117TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

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H. R. 2609

To amend title 10, United States Code, to make permanent the requirement for an annual report on the material readiness of Navy ships, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 15, 2021

Mr. WITTMAN (for himself and Mr. GARAMENDI) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

A BILL

To amend title 10, United States Code, to make permanent the requirement for an annual report on the material readiness of Navy ships, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. ANNUAL REPORT ON MATERIAL READINESS OF

NAVY SHIPS.

Section 8674(d) of title 10, United States Code is
amended—

(1) in paragraph (1)—

(A) by striking "submit to the" inserting

"provide to the";

| 1 | (B) by inserting "a briefing and submit to |
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| 2 | such committees" after "congressional defense |
| 3 | committees"; and |
| 4 | (C) by striking "setting forth" and insert- |
| 5 | ing "regarding"; |
| 6 | (2) in paragraph (2)— |
| 7 | (A) by striking "in an unclassified form |
| 8 | that is releasable to the public without further |
| 9 | redaction." and inserting "in—"; and |
| 10 | (B) by adding at the end the following new |
| 11 | subparagraphs: |
| 12 | "(A) a classified form that shall be available |
| 13 | only to the congressional defense committees; and |
| 14 | "(B) an unclassified form that is releasable to |
| 15 | the public without further redaction"; and |
| 16 | (3) by striking paragraph (3). |