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(Original Signature of Member)

118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

To provide for transparent licensing of commercial remote sensing systems,
and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

M____. _____ introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on _____

A BILL

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sensing systems, and for other purposes.

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 “Commercial Remote
5 Sensing Amendment Act of 2023”.

6 **SEC. 2. ANNUAL REPORTS.**

7 (a) DEADLINES.—

1 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 60121(c) of title 51,
2 United States Code, is amended by striking “120”
3 and inserting “60”.

4 (2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section
5 60126(a)(1)(E) of title 51, United States Code, is
6 amended by striking “120” and inserting “60”.

7 (b) NOTIFICATIONS.—Section 60126(a)(2) of title
8 51, United States Code, is amended by striking “section
9 60122; and” and inserting “paragraphs (5) and (6) of sec-
10 tion 60122(b);”.

11 (c) CONDITIONS.—Section 60126(a) of title 51,
12 United States Code, is amended—

13 (1) by redesignating paragraph (3) as para-
14 graph (4); and

15 (2) by inserting after paragraph (2) the fol-
16 lowing new paragraph:

17 “(3) all terms, conditions, or restrictions placed
18 on licensees pursuant to section 60122; and”.

19 (d) TIERS.—Section 60126(a)(1) of title 51, United
20 States Code, is amended—

21 (1) in subparagraph (D), by striking “and” at
22 the end;

23 (2) in subparagraph (E), by inserting “and” at
24 the end; and

1 (3) by adding at the end the following new sub-
2 paragraph:

3 “(F) a list of all applications submitted
4 and licenses granted in accordance therewith,
5 listed by tier as defined in regulation, as well as
6 the rationale for each tier categorization;”.

7 (e) SUNSET.—Section 60126 of title 51, United
8 States Code, is amended by striking “September 30,
9 2020” and inserting “September 30, 2030”.