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H. R. 9053

To amend title 40, United States Code, to prevent Members of Congress and their employees from carrying firearms in the Capitol building, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 28, 2020

Mr. HUFFMAN (for himself, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, and Ms. NORTON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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 “No Congressional Gun
5 Loophole Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. CAPITOL GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS SECURITY.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 5104(e)(1) of title 40,
8 United States Code, is amended—

1 (1) in subparagraph (A), by redesignating
2 clauses (i), (ii), and (iii) as subclauses (I), (II), and
3 (III), respectively, and moving the margins 2 ems to
4 the right;

5 (2) by redesignating subparagraphs (A) and
6 (B) as clauses (i) and (ii), respectively, and moving
7 the margins 2 ems to the right;

8 (3) by striking “An individual” and inserting
9 the following:

10 “(A) IN GENERAL.—An individual”; and

11 (4) by adding at the end the following:

12 “(B) EXCEPTION.—Notwithstanding sub-
13 paragraph (A), the Capitol Police Board may
14 not authorize or permit a Member of Congress
15 or an employee of such Member of Congress to
16 carry on or have readily accessible to such
17 Member or employee a firearm, except a Mem-
18 ber or employee may store a firearm in a car
19 owned by such Member or employee that is
20 parked in a garage in the Capitol complex if the
21 Member or employee is in compliance with the
22 firearms laws of the District of Columbia for
23 the lawful possession of such firearm and such
24 firearm is locked with a gun lock while on the
25 Capitol complex.”.

1 (b) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendments made by
2 subsection (a) shall take effect on the date that is 15 days
3 after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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