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H. R. 8424

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. BURCHETT (for himself, Mr. MOSKOWITZ, Mrs. LUNA, and Mr. BURLISON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability

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 “UAP Transparency
5 Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. PUBLIC AVAILABILITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION**
2 **RELATING TO UNIDENTIFIED ANOMALOUS**
3 **PHENOMENA.**

4 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Not later than 270 days after the
5 date of the enactment of this Act, the President shall di-
6 rect the head of each Federal department or agency in
7 possession of documents, reports, or other records relating
8 to unidentified anomalous phenomena to declassify and
9 make available on a publicly available website of each such
10 department or agency all such documents, reports, or
11 other records.

12 (b) **REPORT.**—Not later than 360 days after the date
13 of the enactment of this Act and quarterly thereafter, the
14 President shall transmit to the Committee on Oversight
15 and Accountability of the House of Representatives and
16 the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental
17 Affairs of the Senate a report detailing the progress to-
18 ward implementing subsection (a) made by each Federal
19 department and agency.

20 (c) **DEFINITION.**—In this section, the term “uniden-
21 tified anomalous phenomena” has the meaning given such
22 term in section 1683 of the National Defense Authoriza-
23 tion Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (50 U.S.C. 3373).

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