

115TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 4280

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 7, 2017

Mr. KELLY of Mississippi introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## 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 “Ensuring Regulations  
5 are Successful or Ended Act of 2017” or the “ERASE  
6 Act of 2017”.

7 **SEC. 2. SUNSET FOR RULES.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in subsection  
9 (b), any rule (as such term is defined in section 551 of

1 title 5, United States Code) that is finalized after the date  
2 of the enactment of this Act shall sunset on the date that  
3 is one year after the date on which the rule is finalized.

4 (b) CONGRESSIONAL APPROVAL.—The sunset under  
5 subsection (a) shall not apply to a rule described in that  
6 subsection if a joint resolution is enacted which provides  
7 for the continuance of that rule.

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