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H. R. 1158

To provide women and girls safe access to sanitation facilities in refugee camps.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 18, 2021

Ms. MENG (for herself, Mr. ZELDIN, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. NORTON, Ms. OMAR, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SIRES, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. TLAIB, Mr. SOTO, Mrs. TORRES of California, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. COSTA, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. LOIS FRANKEL of Florida, Mr. WELCH, Mr. HARDER of California, Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ, Mr. LIEU, Mr. VELA, and Ms. BARRAGÁN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs

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 “Refugee Sanitation Fa-
5 cility Safety Act of 2021”.

1 **SEC. 2. SECURE ACCESS TO SANITATION FACILITIES FOR**
2 **WOMEN AND GIRLS.**

3 Subsection (a) of section 501 of the Foreign Rela-
4 tions Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 1994 and 1995 (22
5 U.S.C. 2601 note) is amended—

6 (1) by redesignating paragraphs (6) through
7 (11) as paragraphs (7) through (12), respectively;
8 and

9 (2) by inserting after paragraph (5) the fol-
10 lowing new paragraph:

11 “(6) the provision of safe and secure access to
12 sanitation facilities, with a special emphasis on
13 women, girls, and vulnerable populations.”.

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