

103^D CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1925

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 29, 1993

Miss COLLINS of Michigan (for herself, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. FILNER, Mrs. MEEK, and Mr. TUCKER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Environmental Health
3 Equity Information Act of 1993”.

4 **SEC. 2. REQUIREMENT TO COLLECT AND MAINTAIN CER-**
5 **TAIN INFORMATION ON COMMUNITIES ADJA-**
6 **CENT TO AREAS CONTAMINATED WITH TOXIC**
7 **SUBSTANCES.**

8 Section 104(i)(1) of the Comprehensive Environ-
9 mental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of
10 1980 (42 U.S.C. 9604(i)) is amended—

11 (1) by redesignating subparagraphs (D) and
12 (E) as subparagraphs (E) and (F), respectively; and

13 (2) by inserting after subparagraph (C) the fol-
14 lowing new subparagraph (D):

15 “(D) in conjunction with the listing established
16 and maintained under subparagraph (C), collect and
17 maintain information on the residents of commu-
18 nities adjacent to the areas closed to the public or
19 otherwise restricted in use because of toxic sub-
20 stance contamination, including information on race,
21 age, gender, ethnic origin, income level, educational
22 level, and duration of residence at their present loca-
23 tion;”.

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