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# H. R. 52

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 3, 2019

Ms. JACKSON LEE introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Homeland Security

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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 “Security for the Ad-  
5 ministration of Federal Election from Terrorists Interven-  
6 tion Act of 2019” or the “SAFETI Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPORT ON DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECUR-**  
2 **RITY RESPONSES TO TERRORIST THREATS**  
3 **TO FEDERAL ELECTIONS.**

4 (a) SECRETARY OF HOMELAND SECURITY.—Not  
5 later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of  
6 this Act, the Secretary of Homeland Security shall submit  
7 to the Comptroller General of the United States and Con-  
8 gress a report on actions taken by the Department of  
9 Homeland Security relating to terrorist threats to the in-  
10 tegrity of elections for Federal office held in 2016.

11 (b) GAO ASSESSMENT.—The Comptroller General of  
12 the United States shall, upon receipt of the report re-  
13 quired pursuant to subsection (a), conduct an assessment  
14 of the effectiveness of Department of Homeland Security  
15 actions described in such report and include recommenda-  
16 tions for improvements as the Comptroller General deter-  
17 mines appropriate.

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