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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 26, 2015

Mr. Lynch (for himself, Mr. Benishek, Mr. Bishop of Utah, Ms. Bordallo, Mr. Cartwright, Ms. Clark of Massachusetts, Mr. Deutch, Mr. Jolly, Mr. Jones, Mr. Keating, Mr. Kennedy, Mr. King of New York, Mr. Lance, Mr. McGovern, Mr. Peterson, Mr. Rangel, Mr. Rice of South Carolina, Mr. Roe of Tennessee, and Ms. Tsongas) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

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,
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4 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
5 This Act may be cited as the “National POW/MIA
6 Remembrance Act of 2015”.
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8 SEC. 2. FINDINGS.
9 Congress finds the following:
In recent years, commemorative chairs honoring American Prisoners of War/Missing in Action have been placed in prominent locations across the United States.

The United States Capitol is an appropriate location to place a commemorative chair honoring American Prisoners of War/Missing in Action.

SEC. 3. PLACEMENT OF A CHAIR IN UNITED STATES CAPITOL HONORING AMERICAN PRISONERS OF WAR/MISSING IN ACTION.

(a) Obtaining Chair.—The Architect of the Capitol shall enter into an agreement to obtain a chair featuring the logo of the National League of POW/MIA Families under such terms and conditions as the Architect considers appropriate and consistent with applicable law.

(b) Placement.—Not later than 2 years after the date of enactment of this Act, the Architect shall place the chair obtained under subsection (a) in a suitable permanent location in the United States Capitol.

SEC. 4. FUNDING.

(a) Donations.—The Architect of the Capitol may—

(1) enter into an agreement with any organization described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that is exempt from taxation
under section 501(a) of that Code to solicit private
donations to carry out the purposes of this Act; and

(2) accept donations of funds, property, and
services to carry out the purposes of this Act.

(b) COSTS.—All costs incurred in carrying out the
purposes of this Act shall be paid for with private dona-
tions received under subsection (a).