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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 26, 2015

Mrs. Wagner (for herself and Ms. Sewell of Alabama) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

June --, 2015

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

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 "Small Company Simple
- 5 Registration Act of 2015".
- 6 SEC. 2. FORWARD INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE FOR
- 7 **FORM S-1.**
- 8 Not later than 45 days after the date of the enact-
- 9 ment of this Act, the Securities and Exchange Commission
- 10 shall revise Form S-1 so as to permit a smaller reporting
- 11 company (as defined in section 230.405 of title 17, Code
- 12 of Federal Regulations) to incorporate by reference in a
- 13 registration statement filed on such form any documents
- 14 that such company files with the Commission after the ef-
- 15 fective date of such registration statement.