113TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H.R.3211

AN ACT

To amend the Truth in Lending Act to improve upon the definitions provided for points and fees in connection with a mortgage transaction.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- ${\it 2\ tives\ of\ the\ United\ States\ of\ America\ in\ Congress\ assembled},$

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

2	This Act may be cited as the "Mortgage Choice Act				
3	,				
	of 2014".				
4	SEC. 2. DEFINITION OF POINTS AND FEES.				
5	(a) Amendment to Section 103 of TILA.—Sec-				
6	tion $103(bb)(4)$ of the Truth in Lending Act (15 U.S.C.				
7	1602(bb)(4)) is amended—				
8	(1) by striking "paragraph (1)(B)" and insert-				
9	ing "paragraph (1)(A) and section 129C";				
10	(2) in subparagraph (C)—				
11	(A) by inserting "and insurance" after				
12	"taxes";				
13	(B) in clause (ii), by inserting ", except as				
14	retained by a creditor or its affiliate as a result				
15	of their participation in an affiliated business				
16	arrangement (as defined in section $2(7)$ of the				
17	Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act of 1974				
18	(12 U.S.C. 2602(7))" after "compensation";				
19	and				
20	(C) by striking clause (iii) and inserting				
21	the following:				
22	"(iii) the charge is—				
23	"(I) a bona fide third-party				
24	charge not retained by the mortgage				
25	originator, creditor, or an affiliate of				
26	the creditor or mortgage originator; or				

1	"(II) a charge set forth in section					
2	106(e)(1);"; and					
3	(3) in subparagraph (D)—					
4	(A) by striking "accident,"; and					
5	(B) by striking "or any payments" and in					
6	serting "and any payments".					
7	(b) Amendment to Section 129C of TILA.—Sec-					
8	tion 129C of the Truth in Lending Act (15 U.S.C. 1639c)					
9	is amended—					
10	(1) in subsection (a)(5)(C), by striking "103"					
11	and all that follows through "or mortgage origi-					
12	nator" and inserting "103(bb)(4)"; and					
13	(2) in subsection (b)(2)(C)(i), by striking "103"					
14	and all that follows through "or mortgage origi-					
15	nator)" and inserting "103(bb)(4)".					
16	SEC. 3. RULEMAKING.					
17	Not later than the end of the 90-day period beginning					
18	on the date of the enactment of this Act, the Bureau of					
19	Consumer Financial Protection shall issue final regula-					

- 1 tions to carry out the amendments made by this Act, and
- 2 such regulations shall be effective upon issuance.

Passed the House of Representatives June 9, 2014. Attest:

Clerk.

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