

115TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1452

To amend title 5, United States Code, to prohibit any payment for lodging and other travel expenses by the Federal Government for any such expenses incurred at a hotel owned or operated by the President.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 9, 2017

Mr. BLUMENAUER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

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 “No Taxpayer Revenue
5 Used to Monetize the Presidency Act of 2017” or the “No
6 TRUMP Act of 2017”.

1 **SEC. 2. LIMITATION ON PAYMENTS FOR LODGING AND**
 2 **OTHER TRAVEL EXPENSES INCURRED AT A**
 3 **HOTEL OWNED OR OPERATED BY THE PRESI-**
 4 **DENT.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter IV of chapter 57 of
 6 title 5, United States Code, is amended by adding at the
 7 end the following:

8 **“§ 5762. Limitation on payments for subsistence ex-**
 9 **penses incurred at a hotel owned or oper-**
 10 **ated by the President**

11 “(a) IN GENERAL.—No amounts may be paid from
 12 the Treasury to pay directly or reimburse subsistence ex-
 13 penses under this chapter or any other provision of law
 14 for any amounts expended in a hotel or other establish-
 15 ment providing daily-rate accommodation that is owned or
 16 operated by the President or a relative of the President.

17 “(b) RELATIVE DEFINED.—In this section, the term
 18 ‘relative’ has the meaning given that term in section
 19 3110(a)(3).”.

20 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The table of sec-
 21 tions for subchapter IV of chapter 57 of title 5, United
 22 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the fol-
 23 lowing new item:

“5762. Limitation on payments for subsistence expenses incurred at a hotel
 owned or operated by the President.”.