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H. R. 7078

To amend the Safe Drinking Water Act to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to publish a maximum contaminant level goal and promulgate a national primary drinking water regulation for microcystin toxin, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 19, 2018

Ms. KAPTUR (for herself, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. BONAMICI, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. QUIGLEY, and Ms. FUDGE) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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 “Protection from Algal
5 Toxins Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. DEADLINE FOR REGULATIONS ON MICROCYSTIN**
2 **TOXIN.**

3 Section 1412(b)(2) of the Safe Drinking Water Act
4 (42 U.S.C. 300g-1(b)(2)) is amended by adding at the
5 end the following:

6 “(D) MICROCYSTIN TOXIN.—

7 “(i) Notwithstanding any other dead-
8 line established in this subsection, not later
9 than the date described in clause (ii), the
10 Administrator shall publish a maximum
11 contaminant level goal and promulgate a
12 national primary drinking water regulation
13 for microcystin toxin.

14 “(ii) The date described in this clause
15 is date of the first final determination
16 under paragraph (1)(B)(ii)(I) made after
17 the date of enactment of this subpara-
18 graph.”.

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