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to improve the Code.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. ONDER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee
on the Judiciary

A BILL

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Code, as necessary to improve the Code.

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. TABLE OF CONTENTS.**

4 The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Table of contents.

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5 **SEC. 2. PURPOSE.**

6 The purpose of this Act is to make technical amend-
7 ments to title 49, United States Code, as necessary to im-
8 prove the Code.

1 **SEC. 3. TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER 224 OF**
 2 **TITLE 49, UNITED STATES CODE.**

3 (a) DEFINITIONS.—Section 22401 of title 49, United
 4 States Code, is amended—

5 (1) in paragraph (1)—

6 (A) in subparagraph (A), by striking “(A)
 7 The term” and inserting the following:

8 “(A) IN GENERAL.—The term”;

9 (B) in subparagraph (B)—

10 (i) by redesignating clauses (i), (ii),
 11 and (iii) as subclauses (I), (II), and (III);

12 (ii) by striking “(B) The cost” and in-
 13 serting the following:

14 “(B) DIRECT LOAN.—

15 “(i) IN GENERAL.—The cost”; and

16 (iii) by striking “Calculation of the
 17 cost of a direct loan” and inserting:

18 “(ii) INCLUSION.—Calculation of the
 19 cost of a direct loan”;

20 (C) in subparagraph (C)—

21 (i) by redesignating clauses (i) and
 22 (ii) as subclauses (I) and (II);

23 (ii) by striking “(C) The cost” and in-
 24 serting the following:

25 “(C) LOAN GUARANTEE.—

26 “(i) IN GENERAL.—The cost”; and

1 (iii) by striking “Calculation of the
 2 cost of a loan guarantee” and inserting the
 3 following:

4 “(ii) INCLUSION.—Calculation of the
 5 cost of a loan guarantee”;

6 (D) in subparagraph (D), by striking “(D)
 7 The cost” and inserting the following:

8 “(D) MODIFICATION.—The cost”;

9 (E) in subparagraph (E), by striking “(E)
 10 In estimating” and inserting the following:

11 “(E) NET PRESENT VALUES.—In esti-
 12 mating”; and

13 (F) in subparagraph (F), by striking “(F)
 14 When funds” and inserting the following:

15 “(F) BASIS OF ESTIMATED COST.—When
 16 funds”;

17 (2) in paragraph (2), by inserting “(2 U.S.C.
 18 900(c)(9))” after “Balanced Budget and Emergency
 19 Deficit Control Act of 1985”; and

20 (3) in paragraph (12)—

21 (A) in subparagraph (A), by inserting “of
 22 this title” after “section 20102”; and

23 (B) in subparagraph (B), by inserting “of
 24 this title” after “section 24102”.

1 (b) DIRECT LOANS AND LOAN GUARANTEES.—Sec-
2 tion 22402 of title 49, United States Code, is amended—

3 (1) in subsection (a)(3), by striking “govern-
4 ment sponsored” and inserting “government-spon-
5 sored”;

6 (2) in subsection (c)(1), by inserting “of this
7 title” after “section 20157(i)”;

8 (3) in subsection (f)—

9 (A) in paragraph (1), by inserting “(2
10 U.S.C. 661c(b)(1))” after “section 504(b)(1) of
11 the Federal Credit Reform Act of 1990”;

12 (B) in paragraph (5)—

13 (i) in the matter before subparagraph

14 (A)—

15 (I) by inserting “of this title”
16 after “section 22406(a)(2)”;

17 (II) by striking “(Public Law
18 114–94)” and inserting “(Public Law
19 114–94, 129 Stat. 1312)”; and

20 (III) by striking “(Public Law
21 94–210)” and inserting “(Public Law
22 94–210, 90 Stat. 31)”; and

23 (ii) in subparagraph (A), by inserting
24 “(Public Law 117–58, div. B, 135 Stat.

1 652)” after “Surface Transportation In-
2 vestment Act of 2021”; and

3 (C) in paragraph (7), by inserting “(Public
4 Law 117–58, div. B, 135 Stat. 652)” after
5 “Surface Transportation Investment Act of
6 2021”;

7 (4) in subsection (g)(1)(C)(ii)(II), by striking
8 the period at the end and inserting a semicolon;

9 (5) in subsection (h)(3)—

10 (A) in subparagraph (A)—

11 (i) by inserting “of this title” after
12 “section 24312”; and

13 (ii) by inserting “of this title” after
14 “section 24308(a)”; and

15 (B) in subparagraph (B), by inserting “of
16 this title” after “section 22404”; and

17 (6) in subsection (i)—

18 (A) in paragraph (3)(B), by striking the
19 heading “ACTIONS BY THE OFFICE OF MAN-
20 AGEMENT AND BUDGET” and inserting the
21 heading “ACTIONS BY THE OFFICE OF MANAGE-
22 MENT AND BUDGET”;

23 (B) in paragraph (4)(A)—

24 (i) by inserting “(Public Law 117–58,
25 div. B, 135 Stat. 652)” after “Surface

1 Transportation Investment Act of 2021”;

2 and

3 (ii) by striking “an streamlined” and

4 inserting “a streamlined”; and

5 (C) in paragraph (6)(A)—

6 (i) in clause (iv), by striking “refi-

7 nancing an” and inserting “refinancing of

8 an”; and

9 (ii) in clause (ix), by inserting “of this

10 title” after “section 5323(j)”.

11 (c) ADMINISTRATION OF DIRECT LOANS AND LOAN

12 GUARANTEES.—Section 22403 of title 49, United States

13 Code, is amended—

14 (1) in subsection (a)(1), by inserting “of this

15 title” after “section 22402”;

16 (2) in subsection (b), by inserting “of this title”

17 after “section 22402”;

18 (3) in subsection (c), by inserting “of this title”

19 after “section 22402”;

20 (4) in subsection (d)(3), by inserting “of this

21 title” after “section 22402(f)”;

22 (5) in subsection (g), in the matter before para-

23 graph (1), by inserting “of this title” after “section

24 22402”;

1 (6) in subsection (h)(1), by inserting “of this
2 title” after “section 22402”;

3 (7) in subsection (i)—

4 (A) in the matter before paragraph (1), by
5 inserting “of this title” after “section 22402”
6 each place it appears; and

7 (B) in paragraph (1), by striking “of this
8 section”; and

9 (8) in subsection (m), by inserting “of this
10 title” after “section 22402”.

11 (d) SUBSTANTIVE CRITERIA AND STANDARDS.—Sec-
12 tion 22405(1) of title 49, United States Code, is amended
13 by inserting “of this title” after “section 22402”.

14 (e) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—Section
15 22406 of title 49, United States Code, is amended—

16 (1) in the section heading, by striking the pe-
17 riod at the end;

18 (2) in subsection (a)(2), by inserting “of this
19 title” after “section 22402(f)(5)”; and

20 (3) in subsection (b)(2), by inserting “of this
21 title” after “section 22403(l)(1)”.

22 **SEC. 4. OTHER TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS.**

23 (a) NATIONAL SURFACE TRANSPORTATION AND IN-
24 NOVATIVE FINANCE BUREAU.—Section 116(d)(1)(B) of

1 title 49, United States Code, is amended by inserting “of
2 this title” after “sections 22401 through 22403”.

3 (b) SURFACE TRANSPORTATION INVESTMENT ACT
4 OF 2021.—Section 21303(1) of the Surface Transpor-
5 tation Investment Act of 2021 (49 U.S.C. 22402 note)
6 is amended by striking “section 22402(b)(1)(E) of title
7 49” and inserting “section 22402(b)(1)(F) of title 49”.

8 (c) GRANT CONDITIONS.—Section 22905(c)(2)(B) of
9 title 49, United States Code, is amended by inserting “of
10 this title” after “section 22404”.

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