[~118H2605]

## [DISCUSSION DRAFT]

| 119TH CONGRESS<br>1ST SESSION | H.R. |  |
|-------------------------------|------|--|
|-------------------------------|------|--|

To amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to exclude qualified institutional buyers and institutional accredited investors when calculating holders of a security for purposes of the mandatory registration threshold under such Act, and for other purposes.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

| Mr. | GARBARINO introduc | ed the | e following | bШ; | which | was | referred | to | the |
|-----|--------------------|--------|-------------|-----|-------|-----|----------|----|-----|
|     | Committee on       |        |             |     |       |     |          |    |     |
|     |                    |        |             |     |       |     |          |    |     |
|     |                    |        |             |     |       |     |          |    |     |

## A BILL

To amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to exclude qualified institutional buyers and institutional accredited investors when calculating holders of a security for purposes of the mandatory registration threshold under such Act, and for other purposes.

- 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. EXCLUSIONS FROM MANDATORY REGISTRA-
- 4 TION THRESHOLD.
- 5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 12(g)(1) of the Securities
- 6 Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78l(g)(1)) is amended—

| 1  | (1) in paragraph (A)(i), by inserting after "per-      |
|----|--|
| 2  | sons" the following: "(that are not a qualified insti- |
| 3  | tutional buyer or an institutional accredited inves-   |
| 4  | tor)"; and   |
| 5  | (2) in paragraph (B), by inserting after "per-         |
| 6  | sons" the following: "(that are not a qualified insti- |
| 7  | tutional buyer or an institutional accredited inves-   |
| 8  | tor)".   |
| 9  | (b) Nonapplicability of General Exemptive              |
| 10 | AUTHORITY.—Section 36 of the Securities Exchange Act   |
| 11 | of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78mm) shall not apply to the matter |
| 12 | inserted by the amendments made by subsection (a).     |