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# H. R. 10054

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 25, 2024

Mr. SABLAN (for himself and Mrs. RADEWAGEN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability

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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 “Insular Area Mid-dec-  
5 ade Census Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. CENSUS FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS,**  
2 **GUAM, AMERICAN SAMOA, AND THE U.S. VIR-**  
3 **GIN ISLANDS.**

4 Section 141 of title 13, United States Code, is  
5 amended—

6 (1) by redesignating subsection (g) as sub-  
7 section (h); and

8 (2) by adding after subsection (f) the following:

9 “(g) The Secretary shall, in 2035 and every 10 years  
10 thereafter, take a mid-decade census of population as of  
11 the first day of April of the applicable year for each of  
12 the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, American Samoa,  
13 and the United States Virgin Islands.”.

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