

119TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2254

To amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to make certain changes with respect to duplication of benefits, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 21, 2025

Ms. FRIEDMAN (for herself, Mr. EZELL, Mr. CARBAJAL, Ms. CHU, Mr. HARDER of California, Mr. MULLIN, Ms. BROWNLEY, Mrs. TORRES of California, Mr. WHITESIDES, and Mr. SHERMAN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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## 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 “Don’t Penalize Victims  
5       Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. DUPLICATION OF BENEFITS.**

2       Section 312(a) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Re-  
3 lief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5155(a))  
4 is amended by striking “or any other source”.

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