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H.R.4693

[Report No. 118-]

To provide that the Federal Reports Elimination and Sunset Act of 1995 does not apply to certain reports required to be submitted by the Tennessee Valley Authority, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

July 18, 2023

Mr. Cohen (for himself and Mr. Burchett) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

September --, 2023

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in italic]

[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on July 18, 2023]

A BILL

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| 1 | Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa- |
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| 2 | tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, |
| 3 | SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE. |
| 4 | This Act may be cited as the "Tennessee Valley Author- |
| 5 | ity Salary Transparency Act". |
| 6 | SEC. 2. SALARY DISCLOSURE; EXCEPTION TO REPORT |
| 7 | ELIMINATION. |
| 8 | Section 9 of the Tennessee Valley Authority Act of 1933 |
| 9 | (16 U.S.C. 831h) is amended— |
| 10 | (1) in subsection (a), by striking "a financial |
| 11 | statement" and all that follows through "\$1,500 a |
| 12 | year" and inserting "a report of the total number of |
| 13 | employees at the management level or above, to in- |
| 14 | clude all executives and board members, that shall in- |
| 15 | clude the names, salaries, and duties of such employ- |
| 16 | ees, that are receiving compensation at or greater |
| 17 | than the maximum rate of basic pay for grade GS- |
| 18 | 15 of the General Schedule"; |
| 19 | (2) by striking all that precedes "The Board |
| 20 | shall" and inserting the following: |
| 21 | "SEC. 9. FINANCIAL REPORTING. |
| 22 | "(a) Report on Compensation.— |
| 23 | "(1) In General.—"; and |
| 24 | (3) in subsection (a), by adding at the end the |
| 25 | following: |

| 1 | "(2) Exemption.—The information concerning |
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| 2 | salaries of employees of the Corporation contained in, |
| 3 | or filed with, the report described in paragraph (1) |
| 4 | is exempt from— |
| 5 | "(A) disclosure under section 552(b)(3) of |
| 6 | title 5, United States Code; and |
| 7 | "(B) the requirements of the Access to Con- |
| 8 | gressionally Mandated Reports Act (Public Law |
| 9 | 117–263).". |