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AMENDMENT NO. _____

Calendar No. _____

Purpose: Relating to orbital debris.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—115th Cong., 2d Sess.**S. 3277**

To reduce regulatory burdens and streamline processes related to commercial space activities, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and ordered to be printed

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. PETERS

Viz:

1 At the end of title III, add the following:

2 **SEC. 305. UNITED STATES POLICY ON ORBITAL DEBRIS.**

3 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
4 gress that—

5 (1) existing guidelines for the mitigation of or-
6 bital debris may not be adequate to ensure long term
7 usability of the space environment for all users; and

8 (2) the United States should continue to exer-
9 cise a leadership role in developing orbital debris
10 prevention standards that can be used by all space-
11 faring nations.

12 (b) POLICY OF THE UNITED STATES.—It is the pol-
13 icy of the United States to have consistent standards

1 across Federal agencies that minimize the risks from or-
2 bital debris in order to—

- 3 (1) protect the public health and safety;
- 4 (2) protect humans in space;
- 5 (3) protect the national security interests of the
6 United States;
- 7 (4) protect the safety of property;
- 8 (5) protect space objects from interference; and
- 9 (6) protect the foreign policy interests of the
10 United States