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H. R. 6674

To prohibit the Internal Revenue Service from requiring individuals to submit biometric information or geolocation information to access online services, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 9, 2022

Mr. GOODEN of Texas introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

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. PROHIBITION ON REQUIRED USE OR COLLEC-**
4 **TION OF BIOMETRICS, GEOLOCATION DATA**
5 **FOR ACCESS TO ONLINE SERVICES.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Treasury (or
7 the Secretary’s delegate) may not establish or maintain
8 any verification process for access to online accounts or

1 services of the Internal Revenue Service which uses bio-
2 metric information or geolocation information from mobile
3 network operators.

4 (b) COLLECTION PROHIBITED WITHOUT CONSENT
5 OR WARRANT.—The Secretary of the Treasury (or the
6 Secretary’s delegate) may not collect, store, or share bio-
7 metric information or geolocation information from mobile
8 network operators without either express consent from the
9 taxpayer to whom such information belongs or a court
10 order.

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