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H. R. 5440

To require notice from the Secretary of the Treasury in the case of any closure of a Taxpayer Assistance Center.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. KAREN C. HANDEL (for herself and Mr. O'HALLERAN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on

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. NOTICE FROM IRS REGARDING CLOSURE OF**
4 **TAXPAYER ASSISTANCE CENTERS.**

5 Not later than 90 days before the date that a pro-
6 posed closure of a Taxpayer Assistance Center would take
7 effect, the Secretary of the Treasury, or the Secretary's
8 delegate, shall—

1 (1) make publicly available (including by non-
2 electronic means) a notice which—

3 (A) identifies the Taxpayer Assistance
4 Center proposed for closure and the date of
5 such proposed closure, and

6 (B) identifies the relevant alternative
7 sources of taxpayer assistance which may be
8 utilized by taxpayers affected by such proposed
9 closure, and

10 (2) submit to Congress a written report that in-
11 cludes the information included in the notice de-
12 scribed in paragraph (1), the reasons for such pro-
13 posed closure, and such other information as the
14 Secretary may determine appropriate.