

115TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 298

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 5, 2017

Mr. CHAFFETZ introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Financial Services

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 “Fannie Mae and
5 Freddie Mac Transparency Act of 2017”.

6 **SEC. 2. APPLICABILITY OF FOIA.**

7 Notwithstanding section 551 of title 5, United States
8 Code, during any period that the Federal National Mort-

1 gage Association or the Federal Home Loan Mortgage
2 Corporation is under conservatorship or receivership pur-
3 suant to section 1367 of the Federal Housing Enterprises
4 Financial Safety and Soundness Act of 1992 (12 U.S.C.
5 4617), such enterprise shall be considered to be an agency
6 for purposes of section 552 of such title.

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