

118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 4042

To amend title 11, District of Columbia Official Code, to prohibit the exclusion of individuals from service on a District of Columbia jury on account of sexual orientation or gender identity.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 12, 2023

Ms. NORTON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Oversight and Accountability

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 “District of Columbia
5 Local Juror Non-Discrimination Act of 2023”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXCLUSION FROM DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA JURIES**
2 **ON ACCOUNT OF SEXUAL ORIENTATION OR**
3 **GENDER IDENTITY PROHIBITED.**

4 (a) PROHIBITING DISCRIMINATION.—Section 11–
5 1903, District of Columbia Official Code, is amended by
6 inserting “(including sexual orientation or gender iden-
7 tity)” after “sex”.

8 (b) NO EFFECT ON OTHER REMEDIES.—Section 11–
9 1910(c), District of Columbia Official Code, is amended
10 by inserting “(including sexual orientation or gender iden-
11 tity)” after “sex”.

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