

Union Calendar No. 676

118TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 5874

[Report No. 118–827]

To amend the United States-Mexico Transboundary Aquifer Assessment Act to reauthorize the United States-Mexico transboundary aquifer assessment program.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 3, 2023

Mr. CISCOMANI (for himself and Ms. STANSBURY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

DECEMBER 10, 2024

Additional sponsor: Mr. LAWLER

DECEMBER 10, 2024

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

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

[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on October 3, 2023]

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 “Transboundary Aquifer*
5 *Assessment Program Act” or the “TAAP Act”.*

6 **SEC. 2. REAUTHORIZATION OF TRANSBOUNDARY AQUIFER**
7 **ASSESSMENT PROGRAM.**

8 (a) *DESIGNATION OF PRIORITY TRANSBOUNDARY*
9 *AQUIFERS.*—Section 4(c)(2) of the United States-Mexico
10 *Transboundary Aquifer Assessment Act (42 U.S.C. 1962*
11 *note; Public Law 109–448) is amended by striking “New*
12 *Mexico or Texas” and inserting “New Mexico, Texas, or Ar-*
13 *izona (other than an aquifer underlying Arizona and So-*
14 *nora, Mexico, that is partially within the Yuma ground-*
15 *water basin designated by the order of the Director of the*
16 *Arizona Department of Water Resources dated June 21,*
17 *1984)”.*

18 (b) *AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.*—Section
19 *8(a) of the United States-Mexico Transboundary Aquifer*
20 *Assessment Act (42 U.S.C. 1962 note; Public Law 109–448)*
21 *is amended by striking “fiscal years 2007 through 2016”*
22 *and inserting “fiscal years 2025 through 2032”.*

23 (c) *SUNSET OF AUTHORITY.*—Section 9 of the United
24 *States-Mexico Transboundary Aquifer Assessment Act (42*
25 *U.S.C. 1962 note; Public Law 109–448) is amended by*

- 1 *striking “enactment of this Act” and inserting “enactment*
- 2 *of the Transboundary Aquifer Assessment Program Act”.*

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