

Union Calendar No. 364

113TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 4801

[Report No. 113-489]

To require the Secretary of Energy to prepare a report on the impact of thermal insulation on both energy and water use for potable hot water.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 5, 2014

Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois (for himself and Mr. MCNERNEY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

JUNE 23, 2014

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

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. REPORT ON ENERGY AND WATER SAVINGS PO-**
4 **TENTIAL FROM THERMAL INSULATION.**

5 (a) REPORT.—Not later than 1 year after the date
6 of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Energy, in con-
7 sultation with appropriate Federal agencies and relevant
8 stakeholders, shall submit to the Committee on Energy
9 and Natural Resources of the Senate and the Committee
10 on Energy and Commerce of the House of Representatives
11 a report on the impact of thermal insulation on both en-
12 ergy and water use systems for potable hot and chilled
13 water in Federal buildings, and the return on investment
14 of installing such insulation.

15 (b) CONTENTS.—The report shall include—

16 (1) an analysis based on the cost of municipal
17 or regional water for delivered water and the avoided
18 cost of new water; and

19 (2) a summary of energy and water savings, in-
20 cluding short term and long term (20 years) projec-
21 tions of such savings.

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