#### 118TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION H.R. 7280

### AN ACT

To require the Inspector General of the Department of Housing and Urban Development to testify before the Congress annually, and for other purposes.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

#### 1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

2 This Act may be cited as the "HUD Transparency3 Act of 2024".

#### 4 SEC. 2. CONGRESSIONAL TESTIMONY.

5 Not later than October 1 of each year, the Inspector 6 General of the Department of Housing and Urban Devel-7 opment shall appear before the Committee on Financial 8 Services of the House of Representatives and the Com-9 mittee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs of the 10 Senate and present testimony on the Office of Inspector 11 General's—

12 (1) efforts to detect and prevent fraud, waste,13 and abuse;

14 (2) ability to conduct and supervise audits, in-15 vestigations, and reviews;

16 (3) actions to identify opportunities for the pro17 grams of the Department of Housing and Urban
18 Development to progress and succeed;

(4) recommendations to improve overall effi-ciency and public accountability;

(5) assessment of the extent to which the Department of Housing and Urban Development has
resources sufficient to carry out its statutory mission; and

(6) ongoing activities regarding any such addi tional work, as appropriate.

Passed the House of Representatives July 22, 2024. Attest:

Clerk.

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