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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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NOVEMBER 16, 2022

Reported by Mr. PETERS, with an amendment

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in italic]

AN ACT

To direct the Comptroller General of the United States to submit a report to Congress on case management personnel turnover of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, and for other purposes.

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 “FEMA Caseworker
5 Accountability Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPORT ON STAFF TURNOVER.**

2 Not later than 90 days after the date of enactment
3 of this Act, the Comptroller General of the United States
4 shall submit to Congress a report containing—

5 (1) the turnover rate for case management per-
6 sonnel of the Federal Emergency Management
7 Agency;

8 (2) the average and median length of employ-
9 ment for the personnel described in paragraph (1);

10 (3) the steps that the Agency is taking, or
11 plans to take, to lower the rate of turnover for the
12 personnel described in paragraph (1);

13 (4) the number of personnel of the Agency that
14 is detailed to work disaster recovery and then return
15 to such personnel's full time assignment after a dis-
16 aster, disaggregated by full-time, part-time, tem-
17 porary, and contract personnel; and

18 (5) the average time and median length of the
19 rotations of personnel described in paragraph (4)
20 and how often rotations and reassignment of per-
21 sonnel occur for each disaster recovery position and
22 function, disaggregated by full-time, part-time, tem-
23 porary, and contract personnel.

24 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

25 *This Act may be cited as the “FEMA Caseworker Ac-*
26 *countability Act”.*

1 **SEC. 2. REPORT ON STAFF TURNOVER.**

2 *Not later than 180 days after the date of enactment*
3 *of this Act, the Comptroller General of the United States*
4 *shall submit to Congress a report containing—*

5 *(1) the turnover rate for case management per-*
6 *sonnel of the Federal Emergency Management Agen-*
7 *cy;*

8 *(2) the average and median length of employ-*
9 *ment for the personnel described in paragraph (1);*

10 *(3) the steps that the Agency is taking, or plans*
11 *to take, to lower the rate of turnover for the personnel*
12 *described in paragraph (1);*

13 *(4) the number of personnel of the Agency that*
14 *is detailed to work disaster recovery and then return*
15 *to such personnel's full time assignment after a dis-*
16 *aster, disaggregated by full-time, part-time, tem-*
17 *porary, and contract personnel; and*

18 *(5) the average time and median length of the*
19 *rotations of personnel described in paragraph (4) and*
20 *how often rotations and reassignment of personnel*
21 *occur for each disaster recovery position and function,*
22 *disaggregated by full-time, part-time, temporary, and*
23 *contract personnel.*

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