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To amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to the labeling of milk.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. KLUG introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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 “Milk Nutrition and
5 Labeling Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. MILK LABELING.**

7 Section 401 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic
8 Act (21 U.S.C. 341) is amended by inserting “(a)” before
9 “Whenever” and by adding at the end the following:

1 “(b) In establishing standards of identity for food
2 under subsection (a), the following shall apply with respect
3 to the labeling of milk:

4 “(1) Fluid milk may indicate on its label the
5 portion of milk which is non-fat content.

6 “(2)(A) Skim milk that is in final package form
7 for beverage use shall contain not less than 9 per-
8 cent of milk solids not fat.

9 “(B) Lowfat milk that is in final package form
10 for beverage use shall contain not less than 10 per-
11 cent of milk solids not fat.

12 “(C) Milk that is in final package form for bev-
13 erage use shall contain not less than 8.7 percent of
14 milk solids not fat.

15 “(3) The label on any milk product may promi-
16 nently display the protein content of the milk.”.

17 **SEC. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

18 The amendments made by section 2 shall take effect
19 upon the expiration of one year after the date of the enact-
20 ment of this Act.

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