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113TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION



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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. WALBERG introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

## 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 "Streamlining Claims
- 5 Processing for Federal Contractor Employees Act".

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## 1SEC. 2. TRANSFER OF ADMINISTRATIVE AUTHORITY TO2THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

3 (a) AUTHORITY OF COMPTROLLER GENERAL TO PAY
4 WAGES AND LIST CONTRACTORS VIOLATING CON5 TRACTS.—Section 3144 of title 40, United States Code,
6 is amended—

7 (1) in the section heading, by striking "of
8 Comptroller General"; and

9 (2) in subsection (a)(1), by striking "Comptroller General" and inserting "Secretary of Labor".
11 (b) REPORT OF VIOLATIONS AND WITHHOLDING OF
12 AMOUNTS FOR UNPAID CONTRACTS AND LIQUIDATED
13 DAMAGES.—Section 3703(b)(3) of title 40, United States
14 Code, is amended by striking "Comptroller General" both
15 places it appears and inserting "Secretary of Labor".