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118TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. _____

To provide funding for skilled nursing facility and nursing facility survey and certification activities under the Medicare and Medicaid programs.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. RUIZ 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 “Sustained Allocations
5 For Evaluations and Reviews of Nursing Homes Act of
6 2024” or the “SAFER Nursing Homes Act of 2024”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROVIDING FUNDING FOR SKILLED NURSING FA-**
2 **CILITY AND NURSING FACILITY SURVEY AND**
3 **ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES UNDER THE**
4 **MEDICARE AND MEDICAID PROGRAMS.**

5 There are appropriated, out of any monies in the
6 Treasury not otherwise obligated, the following sums for
7 purposes of carrying out surveys and certifications of
8 skilled nursing facilities and nursing facilities under sec-
9 tions 1819(g) and 1919(g), respectively, of the Social Se-
10 curity Act (42 U.S.C. 1395i-3(g); 1396r(g)):

- 11 (1) For fiscal year 2025, \$492,000,000.
- 12 (2) For each subsequent fiscal year, such sums
13 as the Secretary of Health and Human Services de-
14 termines necessary to carry out such purposes.