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To eliminate certain outdated or completed reporting requirements and to consolidate certain other reporting requirements applicable to the National Telecommunications and Information Administration, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

M 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “NTIA Consolidated
5 Reporting Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. ELIMINATION OF CERTAIN OUTDATED OR COM-**
2 **PLETED REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.**

3 (a) **BTOP QUARTERLY REPORT.**—Section 6001(d)
4 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009
5 (47 U.S.C. 1305(d)) is amended—

6 (1) in paragraph (2), by striking the semicolon
7 at the end and inserting “; and”;

8 (2) in paragraph (3), by striking “; and” and
9 inserting a period; and

10 (3) by striking paragraph (4).

11 (b) **CERTAIN REPORTS REQUIRED BY NATIONAL**
12 **TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION ADMINISTRA-**
13 **TION ORGANIZATION ACT.**—Sections 154, 155, and 156
14 of the National Telecommunications and Information Ad-
15 ministration Organization Act are repealed.

16 (c) **CERTAIN REPORTS RELATING TO 3 GIGAHERTZ**
17 **SPECTRUM.**—

18 (1) **IN GENERAL.**—Section 605 of division P of
19 the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2018 (Public
20 Law 115–141; 132 Stat. 1100) is repealed.

21 (2) **CLERICAL AMENDMENT.**—The table of con-
22 tents in section 1(b) of such division is amended by
23 striking the item relating to section 605.

24 (d) **INITIAL REPORT REQUIRED BY SECTION**
25 **9202(a)(1)(G) OF THE NDAA FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021.**—
26 Section 9202(a)(1)(G) of the William M. (Mac) Thorn-

1 berry National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year
2 2021 (47 U.S.C. 906(a)(1)(G)) is amended—

3 (1) in clause (ii), by redesignating subclauses
4 (I), (II), and (III) as clauses (i), (ii), and (iii), re-
5 spectively, and conforming the margins of such
6 clauses accordingly; and

7 (2) by striking “REPORTS TO CONGRESS” and
8 all that follows through “For each fiscal year” and
9 inserting “ANNUAL REPORT TO CONGRESS.—For
10 each fiscal year”.

11 (e) EFFECT ON AUTHORITY.—Nothing in this section
12 or the amendments made by this section shall be construed
13 to expand or contract the authority of the Secretary, the
14 Assistant Secretary, the NTIA, or the Commission.

15 (f) OTHER REPORTS.—Nothing in this section or the
16 amendments made by this section shall be construed to
17 prohibit or otherwise prevent the Secretary, the Assistant
18 Secretary, the NTIA, or the Commission from producing
19 any additional reports otherwise within the authority of
20 the Secretary, the Assistant Secretary, the NTIA, or the
21 Commission, respectively.

22 **SEC. 3. CONSOLIDATED ANNUAL REPORT.**

23 (a) IN GENERAL.—In the last quarter of every year,
24 the Assistant Secretary shall publish on the website of the
25 NTIA and submit to the Committee on Energy and Com-

1 merce of the House of Representatives and the Committee
2 on Commerce, Science, and Transportation of the Senate
3 a report that contains the reports described in subsection
4 (b).

5 (b) REPORTS DESCRIBED.—The reports described in
6 this subsection are, with respect to a report required by
7 subsection (a) to be submitted in the last quarter of a
8 year, the following:

9 (1) The report required by section 903(c)(2)(C)
10 of division FF of the Consolidated Appropriations
11 Act, 2021 (47 U.S.C. 1307(c)(2)(C)) to be sub-
12 mitted in such year.

13 (2) If amounts in the Public Wireless Supply
14 Chain Innovation Fund established by section
15 9202(a)(1)(A)(i) of the William M. (Mac) Thorn-
16 berry National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal
17 Year 2021 (47 U.S.C. 906(a)(1)(A)(i)) were avail-
18 able for the fiscal year ending immediately before
19 the beginning of such quarter, the report required by
20 section 9202(a)(1)(G) of such Act (47 U.S.C.
21 906(a)(1)(G)), as amended by this Act, to be sub-
22 mitted for such fiscal year.

23 (3) The report required by section
24 60306(a)(1)(A) of the Infrastructure Investment

1 and Jobs Act (47 U.S.C. 1725(a)(1)(A)) to be sub-
2 mitted in such year.

3 (4) The report required by section 606(c)(2)(C)
4 of division P of the Consolidated Appropriations Act,
5 2018 (Public Law 115–141; 132 Stat. 1103), as
6 amended by this Act, to be submitted in such year.

7 (c) SUBMISSION ON ANNUAL BASIS OF REPORT ON
8 RECOMMENDATIONS FOR STREAMLINING BROADBAND
9 FACILITY APPLICATIONS.—Section 606(c)(2)(C) of divi-
10 sion P of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2018 (Pub-
11 lic Law 115–141; 132 Stat. 1103) is amended by striking
12 “Not later than 2 years after the date on which the rec-
13 ommendations required under subparagraph (A) are devel-
14 oped” and inserting “In the last quarter of every year”.

15 (d) SATISFACTION OF UNDERLYING REPORTING RE-
16 QUIREMENTS.—

17 (1) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in para-
18 graph (2), the publication and submission of a re-
19 port as required by subsection (a) in the last quarter
20 of a year shall be treated as satisfying any require-
21 ment to publish or otherwise make publicly available
22 or to submit to Congress or to a committee of Con-
23 gress a report described in subsection (b) in such
24 year (or, in the case of the report described in para-

1 graph (2) of such subsection, for the fiscal year de-
2 scribed in such paragraph).

3 (2) CERTAIN SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS.—At
4 the time when the Assistant Secretary submits a re-
5 port required by subsection (a) to the committees
6 described in such subsection, the Assistant Secretary
7 shall submit any portion of such report that relates
8 to a report described in paragraph (3) or (4) of sub-
9 section (b) to each committee of Congress not de-
10 scribed in subsection (a) to which such report would
11 (without regard to paragraph (1) of this subsection)
12 be required to be submitted.

13 (e) APPLICABILITY.—Subsection (a), and the amend-
14 ment made by subsection (c), shall apply with respect to
15 years beginning with the year in which this Act is enacted.

16 **SEC. 4. EXTENSION OF CERTAIN AUDIT AND REPORTING**
17 **REQUIREMENTS.**

18 Section 902(c)(4)(A) of division N of the Consoli-
19 dated Appropriations Act, 2021 (47 U.S.C.
20 1306(c)(4)(A)) is amended by striking “fiscal years 2021
21 and 2022” and inserting “fiscal years 2021, 2022, 2023,
22 and 2024”.

23 **SEC. 5. DEFINITIONS.**

24 In this Act:

1 (1) ASSISTANT SECRETARY.—The term “Assist-
2 ant Secretary” means the Assistant Secretary of
3 Commerce for Communications and Information.

4 (2) COMMISSION.—The term “Commission”
5 means the Federal Communications Commission.

6 (3) NTIA.—The term “NTIA” means the Na-
7 tional Telecommunications and Information Admin-
8 istration.

9 (4) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means
10 the Secretary of Commerce.