## 117TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

## H. R. 3181

To prohibit the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency from using the hiring authority under section 207 of the Public Health Service Act to hire or pay new employees, and for other purposes.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 13, 2021

Mr. Burgess 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 "Health and Human
  - 5 Services Hiree Clarification Act".
  - 6 SEC. 2. HIRING AUTHORITY RESTRICTED.
  - 7 The Administrator of the Environmental Protection
  - 8 Agency may not hire or pay the salary or expense of any

- 1 officer or employee of the Environmental Protection Agen-
- 2 cy under subsection (f) or (g) of section 207 of the Public
- 3 Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 209) who is not already
- 4 receiving pay under either such subsection on the date of

5 the enactment of this Act.

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