117TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 1507

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 2, 2021

Mr. LUETKEMEYER (for himself and Mr. GOLDEN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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 "Providing Account-
- 5 ability Through Transparency Act of 2021".
- 6 SEC. 2. REQUIREMENT TO POST A 100-WORD SUMMARY TO
- 7 **REGULATIONS.GOV.**
- 8 Section 553(b) of title 5, United States Code, is
- 9 amended—

1	(1) in paragraph (2), by striking "and" at the
2	$\mathrm{end};$
3	(2) in paragraph (3), by striking the period at
4	the end and inserting "; and; and
5	(3) by inserting after paragraph (3) the fol-
6	lowing:
7	"(4) the Internet address of a summary of not
8	more than 100 words in length of the proposed rule,
9	in plain language, that shall be posted on the Inter-
10	net website under section 206(d) of the E-Govern-
11	ment Act of 2002 (44 U.S.C. 3501 note) (commonly
12	known as regulations.gov).".

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