#### 117TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

# H. R. 6675

To direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to seek to enter into an agreement with a nongovernmental entity to conduct an audit of the health care system of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

February 9, 2022

Mr. Gosar introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

# 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 "Independent VA Audit
- 5 Act".

### 1 SEC. 2. AUDIT OF HEALTH CARE SYSTEM OF THE DEPART-

- 2 MENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS.
- 3 (a) Audit.—The Secretary of Veterans Affairs shall
- 4 seek to enter into an agreement with a nongovernmental
- 5 entity to conduct an audit of the health care system of
- 6 the Department of Veterans Affairs, including with re-
- 7 spect to the timeliness of available appointments for vet-
- 8 erans to receive hospital care and medical services.
- 9 (b) Submission.—Not later than December 31,
- 10 2023, the Secretary shall submit to the Committees on
- 11 Veterans' Affairs of the House of Representatives and the
- 12 Senate the audit conducted under subsection (a).

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