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H. R. 4270

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 17, 1998

Mr. MILLER of Florida (for himself and Mr. WHITE) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight

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. INFORMATION TO BE REQUESTED.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—The long form used in carrying
5 out the 2000 decennial census of population shall, in addi-
6 tion to any other information requested, contain the fol-
7 lowing questions (or questions to the same effect):

1 (1) Does your household have a personal com-
2 puter?

3 (2) Is your household currently connected to
4 the Internet through a personal computer or other
5 device?

6 (b) DEFINITION.—For purposes of this Act, the term
7 “census of population” has the meaning given such term
8 by section 141(g) of title 13, United States Code.

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