

115TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 3206

To amend the Safe Drinking Water Act to require quarterly reporting, improvement of consumer confidence reports, establishment of a nation consumer confidence report, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mrs. DINGELL introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Energy and Commerce

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 “Consumer Confidence
5 Reports for Tomorrow Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. IMPROVED CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORTS.**

2 (a) REVISIONS.—Section 1414(c)(4) of the Safe
3 Drinking Water Act (42 U.S.C. 300g–3(c)(4)) is amended
4 by adding at the end the following new subparagraph:

5 “(F) REVISIONS.—Not later than 24
6 months after the date of enactment of this sub-
7 paragraph, the Administrator, in consultation
8 with the groups identified in subparagraph (A),
9 shall promulgate revisions to the regulations
10 issued pursuant to subparagraph (A) to in-
11 crease the effectiveness and understandability
12 of consumer confidence reports.”.

13 (b) QUARTERLY ISSUANCE.—The Administrator of
14 the Environmental Protection Agency shall require con-
15 sumer confidence reports to be issued quarterly each year
16 for drinking water systems.

17 (c) INCLUSIONS.—The Administrator of the Environ-
18 mental Protection Agency shall require all consumer con-
19 fidence reports to include—

20 (1) corrosion control efforts; and

21 (2) exceedances and violations of all kinds must
22 be clearly identified.

23 **SEC. 3. IMPROVING EPA DATABASE FOR CONSUMER CON-**
24 **FIDENCE REPORTS.**

25 The Administrator of the Environmental Protection
26 Agency shall maintain and keep current a searchable

- 1 website providing access to consumer confidence reports,
- 2 sortable by zip code and water system.

3 **SEC. 4. NATIONAL CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT.**

- 4 The Administrator of the Environmental Protection
- 5 Agency shall issue a national consumer confidence report
- 6 to Congress every 2 years.

