHICS TRAINING FOR**
2 **MEMBERS.**

3 “(a) TRAINING PROGRAM.—The Committee on Eth-
4 ics of the House of Representatives shall conduct ongoing
5 ethics training and awareness programs for Members, Del-
6 egates, and the Resident Commissioner of the House of
7 Representatives.

8 “(b) REQUIREMENTS.—The ethics training program
9 conducted by the Committee on Ethics shall be completed
10 by—

11 “(1) new Members, Delegates, and the Resident
12 Commissioner not later than 60 days after com-
13 mencing service; and

14 “(2) Members, Delegates, and the Resident
15 Commissioner serving on or after noon, January 3,
16 2015, during each session of a Congress, beginning
17 with the 1st session of the 114th Congress.

18 “(c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section shall take ef-
19 fect on noon, January 3, 2015.”.

20 **SEC. 2. CONFORMING AMENDMENT.**

21 The table of contents for title V of the Honest Lead-
22 ership and Open Government Act of 2007 is amended by
23 redesignating the items relating to sections 555 and 556

- 1 as 556 and 557 and by inserting after the item relating
- 2 to section 554 the following:

“Sec. 555. Mandatory annual ethics training for Members.”.

