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H. R. 6555

To direct the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to designate breast pumps and certain lactation supplies as eligible for certain financial assistance, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 1, 2022

Ms. UNDERWOOD (for herself and Mr. KATKO) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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 “Delivering Essentials
5 to Mothers Amid Natural Disasters Act of 2022” or the
6 “DEMAND Act of 2022”.

1 **SEC. 2. BREASTFEEDING SUPPLIES AND SUPPORT SERV-**
2 **ICES.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after the
4 date of the enactment of this Act, the Administrator of
5 the Federal Emergency Management Agency, in consulta-
6 tion with the Co-chairs of the Federal Interagency
7 Breastfeeding Workgroup, shall include breast pumps,
8 other lactation supplies appropriate for use in emergency
9 settings, other equipment necessary to support the safe
10 use of such breast pumps, and services by lactation sup-
11 port providers as eligible for financial assistance under
12 section 408(e) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief
13 and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5174(e)).

14 (b) LACTATION SUPPORT PROVIDERS DEFINED.—In
15 this section, the term “lactation support providers” in-
16 cludes breastfeeding and lactation educators or counselors,
17 including a lactation consultant, breastfeeding counselor,
18 breastfeeding peer counselor, or lactation educator, with-
19 out regard to the type of license or certification such indi-
20 vidual holds.

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