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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Ms. DeLauro (for herself and ___) 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 Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

2 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

4 This Act may be cited as the “Protect SNAP Act”.

(Original Signature of Member)
SEC. 2. PREVENTING THE CHANGING OF REGULATIONS GOVERNING WAIVERS UNDER THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

No rule, regulation, proposed rule, policy directive, or guideline may be issued or enforced by the Secretary of Agriculture, by the head of any entity within the Department of Agriculture (including the Food and Nutrition Service), or by any other person or entity that—

(1) supersedes subsection (a), (b), (e), (d), (e),

or (f) of section 273.24 of title 7 of the Code of Federal Regulations as in effect on December 1, 2018,

or

(2) modifies the effect or operation of any such subsection as so in effect.

SEC. 3. RESTRICTION ON FEDERAL FUNDS.

No Federal funds (including fees) made available for any fiscal year may be used to finalize, implement, administer, enforce, carry out, or otherwise give effect to the proposed rule entitled “Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program: Requirements for Able Bodied Adults Without Dependents” (84 Fed. Reg. 980; February 1, 2019).