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118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

To require the Secretary of Energy to direct the National Petroleum Council to issue a report with respect to petrochemical refineries in the United States, 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. REPORT ON PETROCHEMICAL REFINERIES.**

4 Not later than 90 days after the date of enactment
5 of this section, the Secretary of Energy shall direct the
6 National Petroleum Council to—

1 (1) submit to the Secretary of Energy and Con-
2 gress a report containing—

3 (A) an examination of the role of petro-
4 chemical refineries located in the United States
5 and the contributions of such petrochemical re-
6 fineries to the energy security of the United
7 States, including the reliability of supply in the
8 United States of liquid fuels and feedstocks,
9 and the affordability of liquid fuels for con-
10 sumers in the United States;

11 (B) analyses and projections with respect
12 to—

13 (i) the capacity of petrochemical refin-
14 eries located in the United States;

15 (ii) opportunities for expanding such
16 capacity; and

17 (iii) the risks to petrochemical refin-
18 eries located in the United States;

19 (C) an assessment of any Federal or State
20 executive actions, regulations, or policies that
21 have caused or contributed to a decline in the
22 capacity of petrochemical refineries located in
23 the United States; and

24 (D) any recommendations for Federal
25 agencies and Congress to encourage an increase

1 in the capacity of petrochemical refineries lo-
2 cated in the United States; and
3 (2) make publicly available the report submitted
4 under paragraph (1).