



(Original Signature of Member)

117TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

To provide for transparent licensing of commercial remote sensing systems.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. LUCAS (for himself and Mr. PERLMUTTER) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on _____

A BILL

To provide for transparent licensing of commercial remote
sensing systems.

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 2022”.

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);

15 (2) in paragraph (2), by striking “and” at the
16 end; and

17 (3) by inserting after paragraph (2) the fol-
18 lowing:

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

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

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

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

3 (3) by adding at the end the following:

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

7 (e) SUNSET.—Section 60126 of title 51, United
8 States Code, is amended by striking subsection (c).