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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 15, 2020

Mr. HARDER of California introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Budget

A BILL

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Budget Transparency Act”.
SEC. 2. SUBMISSION OF ADDITIONAL UPDATED ECONOMIC PROJECTIONS.

Section 1106(a)(1) of title 31, United States Code, is amended by striking “and” at the end of subparagraph (C), by inserting “and” at the end of subparagraph (D), and by inserting after subparagraph (D) the following:

“(E) updated economic projections, including projections for the Federal budget deficit, unemployment rate, changes to the gross domestic product (GDP), the consumer price index (CPI), and interest rates, and a justification for any differences in such economic projections of the Office of Management and Budget and the Congressional Budget Office;”.

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